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# NEWSLETTER

## CONSTRU CASA



### **BUILDING. WE TRANSFORM LIVES IN GUATEMALA**

Thank you for your invaluable support this last quarter! Your generosity and dedication have been fundamental to our work. We invite you to continue building a better future together.



### **OUR WORK IN ACTION**

We are thrilled to have welcomed Paul Hendrik, representative of Wild Geese, to our community. His visit has served as a reminder of the progress we have achieved and the importance of the projects we are currently working on, projects in which Wild Geese has been a fundamental part. During his time with us, we had the opportunity to visit previous constructions, bringing us immense joy when observing how they have improved the lives of so many families. We are excited about what the future holds and greatly appreciate Paul and his team's continued support in our efforts to create a brighter future for Guatemala.





# OUR WORK IN ACTION



We are thrilled to share that we had the privilege of hosting Sergio Said, the representative of SELAVIP! During his visit, he had the opportunity to visit constructions financed by SELAVIP and was deeply impressed by our commitment and professionalism. His enthusiasm for collaborating with our upcoming project fills us with satisfaction and reinforces our mission of building dignified homes and changing lives. Additionally, during this visit, an agreement was signed between SELAVIP and Construcasa, a significant milestone that strengthens our partnership and commitment to working together on future projects. We are very grateful for SELAVIP's support and look forward to the positive impact this partnership will bring to our communities. Let's continue building a better future, together!

## NEW PROJECT UNDERWAY

We are very happy to announce that, in collaboration with SELAVIP, we will be constructing 25 new homes in La Paz, in the department of Retahuleu! This project marks a significant step in our mission to provide dignified homes to families in need.

We are looking forward to work together with SELAVIP and make the dream of these 25 families come true... to have a safe place to call home!



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# Goals for 2024: Building Dreams and Strong Communities



## Strengthening the Team: Driving the Road to Our Goals in 2024

In our ongoing commitment to achieve the goals we have set for ourselves in 2024, we recognize the fundamental importance of strengthening our team at Constru Casa. This year, we have embarked on a significant initiative: the implementation of workshops and other strategic activities focused on planning, monitoring, evaluation, and learning; teambuilding, and mindfulness. These workshops are not just training sessions, but an opportunity to cultivate an environment where every team member feels valued, comfortable, and heard; uses constructive communication; can grow personally and professionally; feels a sense of belonging, and internalizes the mission of Constru Casa. The activities are designed to go beyond traditional training, aiming to nurture a collective sense of purpose and commitment.

## Construction of 75 Homes and 7 CPCs:

In this exciting year of 2024, Constru Casa has set forth an ambitious and meaningful goal that reflects our unwavering commitment to building a brighter future for Guatemalan communities.

Our main objective is to build 75 homes and establish 7 Community Development Centers (CDCs) this year. These are not just buildings or simple structures; they are shelters that will offer stability and security, enabling communities to forge a prosperous future; and be engines of development. We aim to empower communities by creating better conditions for education and healthcare services. Every brick we lay is a tangible step towards a better quality of life and the promotion of hope.



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# An Alliance for Progress:

Constru Casa is pleased to announce the signing of a significant agreement with the Carlos F. Novella Foundation. This alliance, which has endured for 19 years, has been instrumental in our efforts to improve living conditions in Guatemala. Thanks to this collaboration, we have been able to provide dignified housing and community development programs to hundreds of Guatemalans living in extreme poverty. We sincerely appreciate the trust and ongoing commitment, which have been essential pillars in our endeavor for a more prosperous and equitable Guatemala.

## Alliances



We are convinced that our goals cannot be achieved alone. Therefore, we are dedicating significant efforts to maintaining existing and creating new partnerships. Each new partnership is a strengthened link in our chain of solidarity. We aim to join forces with individuals, businesses, and organizations that share our vision of a world where every family has a dignified home.

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# Let us unite to build a better future in Guatemala with unity and collaboration.



*Handing over of the house to the family of Doña Irma Yol in 2023*

## LET'S BUILD TOGETHER A FUTURE OF HOPE

In conclusion, we emphasize the crucial importance of ongoing support of Construcción Casa's mission. Every contribution, whether financial or through volunteering, is essential in building homes and fulfilling dreams for Guatemalan families. We invite every member of our community to join this inspiring journey and share this newsletter with friends and family.

## BE PART OF OUR VOLUNTEER PROGRAM

Join Construcción Casa as a volunteer and make a difference in the communities most in need. With your help, we can build safe and dignified homes for those in need. Every hand counts, every smile shared, and every effort done adds up to create a better world.



*Hannie and Win visiting ecofiltro*

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