



SCLARC
Board of Director's *Remote* Special Meeting
Tuesday, December 13, 2022
7:00-8:00pm

In following recommendations from the CDC, SCLARC is postponing all group meetings in response to the Corona Virus. This includes SCLARC's upcoming Board of Director's Meetings. If you know someone who was planning on attending the board meeting next week, please share this information with them.

“Zoom Meeting”
English/ Spanish

Hi there,

You are invited to a Zoom meeting that will be devoted to the selection of New Board Members.

When: Dec 13th, 2022, 07:00 PM Pacific Time (US and Canada)

Register in advance for this meeting:

<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/81453829207?pwd=dkFSTFc5RjYwZDc3ZzFIYnhPckJMUT09>

After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the meeting.

Spanish Translator Available

Board Members Please Notify Adriana Aviles at (213) 744-8401 if you are not able to join the meeting.

Thank you

English Session	Sesión en Español (Spanish Session)
<p>Hi there,</p> <p>We recommend you use a laptop or Desktop PC, or a Mobile Device with the Zoom app installed in order to join our Zoom meeting.</p> <p>In order to minimize outside interruptions SCLARC is now requiring all participants to register to join the board of directors' meetings.</p> <p>When: Dec. 13th , 2022, 07:00 PM Pacific Time (US and Canada)</p> <p>Register in advance for this meeting: Join Zoom Meeting https://us06web.zoom.us/j/81453829207?pwd=dkFSTFc5RjYwZDc3ZzFIYnhPckJMUT09</p> <p>After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the meeting.</p> <p>*You may also call in to only hear the meeting, but you won't be able to interact or ask questions via phone.</p> <p>US: +1 669 444 9171 US Meeting ID: 814 5382 9207 Passcode: 872123</p> <p>If you can only join via phone call and have questions, please email them to sclarcinfo@gmail.com, or text to (323) 388-5580. Please include your name, callback number (if you wish to be contacted), and question.</p>	<p>Hola,</p> <p>Para unirse a la junta de Zoom se recomienda usar una computadora, o dispositivo móvil con la aplicación Zoom.</p> <p>Para evitar interrupciones SCLARC requiere que se registre simplemente haciendo clic en el enlace de abajo.</p> <p>Cuando: Diciembre 13, 2022 a las 7:00 PM Pacific Time (US and Canada).</p> <p>Regístrese por adelantado usando este enlace en su PC o dispositivo móvil Join Zoom Meeting https://us06web.zoom.us/j/81453829207?pwd=dkFSTFc5RjYwZDc3ZzFIYnhPckJMUT09</p> <p>Después de registrarse recibirá un correo electrónico con la información para unirse a la junta</p> <p>*También puede escuchar la junta solo por teléfono, pero no podrá interactuar o hacer preguntas por teléfono.</p> <p>US: +1 669 444 9171 US Meeting ID: 814 5382 9207 Passcode: 872123</p> <p>Si desea usar el teléfono, favor de mandar sus preguntas o comentarios por email a, sclarcinfo@gmail.com o vía texto a este número: (323) 388-5580. Por favor incluya su nombre, número de teléfono (si desea que se le contacte), y pregunta.</p>



**Board of Directors Meeting
South Central Los Angeles Regional Center**

**Tuesday, December 13, 2022
7:00pm – 8:00pm**

Zoom Meeting

Please use the [Zoom Meeting Link](#) below to register and join the meeting.

You are invited to a Zoom meeting.
When: Nov 15, 2022, 07:00 PM Pacific Time (US and Canada)

Register in advance for this meeting:
<https://us06web.zoom.us/j/81453829207?pwd=dkFSTFc5RjYwZDc3ZzFIYnhPckJMUOT09>

After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the meeting.

Traducción en español disponible
(Por favor vea las instrucciones adjuntas abajo en la página 2)

AGENDA

I. General

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| A. Call to Order and Roll Call | Jesus Murillo |
| B. Purpose for the meeting | Dexter Henderson |
| C. Public Input | Jesus Murillo |
| D. Presentation of Nominees | Ana DaSilva |
| a. Ascary Navarro Bio - <u>attachment</u> | |
| b. Sherita Rogers Bio - <u>attachment</u> | |
| c. Luz Curiel Bio - <u>attachment</u> | |
| E. Electronic Ballot voting (Ten minutes) <u>Sample Ballot</u> | |
| F. Announcement of Results | Jesus Murillo |
| G. Board Comments | |
| H. Adjournment | |

Mission Statement

SCLARC believes special needs deserve special attention. We are committed to the provision of culturally sensitive services which enhance the inherent strengths of the family and enable the individuals we serve to lead independent and productive lives.

- **Language interpretation available**

- This meeting will have simultaneous English/Spanish translation. Shortly we'll show you how to choose the language on your PC or mobile device app.

- **Traducción en español disponible**

- *Esta reunión tiene traducción simultánea de Inglés a Español. A continuación, le mostraremos como escoger el idioma en su computadora y aplicación móvil.*

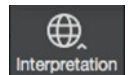
- **How to Choose a language on Zoom on a PC**

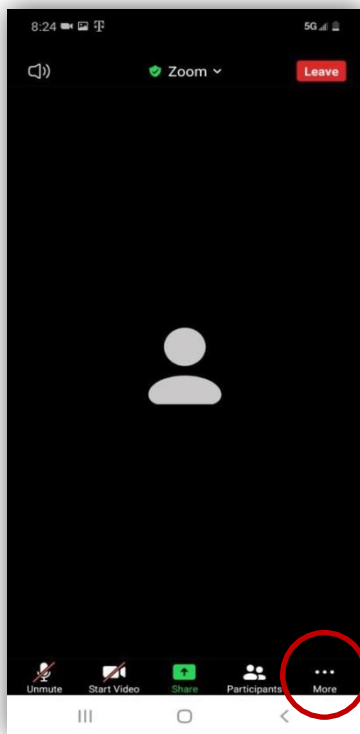
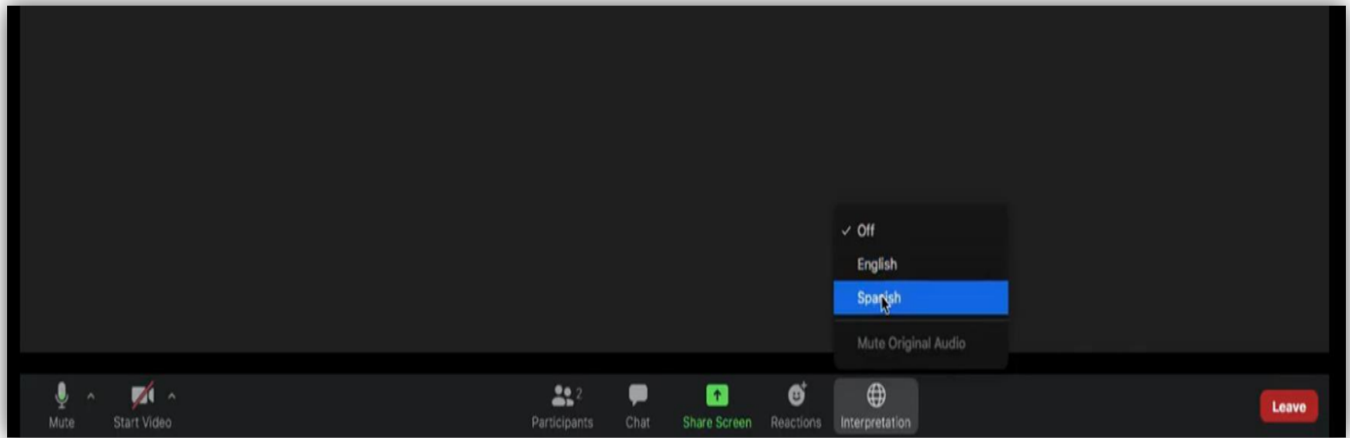
- *On the Zoom toolbar at the bottom click on the "Interpretation" icon, and choose your language, English or Spanish.*



- **Como escoger el idioma de Zoom en una computadora**

- *En la barra de opciones de abajo en Zoom haga click en el icono de "Interpretación" y seleccione su idioma, Inglés o Español.*



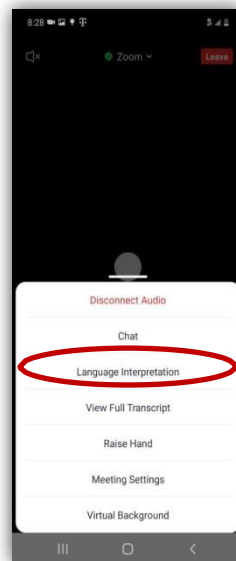


- **Choosing Zoom Language on a mobile device**
 - Tap on “More ●●●”, then tap on Language Interpretation and choose your language, English or Spanish, tap on Done to return to the main screen.

● ***Como escoger el idioma de Zoom en la aplicación móvil***

- *Toque el mas opciones, “Language seleccione su ingles o*

toque regresar a la pantalla



icono “More ●●●” para luego toque la opción Interpretation”, ahora idioma, español, finalmente “Done” para principal.



Third term, 1-year

Ascary Navarro

Currently, Mr. Navarro works as a Quality Assurance Specialist at Parenthood Partners and Family Services. Mr. Navarro has been active in the Advocate Advisory Committee as a member and secretary for four and a half years. He has also been active in the Board of Directors for 6 years and was recently elected as secretary for the board. Mr. Navarro is also a member of the Consumer Services Committee since 2019. Besides his roles in the above committees, he has also been a speaker at conferences from 2017 to 2019. He was a speaker at the “People First and Supported Life Conference” where he discussed joining the board and obtaining employment skills. One of his personal goals is to provide a voice for those who need to speak. Mr. Navarro hopes to better understand the community and the families by learning what is happening around them as well as providing quality support if needed. Another one of his main goals is to continue to help people and break stereotypes to move forward with progress. Ascary Navarro has served as a representative of the advocate group and has served as Board Secretary for two years.

Third term, 1-year

Sherita Rogers

Sherita Rogers currently works as an Inclusion Teacher creating awareness amongst the school community of inclusive practices which support all learners in the General Education Classroom setting for the Los Angeles Unified School District.

Ms. Rogers has sat on SCLARC's board for the past 6 years where she has become a more informed advocate for parents and learners within the high-needs population, including academically and socially challenged youth. In the past, Sherita has also worked for Culver City School District and Independent Living Services (ILS) programs as an assistant supervisor.

Ms. Rogers is a STEAM- based educator and vocal advocate who passionately promotes the rights and needs of individuals and families in the disability community and a proud member of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority.

First term, 3-year

Luz Curiel

My name is Luz Curiel, I am a parent at South Central Los Angeles Regional Center. My daughter, Olivia Curiel has been part of the Regional for 37 years.

During Olivia's school age years, I worked in sales to accommodate my schedule and be available to her. With the support of my husband and daughter (Olivia's only sister) I was able to build a successful business. In 2006, after losing my oldest brother to cancer I decided to leave the sales industry and focus on my family.

In 2007, I was presented with the opportunity to work as an Independent Living Skills Instructor. I felt that the experiences I had in navigating the system for support and generic resources would be of benefit to the field along with my personal experiences. I contemplated this position as I knew the importance of this job. Shortly after I started this position, I began to build relationships with the individuals we worked with and their families. I learned more from them than they did from me.

In 2011, I became a grandmother and took some time off to help my daughter. At this time, I built relationships with families and my daughter Olivia had made a new circle of friends. Olivia continued to be involved in peer groups.

Eight years ago, a group of parents and myself decided to create a group where our children could have a space to socialize and interact. Initially we named it Estrellas Brillantes, now known as Shining Stars. Shining Stars is a very active group in the city of Downey. We have built relationships with businesses to give us opportunities to hold our classes, karaoke, and parties. Shining Stars meets every Friday for Karaoke at Downey Dance Center. Throughout the year we have different themes Fiesta Mexicana, Luau, Dodger Night, Laker Night, Rock-n-roll, Mardi gras to mention a few. The participants enjoy dressing up. We have a Hip Hop group of dancers that compete twice per year in February and March. Hip Hop classes are every Wednesday. Shining Stars also attends a Long Beach Aquarium special event in January. In 2022, they had the opportunity to perform their Hip Hop routine. In February, Shining Stars has their Valentine's Day dance at Downey Woman's Club. During the summer we have our annual picnic. In June, we hold our Anniversary Dance also at Downey Woman's Club. Shining Stars has also been invited to participate at school carnivals to perform. They have danced at St. Dominic Savio Fall Fiesta and Our Lady of Perpetual Help school festival. In the fall, we have our Movie Day, Halloween Party, and Thanksgiving Dinner. December is our busiest month and most enjoyable. Starting with our Christmas Performance Recital. The city of Downey parade. Then our Christmas Party at Woman's Club where Santa is always a big hit. Lastly, we end the year with our Posada the third Friday of December. Our participants have the opportunity to participate in the traditional Posada. Shining Stars is a very active group throughout the year. The participants, families, and community has helped maintain this unity throughout the years.

SAMPLE



South Central Los Angeles
Regional Center

SCLARC Special Meeting Board Election Ballot December 13, 2022

1. Shall **Ascary Navarro** be elected to a **third term, 1-year** Board seat, effective **December 13th, 2022?**

Yes

No

2. Shall **Sherita Rogers** be elected to a **third term, 1-year** Board seat, effective **December 13th, 2022?**

Yes

No

3. Shall **Luz Curiel** be elected to a **first term, 3-year** Board seat, effective **December 13th, 2022?**

Yes

No

The above Ballot will be sent to you during the Board meeting to your email that SCLARC normally uses.

After the presentation of the Board Candidates, you will be asked to submit your emailed ballot to Adrianaa@sclarc.org