



NATIONAL
ASSOCIATION FOR
LATINO
COMMUNITY
ASSET
BUILDERS

For Immediate Release

July 10, 2024

NALCAB Contact:

Sharon Garcia, Director of Communications & Membership, 210.446.4282; sgarcia@nalcab.org

NALCAB Welcomes CPLC's Alicia Nuñez to Board of Directors

(SAN ANTONIO, TX) – The National Association for Latino Community Asset Builders ([NALCAB](https://www.nalcab.org)) is pleased to announce the appointment of [Alicia Nuñez](#), President and Chief Executive Officer at [Chicanos Por La Causa](#) (CPLC) to its Board of Directors.

With 30+ years of financial and operational management experience in both for-profit and nonprofit organizations, Alicia is the first woman to lead CPLC, having previously served in various leadership roles such as Director of Business Enterprises, President of CPLC Insurance, Inc., and Vice President of Accounting. Prior to joining CPLC in 2006, Alicia was Assistant Director of Finance for The Ritz Carlton, Huntington Hotel and Spa in Pasadena, California. She brings operational excellence and a deep commitment to community to the role of CEO, and we are thrilled to include her talent as a part of our Board. The addition of Alicia follows NALCAB's commitment to fostering diverse perspectives and strategic leadership within its organization.

NALCAB has enjoyed a longstanding relationship with Chicanos Por La Causa which includes prior involvement on our Board of Directors. Notably, NALCAB honored CPLC's longtime CEO, Pete Garcia, who passed away in 2017 as the namesake of NALCAB's signature leadership training program, the Pete Garcia Fellowship.

As the hub of a national network of 200+ nonprofits, NALCAB empowers Latino-led community development organizations to drive sustainable growth, create affordable housing, support entrepreneurship, and promote financial inclusion.

Alicia joins the ranks of NALCAB's esteemed Board of Directors listed below:

- [Duanne Andrade](#) – Executive Director, Solar and Energy Loan Fund (SELF)
- [Mileyka Burgos-Flores](#), CEO – The Allapattah Collaborative CDC
- [Vicky Garcia](#) – CEO, Latino Community Credit Union (LCCU)
- [Luis Granados](#), CEO - Mission Economic Development Agency (MEDA)
- [Henry Jimenez](#), President and CEO – Propel Nonprofits
- [Fernando Lemos](#), Executive Director - Mi Casa, Inc.
- [Shelly Marquez](#) (Vice Chair), President - Mercy Housing Mountain Plains
- [Lindsey Navarro](#), Executive Director – El Centro
- [Pedro Ramos](#) (Treasurer), Senior Vice President - Jefferies LLC
- [Raul Raymundo](#) (Chair), CEO - The Resurrection Project
- [Emi Reyes](#) – CEO, Latino Economic Development Center (LEDC)
- [Rafael Torres](#) (Secretary), Executive Director - Azteca Economic Development & Preservation Corporation
- [Pedro Zamora](#), Executive Director – Hispanic Economic Development Center

###

About [NALCAB](#)

The National Association for Latino Community Asset Builders (NALCAB) is the hub of a national network of 200+ member nonprofits that are anchor institutions in geographically and ethnically diverse Latino communities in 47 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, NALCAB serves hundreds of thousands of low- and moderate-income people, advancing economic equity and inclusivity.