

League of United Latin American Citizens

Resolution in Support of National Voter Registration Campaign

WHEREAS, the founders of the League of United Latin American Citizens, (LULAC) joined together in 1929 to establish an organization that would become the largest, oldest and most successful Hispanic civil rights and service organization in the United States; and

WHEREAS, LULAC National's Mission is to advance the economic conditions, educational attainment, political influence, housing, health and civil rights of the Hispanic populations of the United States; and

WHEREAS, Hispanics are the fastest growing population in the United States and contribute to our nations educational, economic, and political influence as citizens exercising their right to vote; and

WHEREAS, Hispanics across United States have seen diminishing numbers of voter participation in the local, state, and national elections; and

WHEREAS, thousands of Hispanic residents are on the pathway to citizenship and LULAC National educates on the voter registration process and citizenship services available in their respective areas;

THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED, that LULAC National strongly supports active member participation in a Voter Registration Campaign at the national, state, and district levels. Furthermore, we support and partnering with other organizations to promote and provide a pathway to citizenship.

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