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## Help needed to make shingles

Posted by sarahpartridge - 2010/06/05 21:12

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OBe Community Interest Company have just embarked on an ambitious project to clad our barn roof with hand made oak cleft shingles - from local oak. We are looking for energetic volunteers to help. This summer, we can provide you with board and lodgings in return for your time and energy. Ideally you will have some experience of green woodwork and shingle-making. We don't have as much experience as we would like, but we do know the basics, so if you would like to become more skilled in the historical art of cleaving oak, then come and join us. Our aim is to have completed the roof this summer - we need your help!! To find out more, please phone Sarah on 077660-54042. We are in Suffolk, UK.  
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## Re:Help needed to make shingles

Posted by MotivatedECo - 2011/10/06 21:32

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It looks like you have a good start with the shingles in the picture. I have never heard of people making their own cedar shingles. Will most Minneapolis contractors work with shingles made by the customer.

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