THE TERRITORIAL STRATEGY, 2021

A roadmap to vision for The Salvation Army in Canada and Bermuda



STRATEGIC PILLAR: STRENGTHEN SPIRITUAL HEALTH

Strategic Objective

- 1.1 Our Christian faith pathways result in robust and authentic discipleship
- 1.2 Our ministry units are places of holiness and spiritual vibrancy

1.3 Our communities of faith are flourishing

Strategic Initiative

- 1.1.1 Create opportunities that support faith discovery and discipleship growth
- 1.1.2 Enhance, learn and embody best practices that lead to a deeper life of faith in action
- 1.2.1 Implement innovative changes that will develop (attract, retain and grow) the body of believers in all expressions of our ministry
- 1.2.2 Intentionally apply spiritual growth strategies in all ministry expressions
- 1.2.3 Institute changes in spiritual care to support spiritual vibrancy and connections across our faith communities
- 1.3.1 Develop and deliver ways to better equip individuals to live out the Great Commandment and Great Commission in their communities
- 1.3.2 Implement changes that reinforce the connections between local ministry expressions



STRATEGIC PILLAR: DESIGN FOR PEOPLE

Strategic Objective

- 2.1 Driven by Christian love and principles, we are a welcoming movement for all
- 2.2 Our human relations systems equip people to best deliver and support mission
- 2.3 Our culture encourages innovation that enables a strong, sustainable, growing movement

- # Strategic Initiative
- 2.1.1 Develop and implement approaches that support equitable, diverse, just and inclusive communities
- 2.2.1 Prioritize and implement consistent, integrated improvements to people systems and processes
- 2.3.1 Strengthen a values-based culture that fosters accountability, innovation and performance excellence
- 2.3.2 Prioritize and implement development programs for people throughout the movement
- 2.3.3 Implement new strategies to attract, retain and build soldiership and officership strength



STRATEGIC PILLAR: FORGE INNOVATIVE PARTNERSHIPS

Strategic Objective

3.1 Internal processes support mission

3.2 Strategic partnerships serve mission goals

3.3 We pursue knowledge and understanding of spiritual and social issues to develop solutions, ideas and thought leadership

Strategic Initiative

- 3.1.1 Establish a formal internal communications function
- 3.1.2 Improve collaboration across support teams to realize better mission outcomes
- 3.1.3 Improve collaboration across delivery teams to realize better mission outcomes
- 3.2.1 Implement consistent, effective practices for resource and funding partnerships that strengthen sustainable programs
- 3.2.2 Actively seek out partnerships where we are not the primary service provider
- 3.2.3 Enhance government relationship approaches at all levels
- 3.3.1 Enhance research functions that can inform and strengthen our public policy positions on broader service provision and social issues
- 3.3.2 Develop and amplify a strategic Christian voice to influence society, including public policy

STRATEGIC PILLAR: OPTIMIZE MISSION IMPACT

Strategic Objective

- 4.1 Our personal and corporate lives of faith are transforming influences in our communities
- 4.2 The focusing of ministry efforts places us where we are most needed and can be most effective
- 4.3 Our mission delivery and support models strengthen our ministry expressions' ability to focus on effective, holistic mission impact

Strategic Initiative

- 4.1.1 Develop and implement tools that support us in more meaningfully permeating and serving communities
- 4.1.2 Deliver improved community engagement training for all leadership teams
- 4.2.1 Implement a mission impact measurement, risk and funding framework that supports intentional investment and resource allocation decisions
- 4.2.2 Review and implement changes to our social services profile across the territory
- 4.2.3 Review and implement changes to our corps profile across the territory
- 4.3.1 Enhance mission effectiveness by implementing coordinated changes to delivery and support processes
- 4.3.2 Implement the information technology roadmap in support of mission priorities
- 4.3.3 Develop strategies that better allocate investments in property to more effectively serve mission needs



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