

## Bridges to Prosperity, El Rodeo

El Rodeo, Nicaragua

### Project Description

Volunteers from Flatiron, Turner construction and McNary Bergeron joined local villagers to construct a 50-meter suspension bridge in El Rodeo, Nicaragua, a remote, rural community of approximately 1,000 residents. Prior to construction of the bridge, villagers hiked three to five hours to safely cross the river, which is impassable during the rainy season.

### Owner

Town of El Rodeo, Nicaragua

### Contractor

Bridges to Prosperity Flatiron Turner McNary Bergeron

### Designer

Bridges to Prosperity

### Our Role

Mike Jennings and Thomas Bang of McNary Bergeron were on site for the construction of superstructure of the El Rodeo Project. The bridge also used details from the typical Bridges to Prosperity Suspension Bridge designs that were developed with help from McNary Bergeron's Jeremy Johannesen.

### Total Contract Value

N/A

### Timeline

2012

### Construction Method and Specifications

50 meter suspension Bridge

