

## STRATEGIC ALIGNMENT

Mobilize 2.0 led to the creation of our territorial vision statement:

“We are an innovative partner, mobilized to share hope wherever there is hardship, building communities that are just and know the love of Jesus.”

The vision helps us know where we are heading and the three-step framework (Learning the Vision, Living the Vision and Leading the Vision) helps us get there together.

**Now is the time to strategically align your efforts and energies to realize our territorial vision in a local context through this framework:**

### Three steps for local ministry expression:

1. **Learning the Vision:** Learn the vision statement, but also understand how we journeyed together in prayer and searched Scripture to discern God’s vision for us. It’s a vision we share as a territory.
2. **Living the Vision:** Consider your local context and discover what the territorial vision will look like when achieved in your community. We can assess and adjust our front-line activities as needed to align with achieving the vision where we are.
3. **Leading the Vision:** Determine an action plan that will bring the vision to life in your local context. The territory’s strategic plan with its four pillars will provide a guide to developing a local action plan.

Area commanders, supported by Mobilize 2.0 Change Champions in each division, are prepared to support local ministry unit leaders in leading their teams through these three steps.

Ministry units already set yearly goals as well as action steps to realize the goals. Mobilize 2.0 is not asking something new, but simply aligning our vision with those methods. It is encouraging all of us to open ourselves to a deepening understanding and relationship with God. We want to invite him to do a new thing in us individually and in our ministries.

A ministry is successful when it effectively lives out the mission and vision of The Salvation Army in a local setting.

