REPORT OF PUSIR

Activity: Repairs to the convent of the community of Pusir Grande

Date: June 18 to 21

Background

Since March 27, 2013, FEDICE has been collaborating with Pastor Danny Couch in the work of supporting the inhabitants of the Pusir Grande community. One of the activities that can be carried out is the identification of the problems that the inhabitants have: lack of hygiene for the consumption of water, lack of coordination in the construction activity, deterioration of the facilities of the health center, the convent and the church local.

For reasons of time and logistics in the visit that the group of volunteers of the USA made from June 19 to 21 of this year, it was decided to solve the problem of deterioration of the convent, to fulfill this purpose the allocation of \$ 200 was requested for starting of work.

The destined resource fulfilled the objective of comparing materials such as: sand, cement, waterproofing, wall filling.

Finally, due to the advanced deterioration of the walls of the convent, FEDICE contracted the services of a master builder who was in charge of: requesting the quantities of materials and plastering works of the floor and walls.

FINAL COST

DESCRIPTION	VALUE
Labor	\$ 145.00
Materials and equipment	\$ 150.28
TOTAL GASTO	\$ 295.28

PROCESS

With the participation of volunteers from the USA, women from the community, FEDICE and master builder, the following works were carried out:

- 1. Plastering floors and walls
- 2. Sanding walls
- 3. Stucco walls
- 4. Painted walls
- 5. Cleaning of facilities

PENDING ACTIVITIES

- 1. Give two more hands of paint on the walls of the convent.
- 2. Installation of rainwater channel in the front.
- 3. Drainage and cobblestone installation in the yard.

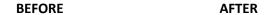
CONCLUSION

In general, it was a very productive and beneficial activity for the community. The work showed the solidarity that still exists between people.

RECOMMENDATION

It is necessary to conclude the refurbishment works of the convent for how much is an establishment that benefits the community; also, its facilities could be used for future meetings of the inhabitants.

PHOTOS OF THE WORKS CARRIED OUT





CONVENT BEFORE THE INTERVENTION

The pictures below show the condition of the walls and floor before the repair work.



Photo: Convent facilities with plastered walls faults



Photos: Volunteers working on the walls.





Photo: Stucco walls of the convent





Photos: Women from the community cleaning the rooms





Photo: Process of the activities



CONVENT AFTER THE ACTIVITIES







