

Dear Mayor Richard C. Irvin:

I would like to apply for the available board member position with the Hispanic Heritage Advisory Board (HHAB). I am very much aligned with the goals and focus of the organization. I would like to use the skills gained in my time as an educator and community organizer to help the HHAB reach its objectives. Personally, I would like to join the HHAB to be able to give back to the great City of Aurora.

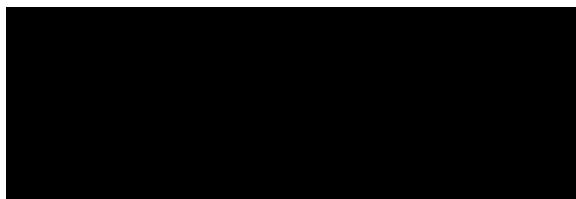
As a young adult, the City of Aurora, with its many organizations and leaders, has shaped me into the person I am today. I received a high-quality education from Aurora University. In 2008, the HHAB awarded me with one of their scholarships. I was able to complete my bachelor's degree because of it. Family Focus Aurora developed me into a dynamic professional and community advocate. The Boys to Men organization welcomed me into their space allowing me to grow as a community leader and organizer.

I am now well positioned both personally and professionally. Therefore, I can dedicate the time to volunteer my knowledge and skills to the community. Joining the HHAB as a board member will provide me with the opportunity and honor to pay it forward. Some of the skills I can bring to the organization are as follows:

- Represent the organization and serve as a spokesperson.
- Take an active part in the project management process.
- Offer a broad knowledge of programs, policies and implementation strategies.

My enclosed resume will provide you with more details regarding my qualifications and experience. I know that I can bring many benefits with my experience, educational qualifications, and skills. I look forward to putting these towards a good cause. Thank you for your time and consideration!

Sincerely,



David O. Blancas