Report on the Resettlement Project -The New Santa Rosa Community, Poptun.

Poptun, Peten, Guatemala







<u>Technical Information:</u> Resettlement Project Santa Rosa Community.

<u>Location:</u> Santa Rosa, Adjacency Zone administered by Belize.

<u>Place of resettlement:</u> Finca La Esmeralda, Poptún, El Petén, Guatemala.

Beneficiaries: 17 families (102 persons).

Phase I: 01st August, 2006.

Phase II: 19th November, 2007

Phase III: 15th April, 2008.

Components of the Project:

- Census of Population, Phase I.
- Organization of Community, Phase I.
- Identification, evaluation and acquisition of land, Phase I.
- Constitution of Trust (Bank), Phase II.
- Construction of Housing, Phase II.
- Infrastructure Potable water and drainage system, Phase II.
- Transfer of Beneficiaries (3 stages: January, February and April), Phase II.
- Support for agricultural labour: reaping of last crop, Phase II.
- Construction of School, Phase II.
- Construction of Multi Purpose Community Center. (Under construction)
- Construction of Recreational and Sports Area for the Children and Youth. (Under construction)
- Parcelling out and Titles of 17 parcels of arable land. (Not finalized)
- Drawing and award of property to beneficiaries of Primary Forest Reserve with natural water fountain and precious lumber, Phase II. (Not finalized)

Parcels for cultivation 17 families			
	Manzanas	Acres	Hectares
Total	235.02	407.62	165.25

Water Project Forest Reserve Zone				
	Manzanas	Acres	Hectares	
	5.08	8.82	3.58	
Forest Reserve				
	Manzanas	Acres	Hectares	
Total	104.02	180.41	73.14	

Housing and Community Zone			
DESCRIPTION OF	Manzanas	Acres	Hectares
	4.32	7.50	3.04

Total Area of the Land				
- VIII 1	Manzanas	Acres	Hectares	
ALC: NO THE REAL PROPERTY.	348	603.56	244.69	



Commencement date for the construction of 17 houses: 17th of November, 2007



Outlining of central street



Construction of walls



Rear view of construction



Front view of construction



Labouring in the night hours



Forest at Finca La Esmeralda



Houses in the process of construction:



Construction of house in final phase



Construction of house in final phase





Interior doors



Roofing of houses with electric wiring



Installing entrance door





Dismantling of former house



Support from Human Rights, Guatemala



Former housing



Military support from Belize and Guatemala



Dismantling of former house



Transfer of belongings





Panoramic view of Old Santa Rosa



House of one of the beneficiaries



View of former house at Old Santa Rosa Adj. Zone



Finished housing



Former house



Present house





Former house of Leonzo Ramírez



Former house of Ramiro Gómez



Former house of Pedro Pascual



Present house awarded to Leonzo Ramírez



Present house awarded to Ramiro Gómez



Present house awarded to Pedro Pascual



Panoramic View of former school at Santa Rosa, Adjacency Zone







Panoramic view of new school at New Santa Rosa, Poptún, Petén, Guatemala





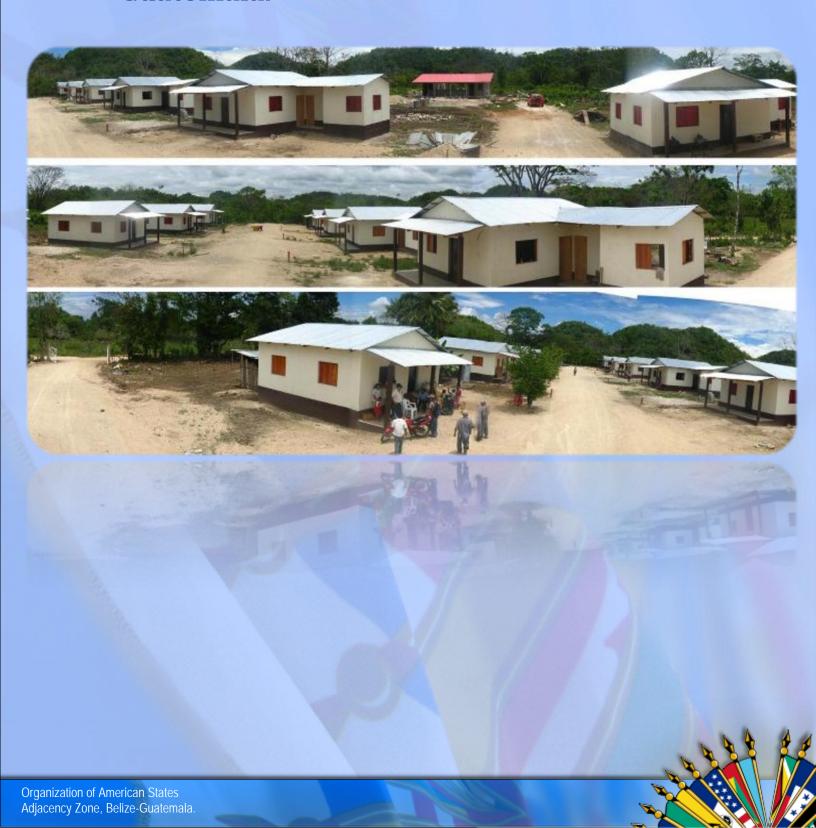




Panoramic view of Old Santa Rosa in the Adjacency Zone



Panoramic view of the Resettled Community, the New Santa Rosa, Poptún, Guatemala.



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