

Latino Action Council Weekly Newsletter

TO OUR COMMUNITY...

State Legislative Session Updates

New Bills to Keep an Eye On

- N/A

Upcoming Bills to Be Heard in Committee

4/26/23

8:45 AM | Senate Appropriations

- **SB23-213:** Land Use | **Prime Sponsors:** Sen. D. Moreno, Rep. I. Jodeh, Rep. S. Woodrow

Upon Adjournment

- N/A

2:00 PM

- N/A

4/20/23

Upon Adjournment

- N/A

1:30 PM

- N/A

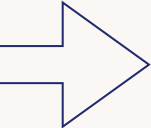
Bills On the Floor

- **HB23-1100:** Restrict Government Involvement In Immigration Detention | **Prime Sponsors:** Rep. N. Ricks, Rep. L. Garcia, Sen. S. Jaquez Lewis, Sen. J. Gonzales | **4/20/23 – Senate Third Reading Passed – No Amendments**

Upcoming Events

2023 Aztlán Research Center Summer Institute & CLLARO Latino Action Council Summit

SAVE THE DATE!
August 2nd & 3rd, 2023



Save the Date 2023 Aztlán Research Center Summer Institute & CLLARO Latino Action Council Summit

We are pleased to announce the 3rd Annual Aztlán Research Center Summer Institute and 1st CLLARO Latino Action Council Summit.

This year, the Center will team up with the Colorado Latino Leadership, Advocacy, and Research Organization's (CLLARO) Latino Action Council Summit to expand the event.

This two-day event will explore the indigenous roots of Southern Colorado on day one, including a keynote address by former New Mexico State Historian Dr. Estevan Rael Gálvez. Day two will focus on the future ahead! We will discuss Latino civic engagement and economic mobility in Colorado and will facilitate discussion and consensus leading to a research and advocacy agenda to elevate our communities. All are welcome!

**Open to CSU Pueblo
Faculty, Staff, and
Students,
Latino Leaders,
and the General
Public!**

**CSU Pueblo-
Occhiato Student
Center Ballroom**

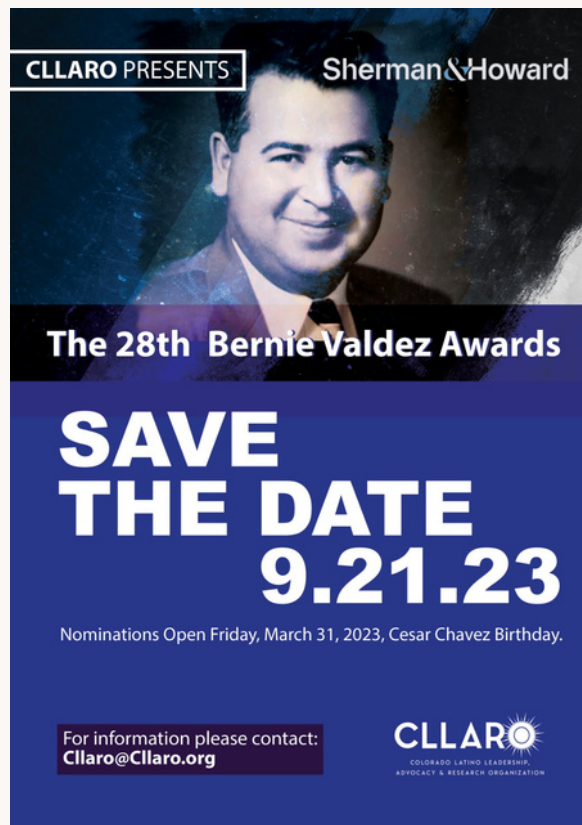
**Wednesday, August 2nd
& Thursday, August 3rd**



Upcoming Events

28th Annual Bernie Valdez Awards

SAVE THE DATE!
September 21st, 2023



Nominate a Leader Today | Nomina a un/a Líder Hoy

The Annual Bernie Valdez Awards commemorates Latino/a leaders in Colorado that are making an impact in the lives of our community members. For further information the nomination process for this year's BVA Awards, please click [here](#).

Los premios anuales Bernie Valdez conmemoran a los líderes latinos en Colorado que están teniendo un impacto en las vidas de los miembros de nuestra comunidad. Para obtener más información sobre el proceso de nominación para los Premios BVA de este año, haga clic [aquí](#).

Events

Cultivando Earth Day Rally



Last month, Cultivando held a rally in honor of Earth Day where several Latino organizations gathered together to demand justice and equity as our health is more important than cheap gasoline. The Latino Action Council Director, Milo Marquez, was invited to say a few words on the matter, as well as members of the public. We would like to thank Cultivando for extending the invitation to attend their rally at the State Capitol. The fight for environmental justice and equity continues and if you wish to support Cultivando's open letter, please click [here](#).

El mes pasado, Cultivando realizó un mitin en honor al Día de la Tierra donde varias organizaciones latinas se unieron para exigir justicia y equidad ya que nuestra salud es más importante que la gasolina barata. El director del Consejo de Acción Latina, Milo Márquez, fue invitado a decir unas palabras sobre el tema, así como miembros del público. Nos gustaría agradecer a Cultivando por extender la invitación para asistir a su mitin en el Capitolio del Estado. La lucha por la justicia ambiental y la equidad continúa y si desea apoyar la carta abierta de Cultivando, haga clic [aquí](#).

Upcoming Events



The 39th Annual El Cinco de Mayo Scholarship Gala, May 6th, 2023!

Join El Cinco de Mayo Inc. to contribute to their mission of providing cultural awareness to the Colorado Springs community and to award scholarships to underserved students.



¡La 39.ª Gala Anual de Becas de El Cinco de Mayo, 6 de mayo de 2023!

Únase a El Cinco de Mayo Inc. para contribuir a su misión de brindar conciencia cultural a la comunidad de Colorado Springs y otorgar becas a estudiantes desatendidos.



This year's Cinco de Mayo Festival and Parade will be taking place on May 6th & May 7th at the Civic Center Park! The Cinco de Mayo Festival and Parade has deep roots in the Denver community as one of the largest and longest running cultural events in Colorado. It is a fun family-oriented event with special attractions, musical acts, Folklorico dancers, Mariachis and some of the most delicious Mexican cuisine Colorado has to offer. For more information on this event, please see the following link: [Home Page | Cinco de Mayo Denver](#)

¡El Festival y Desfile del Cinco de Mayo de este año se llevará a cabo el 6 y 7 de mayo en el Civic Center Park! El Festival y Desfile del Cinco de Mayo tiene profundas raíces en la comunidad de Denver como uno de los eventos culturales más grandes y de mayor duración en Colorado. Es un evento divertido orientado a la familia con atracciones especiales, actos musicales, bailarines folclóricos, mariachis y algunas de las comidas mexicanas más deliciosas que Colorado tiene para ofrecer. Para obtener más información sobre este evento, consulte el siguiente enlace: [Home Page | Cinco de Mayo Denver](#)

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The GreenLatinos' 2023 National Summit, June 5 – 8, at La Cantera in San Antonio, TX! The GreenLatinos' National Summit is coming back for the first time since 2019, bringing together hundreds of the top national Latino/a/e environmental, conservation, and climate justice leaders, professionals, and advocates from across the country.

The summit is a unique space where leaders from across the country can come together to meet, build trusting relationships, and discuss how we can best advocate for the environmental and climate justice issues and policies that disproportionately impact Latino communities.

← ¡La Junta Nacional 2023 de GreenLatinos, del 5 al 8 de junio, en La Cantera en San Antonio, TX! La Junta Nacional de GreenLatinos regresa en persona por primera vez desde 2019, reuniendo a cientos de los principales líderes, profesionales y defensores latinos/a/e del medio ambiente, la conservación y la justicia climática a nivel nacional de todo el país.

La junta es un espacio único donde los líderes de todo el país pueden reunirse para reunirse, construir relaciones de confianza y discutir cómo mejor podemos defender los problemas y políticas de justicia ambiental y climática que afectan de manera desproporcionada a las comunidades latinas.

Job Opportunities

- SEIU Local 105 is hiring a Political and Community Coordinator. Please see the following link for more information: [Political and Community Coordinator - SEIU: Colorado — Union Jobs Clearinghouse](#)
- The Food Bank for Larimer County currently has four job openings:
 1. Programs Director
 2. Summer Programs Assistant
 3. Summer Food Truck Assistant (2 positions available)
 4. Nutrition Coordinator
- Please see the following link for more information on these openings: [Career Opportunities - Food Bank for Larimer County \(foodbanklarimer.org\)](#).
- COPA is looking for one [Co-Organizing Director: Movement Politics and Electoral Campaign Strategy](#), and three to four [Community Organizer](#) positions.