

## Builder Fact Sheet

### Quick Facts:

- **HARDAWAY Construction Corp.**  
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- [www.hardaway.net](http://www.hardaway.net)
- [www.thenashvillebuild.com](http://www.thenashvillebuild.com) – *Extreme Makeover Nashville Build Website*
- Founded in 1924, Third Generation Family Owned Construction Firm
- President – Stan Hardaway
- Company Motto – “Quality Built to Serve... since 1924”

### Building... Serving... Giving

#### **HARDAWAY... “Nashville’s Veteran Builder”**

Since its founding in 1924, HARDAWAY Construction Corp. is Nashville’s most veteran construction manager and general contractor firm. HARDAWAY’s legacy is long, and we are proud to have served Nashville, Middle Tennessee and the Southeast Region for more than 86 years by offering our clients a full range of construction services which include preconstruction planning, LEED™ certified/sustainable construction, construction management, general contracting, and comprehensive project management and design/build services. HARDAWAY is the contractor known for our versatility through creating successful construction project experiences for both public and private sector clients, building a wide range of facilities including religious, educational, multi-family, hospitality, healthcare, recreational, office/corporate, criminal justice, parking garages and retail/commercial.

HARDAWAY projects have been built through teamwork, and our relationships have been built on trust. Our reputation of fairness, honesty, consistent high performance, and the flexibility to respond to the unexpected is attributed to our unmatched veteran team of dedicated, highly educated, and knowledgeable professionals who consistently provide accurate competitive estimates, and timely execution of projects and commitment to serve our clients with a positive construction experience. The strong leadership at HARDAWAY and our family-owned Christian heritage has cultivated a family working environment that focuses on serving, and it is evident in how we interact with each owner, architect, subcontractor, or any project team member. Our ability to perform and interact successfully has led to a long list of repeat clients, a true measure of any contractor's success.

The greatest service HARDAWAY delivers is . . . peace of mind. We may pour concrete, erect steel, or install glass, but whatever we accomplish in a day, our most critical task is ensuring our construction clients can sleep at night. We've worked across a broad range of project delivery methods by offering a dedication to operational excellence, a total commitment to a positive project experience, and delivering the best value for construction investments. Prominent local projects include the Tennessee Bicentennial Mall, Gaylord Opryland Hotel & Convention Center, Belmont University Curb Event and Beaman Student Life Centers, the historic renovation of Metro Nashville & Davidson County Courthouse, and several projects at Vanderbilt University, St. Cecilia Motherhouse/Convent, and countless Houses of Worship throughout the great State of Tennessee.

## **HARDAWAY... “The Community Servant”**

HARDAWAY Construction founder L. Hall Hardaway Sr. passed away just shy of his 83<sup>rd</sup> birthday in 1989. His life was construction, family, and serving the community, and to this day his son and grandson have carried on the HARDAWAY legacy. HARDAWAY Construction has a long history of civic and community involvement supporting and serving countless organizations in the Greater Nashville area such as many Christian foundations and churches, schools and universities, and many associations. Our focus on the human element clearly defines who we are.

HARDAWAY has been known over the years as being a very generous company, whether by helping families in the community or one of our own, HARDAWAY is always quick to respond. We’ve always understood the importance of volunteering and giving to our community, helping those in need, and the positive impact these efforts can have not only the receiving end, but also for the participating employees. We have remained committed to volunteering our time and resources throughout our history, and are thrilled to reach out for the Extreme Makeover Home Edition project. At HARDAWAY, we are completely dedicated to serving our clients, our communities, and significantly, the people who make HARDAWAY more than a simple place to work, but a team and family-oriented experience like few others.

There have been numerous occasions when HARDAWAY employees reached into their pockets to help others in their time of need. This all comes from the example set by Hall Hardaway Jr. and his generous heart and giving spirit. That’s why you always hear “working at HARDAWAY is like working with family”. HARDAWAY and its employees are always willing to lend a helping hand. We are a family of people who have come together to build our community, set an example for others to follow by serving others, and focus on giving.

HARDAWAY has donated to 100’s of organizations and causes across the United States. A sampling of some of the organizations HARDAWAY has recently supported include: American Cancer Society Relay for Life, Big Brothers Big Sisters of Middle Tennessee, Project Pencil, American Heart Association, American Red Cross , Soles4Souls, Girl Scouts of Middle Tennessee, and LifeWay’s A Defining Moment Program

## **HARDAWAY... “The Extreme Giver”**

The Flood of 2010 and its images of cars and buildings floating down interstates, children being rescued by boats, and the elderly being carried by strangers to safety, will stick with us for a lifetime. Those images then turned to neighbors helping neighbors and strangers helping strangers haul personal belongings to curbside trash heaps, to scores of people distributing food and water to those who had none, to cleaning up, piece by piece, person by person, so we could move toward the next steps of recovery: rebuilding and restoring, which is where we are today. We at HARDAWAY feel strongly that what will also stay with us is the spirit of volunteerism that took over a city taken over by water. No matter where you turned someone was reaching out to help, donate, or volunteer.

The South’s “self-help disaster” as it’s been coined due to the lack of national news coverage didn’t phase a single Tennessean. The Volunteer State’s reputation of taking care of our own, is the epitome what our community and HARDAWAY Construction are all about. HARDAWAY has been known over the years as being a very generous company, deeply committed to the local community and many organizations. Our focus on the human element clearly defines who we are. When the horrible Nashville Flood happened, we knew we wanted to help those in need in a big way. When approached to be the builder of this exciting Extreme Makeover: Home Edition project, we did not hesitate. Especially

when we were told that the theme of the upcoming season of the hit ABC show was “*Extreme like you’ve never seen!*”, and knowing our participation would help those in need from the devastating floods.

We are a family of people spanning the leadership of three generations of the HARDAWAY family that have built and served the local community, setting an example for others to follow by always giving. The importance of volunteering, community service and the positive impact these efforts have, not only on the receiving end but also the participating employees, has always been a company priority. We are no strangers to witnessing the selflessness required to volunteer one’s time for the benefit of another.

It has and will continue take a lot of work to rebuild and restore ourselves and our neighbors, our homes and our neighbors’ homes, businesses, our beloved landmarks, schools and, ultimately, our city. But we will do it because the spirit of volunteerism in Nashville and at HARDAWAY is alive and well. That’s why Tennessee is called the Volunteer state. What other city has a natural disaster and creates a slogan, T-shirts and bumper stickers to proudly display our love and commitment to our community? Nashville does.

**After all...  
WE ARE NASHVILLE...**

**and so is  
HARDAWAY!**

***For complete details on the rich history of HARDAWAY’s three generations of family leadership, the construction services we offer, and a catalog of our extensive project experience, please visit our website at [www.hardaway.net](http://www.hardaway.net).***