

Thanks to the funds of the major international donors, mainly the Humanitarian Office (ECHO) and the other co-operation for development budget lines of the European Union, many international NGOs are today working in Central America to promote a human development process which targets the most vulnerable groups (refugees, displaced people, disabled persons, children, small rural producers).

The reconstruction and development strategy should be based on the following principles:

1. The local governments and the representatives of the civil society should co-operate towards the identification, the assessment and the implementation of reconstruction and development programmes.

2. The protection of the environment, the growth of production and the correct management of the territory should be the essential criteria of the new development strategies.

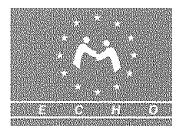
3. National and international legislation should be adapted to the new needs related to sustainable development.

The role of local communities is essential, not only to guarantee a transparent management of funds and the quality of the achieved results, but also because an active participation from the community is necessary to reduce disaster vulnerability and to improve the capacity in managing unavoidable natural disasters.

The great challenge of reconstruction and development has already been launched and pulling it off is not impossible.

**Han colaborado con ECHO las siguientes ONGs:
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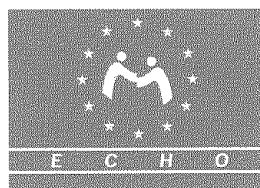
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Post-Mitch campaign promoted by several European NGOs and financed by ECHO
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