

**COMMUNITY RENEWAL INTERNATIONAL presents the
AFRICAN RENEWAL SUMMIT - MARCH 22-24, 2010**

“Restoring a Caring Africa”

Monday, March 22, 2010

9:00 am **Summit begins**
Registration for Delegates
Continental Breakfast for Summit Delegates

10:00-11:30 am **KEYNOTE SPEAKER:**
Mary Landrieu, U.S. Senator, Louisiana
Lunch for Summit Delegates at the Convention Center
“Introduction to Community Renewal”

12:00 noon
1:00-2:30 pm
3:00-4:30 pm Special Workshops: Choose One:
- Haven House/Caring Stations
- Renewal Team
- Friendship House

6:00 pm Dinner for Summit Delegates
7:00 pm **KEYNOTE SPEAKER:**
African Community Renewal Dialog
Dr. Valentin Miafo-Donfack, Dir. of International Relationships, CRI
Jean Nkengsa, Coordinator, African Community Renewal, Cameroon



Mary Landrieu
U.S. Senator



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Dr. Paul Fokam
President and Chairman
Afriland First Bank



Mack McCarter
Founder and Coordinator,
Community Renewal

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3:00-4:30 pm CRI Tours - CRI Staff (Certification Track)
4:30-5:55pm Free Time
Can arrange individual conferences with Mack McCarter

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Wednesday, March 24, 2010

9:00 am Continental Breakfast for Summit Delegates
10:00-11:30 am **KEYNOTE SPEAKER: Mack McCarter**,
Founder and Coordinator, Community Renewal International
12:00 noon **Summit Ends**

Summit details are subject to change, please check CRI website for latest information.

You are officially invited to the 2010
**Community Renewal International
AFRICAN RENEWAL SUMMIT**



“Restoring a Caring Africa”

March 22-24, 2010
Shreveport Convention Center
Shreveport, Louisiana

**Come learn the model of
Community Renewal for your community!**

**Learning how to partner together to
make the world safe and caring for all.**

For more information, please contact
Claudia Oliver, Summit Chairwoman
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**AFRICAN
RENEWAL SUMMIT**

Register online at www.CommunityRenewal.us - or complete this registration form and mail to:
P. O. Box 4678; Shreveport, LA 71134 USA - deadline for registration is February 19, 2010.

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Phone: (____) _____ E-mail: _____

of Delegates _____ @ \$250 per Delegate = \$ _____

Check Enclosed (payable to Community Renewal International)

Credit Card

Card Type: Visa Master Card Other: _____

Card Number: _____ Exp. Date: _____

For hotel reservations call **1-800-HILTONS**, or go online to www.shreveport.hilton.com
Hilton Hotel Shreveport • 104 Market Street • Shreveport, LA 71101 USA
Phone: 318.698.0900 • Fax: 318.698.0515 - **Reservations must be made by Feb 26, 2010**
Rooms Available at the Summit Rate of: \$109 + 13.1% tax per night single/double occupancy
Use the group/convention code **“NEW”** in order to receive this discounted group rate.



PRE-SUMMIT BLITZ BUILD

Arrive early and join with scores of individuals and groups from throughout the United States and Africa as we work to build two new homes in Northwest Louisiana that will provide new opportunities for families to have a safe, decent place to live. The Pre-Summit Blitz Build is arranged through the Fuller Center for Housing.

Monday, March 15 - Sunday, March 21, 2010

Cost: \$25



Linda Fuller
Co-Founder, Habitat for Humanity
and The Fuller Center for Housing

The Fuller Center for Housing is a non-profit, ecumenical Christian housing ministry dedicated to eliminating poverty housing worldwide. By forming partnerships with local organizations, The Fuller Center provides structure, guidance and support that communities need to build and repair homes for the impoverished among them.

“Since I started sharing information to various groups about the Summit, the Pre-Summit component is getting a lot of attention. Those who will be traveling from African nations see this as a unique opportunity to ‘give something to America, that has it all’. While those living in the USA want to ‘give back to America, that gave them all’.”

- Dr. Valentin Miafo-Donfack

For housing and Pre-Summit Blitz Build information, contact:
Lee Jeter, info@FullerCenterNWLA.org

AFRICAN RENEWAL SUMMIT

ACRE, the Africa outreach initiative of Community Renewal International, is a nonprofit organization renewing lives by rebuilding caring relationships that restore healthy communities. Founded in 1994, after more than a decade of planning, CRI is today an international model for all cities looking to bring renewal to their communities. The answer lies in a simple rule of life: give positive, committed and intentional attention to a human relationship and it will grow stronger and stronger. Working with caring partners from all walks of life, ACRE renews the spirit of service, compassion and cooperation in every segment of the community.

ACRE STRATEGY has three initiatives:

- **The African Renewal Team** brings together individuals, businesses, faith groups, civic groups and other nonprofit organizations as caring partners to build compassionate African communities.
- ACRE trains volunteers (Caring Officers) to start and/or run **Caring Stations** in a small target area where they live. Caring Officers encourage, notice, track, investigate, document and reward all caring acts in a targeted neighborhood. A caring station may start and supervise caring patrols, our mobile units of caring.
- **Friendship Houses** are homes built in very low-income communities and lived in by ACRE staff families who help turn impoverished neighborhoods into havens of hope, working in partnership with all the stakeholders. Each house contains a large community room where people can meet for social activities, healthcare discussions, agriculture classes, adult learning programs, civic education, Bible studies, computer training and much more.



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