



## MANA Elects Three National Board Members

**January 6, 2020, Washington, DC** – MANA, A National Latina Organization has elected one returning Director and two new Directors to serve on the MANA National Board of Directors for a three-year term. The MANA National Board is responsible for the policy and strategic direction of the organization, founded in 1974. As the oldest and largest national Latina membership organization in the country with Chapters, Affiliates, Lifetime and individual members nationwide, MANA represents the interests of Latina women, youth and families on issues that impact our communities. MANA contributes the leading Latina voice on many of the major issues in the public sphere, and has developed initiatives aimed at both adults and students to cultivate an environment of learning and sharing of information across generations, to build sustainable communities.

The MANA national membership re-elected the following Director:  
**Catherine Arambula**, San Diego, CA – Western Region

The MANA national membership elected the following New Directors:  
**Andreanna K. Albott**, Topeka, KS – North Central Region  
**Leticia G. Trujillo**, Albuquerque, NM – South Central Region

They join the continuing members of the MANA National Board:  
**Celina Caprio**, San Diego, CA – Western Region  
**Jennifer Manzanares**, Santa Fe, NM – South Central Region  
**Michelle De La Isla**, Topeka, KS – North Central Region  
**Nichole Medina-Stone**, Santa Fe, NM – South Central Region  
**Michelle Diaz-Agha**, San Diego, CA – Western Region  
**Michelle Cuevas-Stubblefield**, Topeka, KS – North Central Region  
**Cassandra de la Cruz Oshinnaiye**, Washington, DC – Eastern Region

“We are honored to welcome new and returning leaders to help us strategically plan for the future of MANA. Catherine Arambula, Andreanna Albott, and Leticia Trujillo bring the necessary skills and abilities to serve our national constituency. These Directors represent strong Latina leadership and join in our vision to empower Latinas nationwide,” said MANA National Board Chair, Celina Caprio. She continued, “We are excited to have such accomplished women join the MANA National Board. While we look forward to our future work together, we also extend our sincerest gratitude to our departing Directors, Veronica Padilla, and Cindy Hounsell, for their service to MANA.”

The MANA Board Members will be sworn in for their term beginning January 1, 2020, and ending December 31, 2022.

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