

FORERUNNER COMPANY STRUCTURE INCLUDES GIVING BACK TO SOCIETY

In our first article, I wanted to touch briefly about our unique structure of our company.

Since its inception, Forerunner Recycling decided to earmark all monetary proceeds from scrap collected to a non-profit to give back to society. Probably 90% of all equipment that is received by Forerunner is deemed scrap. The equipment is disassembled locally, breaking it down to where we can sell it as scrap metals. What makes this arrangement even more unique is that we house the non-profit that we give the proceeds to, giving it free rent, utilities, and the proceeds of the scrap.

I also wanted to take just a moment to highlight the non-profit that we support. The organization is named **Missions International**, run by a wonderful man named **Ron Bryant**. I have known Ron for several years now, even before we started Forerunner Recycling. Ron has made it his life calling to feed the poor, both locally and abroad. In his younger days, while living in the greater Phoenix area, Ron would collect trailer loads of food from supermarkets with little assistance. Once collected, Ron would shuttle the food across the border to Mexico. Ron bypassed most bureaucratic red tap other organization had to deal with and just concerned himself with feeding the poor. To this day, 25 years later, wherever Ron is he is about the business of feeding the poor.

Starting this year, Ron will begin sending containers of food to other nations, staying true, but expanding his vision in feeding the poor. It is a great honor for Forerunner to play a small part in help Missions International. If you would like to talk to Ron feel to contact us at Forerunner Recycling and we put you in touch with him.

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