# The illage of TINY TOWN-

DeSoto Cares is planning a community of tiny homes in Arcadia, Florida to provide housing for the homeless. Each home is 160 square feet and is fully furnished and complete with all home needs.

# Who Will Live in Tiny Town?

- Those who lack adequate nighttime residence
- Those who will shortly lose their primary nighttime residence
- Unaccompanied youth 18 25 years of age, or families with children and youth, who have not had a permanent residence in the last 60 days
- Those recently fleeing domestic violence



- Half reported staying in non-habitable places (Street, Cars, Sheds, etc.)
- Two/Thirds of those responding were women
- Half reported not having a place to live for over a year.
- Almost half reported loss of employment as their main cause of becoming homeless
- More than half reported needing clothing, food and housing services



# Why Tiny Town?

DeSoto Cares about all of our people. Out of 6 Counties in the Heartland area, DeSoto County has zero (0) homeless shelters. Per capita, we have the largest population of homeless individuals; the need is great.

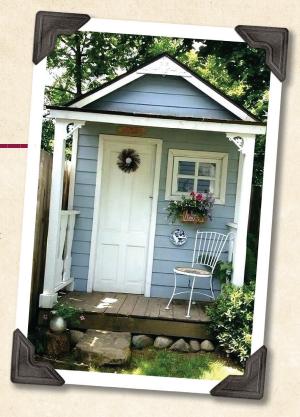
Can you help?

Mike Provau President DeSoto Cares Homeless Services



Homeless Services

DeSoto Cares seeks solutions and coordinates services for the homeless and transition individuals from homelessness when they seek it. WE ARE HERE TO HELP Seek....Coordinate...Transition. By providing the stability of a home and treating individuals in our community with dignity and human kindness, we are offering them a foundation and platform in which to grow and succeed at life.





Join this fine project by mailing your donation today!

**Sponsorship Levels:** 

Home Build Sponsor	\$15,000
<b>Foundation Sponsor</b>	\$10,000
Contract Sponsor	\$5,000
Roofing Sponsor	\$2,500
Room Sponsor	\$1,000
Doors and Windows	\$500

Funding, skills and materials are all needed to provide shelter for the least of these.

Make your check payable to DeSoto Cares Homeless Services, Inc. or call 863-990-8405 to volunteer.

### Mail to

PO BOX 1175 Arcadia, FL 34265 Indicate TINY TOWN on the memo line

# **Questions?**

Call Mike Provau 863-990-8405 DeSoto.cares@gmail.com

## **To Donate Online:**

www.DesotoCares.com

FaceBook: DeSoto Cares Homeless Services



Construction partners include DeSoto High School Technology Students.

Property has been donated by the Hazen Family Trust and the DeSoto County Board of County Commissioners.

Donors to this project include: Weiller Engineering, Paul Seusy Attorney, and the Southwest Regional Planning Council. Join this fine project by mailing your donation today!





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