



## NALEO NEWS

National Association of Latino Elected and Appointed Officials

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### **NALEO Board Elects New Board Members and Board Leadership**

*The NALEO Board of Directors continues its history of representing the political, cultural, and regional diversity of the Latino community*

**LOS ANGELES, CA** — The National Association of Latino Elected and Appointed Officials (NALEO) announced the election of six new Board members, and the unanimous re-election of its President, Sylvia R. Garcia, Chair of the Houston Independent Police Oversight Board. The Board members were elected at the organization's Board of Directors Meeting on June 26 in San Antonio, Texas following the group's 28<sup>th</sup> Annual Conference.

Those new members elected to the NALEO Board of Directors include: Santa Fe Councilor Carmichael Dominguez (New Mexico); New York Councilmember Julissa Ferreras (New York); Arizona State Representative Catherine Miranda; Edinburg School Board Member Robert Peña (Texas); Miami-Dade County School Board Member Raquel Regalado (Florida); and Arlington Deputy Mayor Pro Tem Robert Rivera (Texas). Additionally, California State Senator Alex Padilla was elected Vice President; City of Aventura Commissioner Luz Urbaz Weinberg was elected Treasurer; and Edinburg School Board Member Robert Peña was elected Secretary.

"I am proud that this board of directors continues to reflect the diversity and high caliber of Latino policymakers who serve our nation," said NALEO President Sylvia R. Garcia. "I look forward to working with our members across the country as they work on the front lines to strengthen our communities and our nation," she concluded.

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#### **About NALEO**

The National Association of Latino Elected and Appointed Officials is the leadership organization of the nation's more than 6,000 Latino elected and appointed officials.