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**Fellowship of Companies for Christ
 Greater Hartford Chapter
 R HOUSE Restaurant
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- Opening prayer / praise reports
- Introductions
- Today's topic: **Making Repairs**

“And next unto them repaired...” Nehemiah 3 (throughout)

To repair = to bring back to good or usable condition; to make right, to remedy; to refresh or renew

The natural course of this fallen world is to go from order to disorder, to erode, decay, and break down. After last winter, and the accumulation of 30 years of existing, our home was in significant need or repair. To permit the erosion and decay to continue would be foolish. But, making repairs is hard work, expensive, and takes time. So it is with our personal and business lives. So it is with our businesses. We touched upon this a few meetings ago, when we discussed the importance of maintenance. Today, we're going to drill a bit deeper into the process of making repairs:

- Recognition of the need for, and potential of, repairs.
- Vision of what to repair, how to repair, and hoped-for outcome.
- Collection of resources and tools to implement repairs.
- Action/flow plan for implementation.
- Gradual, day by day implementation.
- Response to unexpected obstacles and challenges.
- Completion...for now!

Now, think of the foundation and walls of your existing organization:

- Core purpose
- Strategic & Tactical Plan
- Research & Development
- Sales, Marketing, Customer Service
- Human Resources
- Production
- Finance & Accounting
- Administrative & Legal
- Facilities

Evaluate yourself from 1 (weak) to 10 (strong) in terms of integrity as it relates to making repairs?	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	10
Why did you give yourself this rating?										
What benefits might you enjoy by becoming wiser in this area?										
What specific actions can you take to become wiser in this area?										

- Next meetings here on November 2 and 16 @ 7:30 am; Terence Chatmon visit on November 15-16
- Upcoming events
- Closing prayer