



A LIVEABLE COMMUNITY...

Is one that provides services for people of all ages. Buxton is a beautiful town, where many people hope to stay as they age. What will they want and need from their community? Help us explore opportunities through the

Age-Friendly Community process. FMI please email

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- This program will:
- 1) make your home safer,
 - 2) make "adaptability" changes so you can use your home better, and
 - 3) help reduce the maintenance burden.

Our team members are certified aging-in-place specialists. They will listen to your needs and develop a work plan to help you. Then, our contractor team will do the work. The list of Work Categories (attached) gives you an idea of what we can do.

This program is completely **free** to you. We just ask that you answer questions before, during, and after so we can learn how and if the work we did has helped you stay safely in your home.

To participate, you must:

- Be over 55 years old, or have a disability;
- Own your home or live in a home owned by someone in your family;
- Live in Saco, Biddeford, Old Orchard Beach or adjacent towns; and Buxton
- Have a yearly income under 80% of the median:

Safety Checks

- Smoke and CO detectors
- Refrigerator coils
- Dryer vent
- Light bulbs
- Furnace filter(s)

Accessibility Modifications

- Grab bars and handrails
- Raised toilet seat
- Shower wand
- Drawer pulls
- Shower seat
- Doorbell
- Lever door handles
- Lighting
- Kitchen faucet

Minor Repairs

- Winterizing
- Custom Work Examples
- Flooring repairs
- Storm door installation
- Gutter work
- Steps/existing ramps
- Lighting
- Build shelf
- Modify cabinet height