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Overview of Ministry: New website offers great networking tool to help missionaries

The Problem: From the local church to the highest levels of the missions movement, there is a disturbing lack of networking and communication. As a result, missionaries often feel isolated and unsupported.

Suppose one missionary needs Bibles or medical supplies to meet an urgent need, and he doesn't know someone is working only 50 miles away who could help with that need?

The Solution: On the Godreports website, every missionary can create their own webpage – their “Godreport” -- where they can share their vision, passion, prayer requests, needs, and updates. They can link photos, video, and worship music to their page. Let Godreports expand the circle of prayer and financial support.

Mika Community Development Corporation identifies and equips leaders in low income neighborhoods of Costa Mesa to build communities with VISION. In targeted communities we form Neighborhood Action Committees and facilitate a process for low income neighbors to develop a shared vision and action plan. . We currently work in neighborhoods in Costa Mesa. Neighborhood Action Committees have started two youth development programs- Express Yourself Art Program and The Hope Community Center. Other successful projects include establishing community holiday traditions, forming Neighborhood Watch groups, facilitating neighborhood health education and rehab-ing a neighborhood park.

timing of hiring of key employees, use of volunteers

1. Volunteer as a financial literacy coach/debt counselor
2. Sponsor C3 (cops, churches, and community) Basketball Tournament
3. Participate on Economic Development advisory board