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HOLLAND, MI HOSTS MOBILITY WORLDWIDE'S ANNUAL CONFERENCE

Mobility Worldwide, an international humanitarian Christian charity that builds specialized wheelchair-carts for those living in the developing world, will be conducting its annual conference in Holland, MI September 29 – October 1, 2022. The West MI Affiliate, located in Holland, is hosting this year's conference at the Third Reformed Church, 111 W. 13th St., Holland, MI 49423.

As many as one hundred attendees from Mobility Worldwide's 24 affiliates throughout the US, Africa and Cambodia will participate in the event to discuss strategy, Mobility Cart upgrades, and expansion of services and programs to those who are unable to walk and live in low- and middle-income countries.

Mobility Worldwide uses an extensive workforce of volunteers in Holland, MI, and other locations to build their sturdy wheelchair carts. The charity then partners with international NGOs to distribute the carts to those in need. The sturdy carts are designed to go where conventional wheelchairs cannot and are ideal for those living in rural areas where roads are non-existent or in disrepair.



An 11-year-old boy from Bali, Indonesia enjoys his Mobility Cart.

The World Health Organization (WHO) reports that there are 70-million people in the world who need a wheelchair with many of them living in the least developed countries. Those who do receive a wheelchair are often getting a device that is not suited to the user's environment. That is where Mobility Carts operate best with their heavy-duty steel frame and puncture proof tires.

ABOUT MOBILITY WORLDWIDE:

Mobility Worldwide first began as the P.E.T. Project in 1994. Nearly 100,000 Mobility Carts have been distributed in 104 countries since its founding. Carts are built at one of twenty-four production facilities located throughout the USA, Cambodia, Sierra Leone, Zambia, and Liberia. Carts are donated to distribution partners who oversee the shipping, importation and assessment of beneficiaries and then given free of charge to those in need. Mobility Worldwide (an initiative of PET International, Inc.) is a tax-exempt 501 (C) (3) NGO/charity with a mission to *reflect the love of God by bringing mobility and dignity to those in developing countries who are unable to walk.*

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