

Summary of August 2007 Meeting

Ten members of the C&MA Men's Ministry National Leadership Team (NLT) met August 17-18, in St. Louis, MO. The following is a summary of the actions taken:

- Welcomed new members to the NLT from the Hmong, Spanish Eastern and Puerto Rican districts.
- Established a budget based on spending patterns over the last three years and anticipated expenses for standing up the Alliance Construction Team (ACT).
- Defined three areas of focus: leadership training and Alliance Construction Team (Act) (domestic service) and overseas short-term mission projects.
- Established a framework for a business plan.
- Received a report on the Alliance Construction Team. We need three more men to complete the ACT Board of Advisors.
- Approved editorial changes to the men's ministry constitution as a result of moving the constitution under the Church Ministries Policy and Procedures Manual.
- Addressed handling of translated website articles for ethnic districts.
- Addressed methods for improving communications.
- Discussed establishing an annual theme.
- Set dates for next NLT meeting and National Leadership Forum: Feb 8-10, 2008. Location TBD.