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**NALCAB Welcomes New Members to Expanded Board,  
Announces New Executive Committee**  
*National Latino Advocacy Group Poised for Growth in 2023*

(SAN ANTONIO, TX) – The National Association for Latino Community Asset Builders (NALCAB) announces its 2023 Board of Directors, including four first-time board members. As the hub of a national network of nonprofits focused on economic mobility and investment in Latino communities across the US, NALCAB provides funding, training and policy advocacy that advance social and racial equity.

“2023 is shaping up to be a critical year for NALCAB and for our nation’s Latino communities and we are set to meet that challenge,” said Marla Bilonick, President & CEO of NALCAB. “We are thrilled to be expanding our board with four diverse and influential leaders that serve key Latino markets in Kansas City, New Orleans, St. Paul/Minneapolis and Miami.”

Two of the new board members are former fellows of the Pete Garcia Community Economic Development Fellowship, NALCAB’s signature leadership development program that helps prepare next-generation Latino leaders.

NALCAB’s New Board Members Include:

- **[Mileyka Burgos-Flores](#)** - CEO, [The Allapattah Collaborative, CDC](#)  
A Dominican-American activist and community organizer with a background in nonprofit management, strategic planning, resource development, communications, and community economic development. Pete Garcia Fellowship Alum.
- **[Henry Jiménez](#)** – Executive Director, [LEDC-MN](#)  
A recognized leader for state-wide programs and initiatives in Minnesota, his focus is on helping Latino entrepreneurs access the tools and support needed to start or expand their businesses.
- **[Lindsey Navarro](#)** – Executive Director, [El Centro](#)  
A well-established nonprofit financial services practitioner, she founded El Centro in 2018, as a nonprofit providing financial literacy and business training to the Latino community in south Louisiana. Pete Garcia Fellowship Alum.
- **[Pedro Zamora](#)** – Executive Director, [HEDC](#)  
After an extensive career in corporate America, he transitioned to the nonprofit sector as an entrepreneurial leader with established strengths in strategic planning, fundraising and financial management, marketing, organizational transition management, and board development.

Additional Board Members include:

- [Raul Raymundo](#) (**Chair**), CEO - The Resurrection Project
- [Shelly Marquez](#) (**Vice Chair**), President - Mercy Housing Mountain Plains
- [Pedro Ramos](#) (**Treasurer**), Senior Vice President - Jefferies LLC
- [Rafael Torres](#) (**Secretary**), Executive Director - Azteca Economic Development & Preservation Corporation
- [Ruby Azurdia-Lee](#), President - Comunidades Latinas Unidas en Servicio
- [Janie Barrera](#), President & CEO - LiftFund
- [Rose Garcia](#), Executive Director - Tierra del Sol Housing Corporation
- [Luis Granados](#), Executive Director - Mission Economic Development Agency
- [Fernando Lemos](#), Executive Director - Mi Casa, Inc.
- [Bea Stotzer](#), CEO - New Capital LLC

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#### **About [NALCAB](#)**

The National Association for Latino Community Asset Builders (NALCAB) is the hub of a national network of 200+ member organizations that are anchor institutions in geographically and ethnically diverse Latino communities in 46 states, Washington DC and Puerto Rico. NALCAB supports its member institutions through funding, training, research and advocacy, enabling them to invest in their communities by building affordable housing, ensuring equitable neighborhood development, supporting small business growth, and providing financial counseling on issues including credit building and homeownership. As a grantmaker and US Treasury certified CDFI lender with offices in San Antonio and Washington DC, the NALCAB Network serves hundreds of thousands of low- and moderate-income people, advancing economic equity and inclusivity in the communities we serve.