

Mobilizing the Future Frequently Asked Questions



Why is SEND selling the Michigan campus?

The rationale is both strategic and financial. Strategic: moving gives us freedom to innovate and collaborate in new ways. Financial: our property is only fully utilized 30% of the entire year and costs approximately \$150,000 annually to maintain. And because our facilities are aging, the capital costs for maintenance and upgrades will continue to increase significantly.

Where is SEND looking to move?

Listing the property for sale is the first step in allowing us the freedom to explore and pray about where God would have us move. Our desire is to be in collaborative workspace that allows for innovation, creativity and connection with current and future partners. An internal team will be tasked with scoping potential locations and ensuring we have the workspace needed to fulfill our mission.

What will happen to the International Office?

The International Office is a geographically dispersed team with some team members physically present in Detroit. Any new office space will make accommodations for International Office staff as well as visitors.

Is the entire campus being sold or just a portion of it?

SEND has 11 acres of property including residential homes and commercial offices that will be listed for purchase. We will consider reasonable offers for partial sale of the property.

Does selling the campus compromise SEND's ability to effectively select and train missionary candidates?

No. The selection and training of candidates does not require a campus setting and in fact, better positions the organization to look at training in new and innovative ways that utilize technology, collaborations, and partnerships.

Will this move impact donations to missionaries?

The move of our campus will not impact donations to your missionary. We will continue to process and distribute those donations in the most effective way possible.