



The Sheila V. Mission

SVM ReDesign Your Life America

Housing the Homeless
Feeding the Hungry ☸ Healing the Sick
Counseling, Training & Employing ☸ People in Need
Under One Roof



Executive Summary

SVM ReDesign Your Life America is a non-profit organization offering a place of refuge, reform and reintegration for individuals, single parent and veteran families on the verge of homelessness, suffering from poverty or displaced by natural disasters.

More than 150 military installations in the United States and its territories have been returned to their states by the Department of Defense since 1995. Re-establishing those base communities will cost less than \$15 billion over a 10 year period and create more than 3 million new business owners and jobs. By converting an abandoned military base or similarly gated property into a town-size compound of several small communities, SVM's program participants will be able to receive the housing, food, medical treatment, counseling, training and employment they're needed within a single structured environment, as opposed to the already random placement of social services over miles of cities, large and small.

Each family of 4 living below the poverty line is eligible for over \$200k in private, foundation and government funding. The plan is to implement a series of 2 year programs designed to formally educate its participants on how to master life skills for creating healthy, wealthy and worldly lifestyles. Using the funds to which they are eligible, participants will be educated on how-to maintain a positive home life environment, capitalize on their economic strengths, and build success in business. The next phase will be to increase job performance and diversify their work experience through intensive business management courses that will support their vocational training. To further real life experience, outsource their labor and services for real world application. Overall, program participants will be contributing to the rise and success of their own, as well as, the nation's economy while sustaining the financial independence and economic growth of the base communities.

Upon completion of their two-year program cycles, participants, newly confident and skilled, will reintegrate into a community of their choosing with unlimited access to SVM team support, a business plan, source of funding and permanent housing. Our goal is to implement SVM's program plans nationwide until poverty no longer exists.

The U.S. Senate Committee on Appropriations Summary: Fiscal Year 2012 Transportation, Housing and Urban Development (THUD), and Related Agencies Appropriations FY 2011 Enacted Total Resources of \$109.6 billion in funding for programs all inclusive within the SVM project plan.

Consideration for support from The U.S. Environmental Protection Agency (EPA), Defense Department's Realignment and Closure program (BRAC), National Foundation Advisory Group for Ending Homelessness and U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) will aide SVM in its efforts to qualify for over \$950 million in public and private funding also available for likeminded projects.

An optimal plan for dedicated resources, SVM's designed infrastructure also includes significant roles for Iraq and Afghanistan Veterans, development of new communities to the behest of President Obama's plans for energy, healthcare and education reform and assured success for business and non-profit establishments contracted to support the needs of the mission. Headquartered in St. Thomas, US Virgin Islands; the locations being considered to launch our pilot program is in San Diego, California with a 2nd possible location in Puerto Rico.

Fully operational, the SVM ReDesign Your Life America program plan can be the "one-size-fits-all" model used to end extreme poverty on a global scale and your support will ensure its success.