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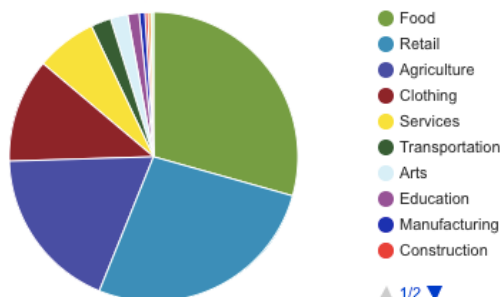
Doña Alicia is a woman who is very hardworking and friendly, and is an important part of the group. She lives with her husband José. Together they have two children, who now have children of their own. All of them are very proud to belong to such a traditional community. Doña Alicia and her group are requesting a loan of \$5,950 to buy bread, eggs, milk, sodas, detergent and canned goods for their grocery store. At the moment, Doña Alicia's only dream is to increase her sales in order to expand the store and fill the requests of customers.

This month, Cascade Investment Advisors decided to focus its microlending efforts to a group in Mexico.

Kiva has partnered with VisionFund Mexico to serve clients throughout Mexico that other Mexican microfinance institutions do not serve. The country has high interest rates due to the high cost of doing business, small loan sizes and the expansiveness of the country. VisionFund Mexico not only serves some of the most marginalized people, it also returns up to 25% of paid interest to clients who repay on time. Kiva lenders who fund VisionFund Mexico borrowers enable the institution to reach more marginalized communities otherwise not being served.

We made this loan because it gives rural, low-income families like Doña Alicia's group in Mexico a chance to work for a better future. Please join us in assisting developing world entrepreneurs by joining our Kiva team at Kiva.org.

Loans by Sector



Loans by Gender

