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Hispanic Communicators DFW Elect New Leadership

Dallas, TX, Sept. 22, 2011— A new Board of Directors now heads The Hispanic Communicators DFW; the Dallas chapter of the National Association of Hispanic Journalists.

The five new board members were elected by the membership on Thursday, September 22, 2011 at its general meeting held at DART Headquarters.

The new board members are:

President:

Amanda Salinas is an award-winning broadcast journalist. She's currently the co-anchor on CW 33 News at Nine on KDAF-TV.

VP of Broadcast:

Saul Garza is a morning reporter on Fox 4's Good Day, and the producer/reporter of "What's Buggin You." It's one of the most popular franchises on local television.

VP of Print:

Karina Ramirez is a business reporter with the *Denton Record-Chronicle*.

Secretary:

Gissela Cestarte is a UNT journalism alum with a media background.

Treasurer:

Gary Piña is the copy editor /designer with Neighborsgo, the community supplement of the Dallas Morning News.

President, Amanda Salinas says "The momentum of the group is energizing and confirms my feelings about my profession and career path. " VP of Broadcast, Saul Garza adds "I enjoy the diversity of the member's professional backgrounds. We can all learn from each other."

Hispanic Communicators DFW is a nonprofit, nonpartisan organization dedicated to furthering the visibility and role of Hispanics within the communications fields. Founded in 1981 as the Network of Hispanic Communicators, the group is the official Dallas/Fort Worth chapter of the National Association of Hispanic Journalists.

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