

LULAC NEWS

COUNCIL 10 MONTHLY NEWSLETTER – Aug 2015

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The Next Membership Meeting is Monday, Oct 5th at 6:00 PM

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NoSeptember Membership Meeting

September Membership Meeting: Due to the Labor Day Holiday weekend we will not be having a September membership meeting. The next membership meeting is scheduled for Monday 5 Oct.

Davenport Police Department Application Workshop: Per our involvement with the Davenport Affirmative Acton Commission the DPD has determined that they will be holding informational workshops within the community. They are interested in increasing diversity within the Dept. by attracting more minority applicants. A workshop will be held at the LULAC Center on Saturday, Aug 29th from 8:30-10:00 am. If you have any children, grandchildren, family or friends who may be interested on Law Enforcement please let them know about the LULAC Workshop. We would like to see a strong turnout from our community at this event.

Iowa LULAC State Meeting: Our past Council President Mike Reyes has been elected the new State Director for Iowa. Maria Bribriesco has also been elected as the new Deputy State Director for Iowa. The new LULAC National President Roger Rocha was on hand to swear in the new state officers. There are several issues that need to be addressed at the State level; Incorporation, 501 (c) (4) status, and setting up a State bank account. Also there are several events that are already being planned. One of them will be the State LULAC Gala Banquet that will be held in Des Moines at the Holiday Inn Airport on Saturday, October 31st.



Iowa LULAC State Officers with Roger Rocha

Presidential Forum on Immigration: you are invited to attend our National Presidential forum to be held on August 29th. LULAC - Iowa is a co-sponsor and event organizer for this event. Members of Iowa's immigrant, business, educational, faith, labor and political communities will come together to discuss fixes to our broken immigration system.

The forum will take place Saturday, Aug. 29, at 2:30 at the Buena Vista University's Schaller Memorial Chapel in Storm Lake. It's free and open to the public and will be simulcast online.

The forum will be moderated by Kyle Munson, Iowa columnist at The Des Moines Register as part of his ongoing #Unitelowa campaign. Please check out the website for this event at <http://www.iowaimmigration.org/>

NOTE: If you're interested in going please let Mike know at (563) 343-4108

Presidential candidates are being invited for the unique opportunity to not only speak, but to listen to and engage with grassroots Iowans who represent a broad spectrum of immigration views

LULAC Fiesta Week: This year LULAC QC will be hosting three events

- LULAC Mexican Fiesta: This year's Fiesta is planned for, Sep 12th at the LULAC Center starting at 4:30 (see flyer below blow).
- LULAC East Moline Fiesta Parade: The parade is scheduled for Sunday, Sep 13th in downtown East Moline
- LULAC Viva QC: This year's event will be held on Sept 19th at the Isle of Capri from 3:00- 11:00 pm. Cost is \$5.00 at the gate entertainment will include the Glenview Mariachi, Ballet Folklorico, Los Parranderos & Braulio y Fuzzion

Fiesta Queen Contest Update: We have had several inquiries about this year's Fiesta Queen Candidates. Rita Vargas Fiesta Queen chair provides the following information:



Ellena – Larissa- Kayly

Ellena A Hernandez-Sandoval

10/28/?

Moline High School 12th grade completed

Choir, volunteer work for church, drawing, animal care

Larissa L Martinez-Perryman

8/1/1999

West High School, 9th Grade completed

Volleyball, tennis, soccer, flag football, basketball, volunteer at St Anthony Church, Makes holiday baskets for the needy, works at Ridgecrest

Kaylyn N Lopez-Miller

6/15/2000

West High School, 9th Grade completed

Track, ROTC, volleyball, run, swim, hang out with friends.

Golf Outing: Thank you goes out to Randy Robertson and Golf Outing committee for all their hard work putting the outing together. Though Mother Nature didn't cooperate we still had 81 golfers stick with us and go out. The outing was run very efficiently and a good time was had by all. A special thank you to the Mujeres de LULAC they did another stellar job.



The LULAC Ladies

Graduation Destination: LULAC representatives were in attendance at this year's fifth annual "Graduation Destination" kick off with wide-ranging events at the River's Edge, home of Davenport's Parks and Recreation Department. The Parks department is one of the many partners with the school district that includes LULAC in its efforts to retain students and to coax drop-outs back into school.



Tim, Laura & Toni

State Director Update: National Board Meeting: I attended the recent National Board Meeting in Kansas City. I was approved to sit on the LNEC Board. This is the board that funds the annual scholarship program. The number one issue to be addressed is an increase of funds to a 100% match vs. the current 60% match. I will be attending my first LNEC National Board Meeting in Oct in Washington D.C.

Laura Nelson from Council 10 was nominated and elected to the National Women's Board. Congratulations, we know she will do well and will be very affective on the board. With Joe Henry serving as the new VP for the Midwest & Laura and I on Boards, Iowa will now have 3 members on LULAC National Boards. This is a good thing for us & puts Iowa on the map regarding the LULAC National.

Personal note: I personally want to thank the membership for all your support that was provided to me during my tenure as Council president. I am both amazed and inspired by all the good work that Council 10 has done over the years. Watching the expansion of our scholarship program, the Scholarship Awards Banquet, the Golf Outing fundraisers, the annual fiesta, the Fiesta Queen contest, weekly bingo & building maintenance could not have happened without the dedicate support of our membership. The amount of time our membership has volunteered as well as their time and effort has been overwhelming. As I move on to my next endeavor within the LULAC organization I know that Council 10 is in good hands. It has been a privilege working with all of you. Thank you again.

Youth Group Activities: Nahant Marsh Educational Center; the group visited the education center and toured the facilities. In addition they attended an education seminar on the environmental aspect of the marsh. The group decided to adopt Sonny the bull snake and a turtle named Squirtle. They will be making a donation to the center from their youth account. The event was well attended. Leading the Marsh staff was Victoria George Edwards. She is the granddaughter of Celestino & Amalia George, both long time members of the Council. Victoria received a LULAC scholarship in 2008. A special thank you to Maria Anderson for chaperoning the event and serving as the unofficial den mother to the group. We would also like to thank the Nahant staff members Megan Fahrenkrug, and Connor Wollums for their help with the group & Alan from the Downtown Deli for preparing lunch for the group.



Nahant Marsh education Center Visit

- The youth group has also been asked to enter a float into this year's East Moline Labor Day parade. The youth group will also enter a float into this year's East Moline Fiesta Parade. Additionally the Fiesta Queen and her court will ride in the parade.
- Viva QC concessions; the youth group will volunteer at this year's event. The group will be manning the pop concession from 3:00 – 11:00 pm.

Upcoming events:

- LULAC Mexican Fiesta: Saturday, September 12th at the LULAC Center from 4:30 -11:00 (see below) 4:30 -11:00 (see below).
- LULAC QC East Moline Fiesta Parade: Downtown East Moline IL. Parade starts at 1:00.
- LULAC QC Viva QC Saturday 19 September at the isle of Capri in Bettendorf Iowa from 3:00 – 11:00 pm. Admission is \$5.00
- LULAC Veterans Salute October 15th at the LeClaire Park Band Shell in Davenport Iowa from 11:00-12:00
- LULAC State Banquet/Gala Saturday, October 31st in Des Moines Iowa at the Holiday Inn Airport. More info to come.



**Se Renta Salon de Fiestas
Hall Rental Available**

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(563) 324-7610
4224 Ricker Hill Road
Davenport, IA.

Also LULAC Friday Night Bingo
Doors Open at 5:00 PM Games Start at 6:30 PM



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LEAGUE OF UNITED
LATIN AMERICAN
CITIZENS
Davenport, IA

Mexican Independence Day Fiesta

Saturday, Sept. 12, 2015,
4:30-11 p.m.

LULAC Center,
4224 Ricker Hill Rd.,
Davenport, IA



East Moline Glenview
Mariachi Group



Quad Cities Ballet Folklorico



Crooked Cactus Band



Mexican Dinner by El Mariachi Restaurant, 5:30 p.m.

Entertainment:

- Social Hour ————— 4:30 p.m.
- East Moline Mariachi Group — 6:15 p.m.
- Ballet Folklorico ————— 7:30 p.m.
- Crooked Cactus Band ————— 8:00 p.m.

Police Officer Applicant Informational Workshops

United Neighbors

August 20th, 2015 5:30 - 7:30 P.M.
808 Harrison Street | Davenport, IA 52803

Davenport Police Department

August 25th, 2015 5:00-7:00 P.M.
416 Harrison Street | Davenport, IA 52801

LULAC Council #10

August 29th, 2015 8:30 - 10:00 A.M.
4224 Ricker Hill Road | Davenport, IA 52802

DUTIES: Enforces all ordinances and laws of the City of Davenport, State of Iowa, and the United States of America. Protects life and property, and maintains order. Interacts with a diverse population. Often deals with emotionally disturbed and distressed individuals. Drives emergency vehicles, pursues suspects, investigates incidents, and interviews victims and suspects. Writes reports and engages in public speaking. Performs other related duties as required.

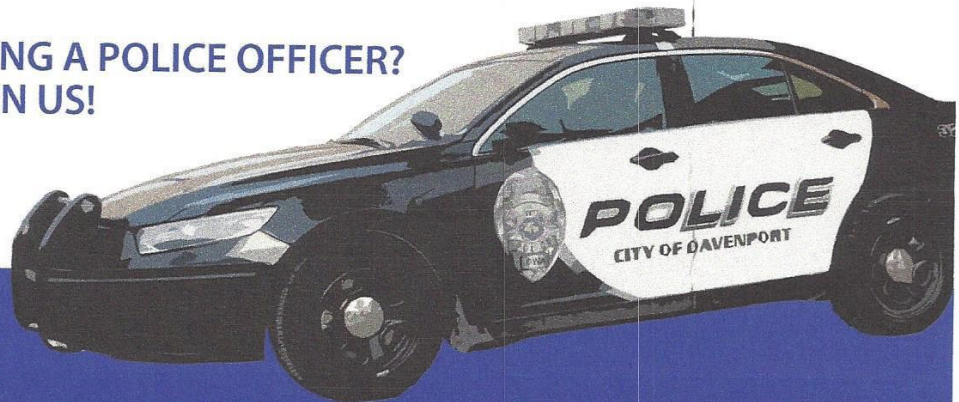
SALARY: \$52,572 per year, plus excellent benefits.

PHYSICAL STANDARDS: For information about physical standards, please visit the Iowa Law Enforcement Academy Website: www.ileatraining.org

For more information about becoming a Police Officer, visit our Human Resources Page at: www.CityofDavenportIowa.com

QUALIFICATIONS: Must be at least 21 years of age at the time of appointment. Must have a high school diploma or GED AND at least 30 college credits from an accredited college or university. Education substitutes are 1 year of active military duty or 1 year being a sworn officer. Must be a United States Citizen at the time of the written examination. Applicant must be able to pass an extensive background check including polygraph test. Must have the ability to perform the core functions of the position. Must have uncorrected vision of not less than 20-100 in each eye, corrected to 20-20 in each eye, normal color vision, normal hearing, a high level of physical endurance and a good sense of balance. Requires the ability to speak clearly and communicate well. Requires skill in dealing with others in a courteous and fair manner, as well as the ability to enforce laws and ordinances with firmness and tact. Appointees will be required to develop a facility in operating firearms, and the ability to operate motor vehicles safely at high speeds. Bilingual applicants desired. **MUST BE OR BECOME AN IOWA RESIDENT WITHIN SCOTT OR EASTERN MUSCATINE COUNTIES.**

**INTERESTED IN BECOMING A POLICE OFFICER?
COME JOIN US!**



DAVENPORT POLICE DEPARTMENT

Police Officer Application Period: August 7th - September 13th, 2015

[Trump](#)'s Hateful Rhetoric Inspires Criminal Assault Against Homeless [Latino](#); [Trump](#) Refuses to Condemn the Hate Crime He Inspired

August 21, 2015

[Washington, D.C.](#) – A [Latino](#) homeless man in Boston, Massachusetts was brutally beaten simply because he is [Latino](#). The victim, who suffered a broken nose and bruises on his head and torso, was also urinated on. According to police reports, the perpetrators were “inspired in part” by Donald [Trump](#)'s hateful anti-immigrant rhetoric.

“Donald [Trump](#)'s hateful anti-immigrant rhetoric has resulted in the senseless beating of a homeless man solely because he is [Latino](#),” said [LULAC](#) National President Roger C. Rocha, Jr. “This recent act demonstrates [Trump](#)'s complete disregard for the safety and well-being of the [Latino](#) community and underlines that he is not fit to serve in any elected office let alone as President of the [United States](#). It is obvious that [Trump](#)'s vision of making [America](#) great does not include [Latinos](#).”

When [Trump](#) was provided an opportunity to condemn the crime, he instead redoubled his stance against the [Latino](#) community. [Trump](#) responded by condoning the actions, citing his followers as “passionate.”

Recently, hate crimes against [Latinos](#) have risen. According to the [Federal Bureau of Investigation](#), anti-[Latino](#) crimes rose by 35 percent between 2003 and 2006. In addition, a 2013 [FBI Hate Crime Statistics](#) report found that 52.6 percent of 821 [Latino](#) victims were targeted because of anti-Hispanic or anti-[Latino](#) bias.

The League of United Latin American Citizens ([LULAC](#)) is the nation's largest and oldest civil rights volunteer-based organization that empowers [Hispanic Americans](#) and builds strong [Latino](#) communities. Headquartered in [Washington](#), DC, with 1,000 councils around the [United States](#) and [Puerto Rico](#), [LULAC](#)'s programs, services and advocacy address the most important issues for [Latinos](#), meeting critical needs of today and the future. For more information, visit [www.LULAC.org](#), [www.LULAC.org/facebook](#), and [www.LULAC.org/twitter](#).