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On the morning of Saturday, July 22, fourteen members of Architecture for Humanity Minnesota met at the LAO Cultural Center for a design charrette focused on improvements to the group's existing building and site. Participants divided into four groups to focus on specific design issues: site, exterior building, interior building, and sustainability. After a morning of working and discussion with several LAO community members, everyone shared a meal of traditional food, and presented their drawings and ideas.

The Lao Advancement Organization of America builds upon the strengths and traditions of Lao culture, to give Lao families in Minnesota, and in the United States the tools they need to succeed in their new homeland.



LAO America Community Center - Minneapolis,  
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