

NEIGHBORHOOD COUNCIL ELECTION CHALLENGE FORM

I hereby submit my challenge for the Arleta
Neighborhood Council Election held on 03/08/2014

I affirm that I am a stakeholder in this Neighborhood Council and that I have personal knowledge of the following challenge. check here

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REASON FOR CHALLENGE: Eligibility of Candidate

Please state the facts for your challenge. (max 500 words)

Veronica DeLara per the ANC by-laws is ineligible for the position of Community Based Organization Representative. Prior to the election there was no information about Veronica on the web site. At the candidate forum she stated that she does not live in the Arleta Neighborhood Council boundaries. She works for Phoenix House a nation wide no-profit. The local office is located at 11600 Eldridge, Lake View Terrace 91342. She stated that she mainly works with middle school children. Arleta does not have a middle school in it's boundaries. Our by-laws state that the candidate carried out activities that involve the Community Stakeholders who reside within the ANC boundaries in the last 12 months. The organization maintains its principal office or headquarters within the area served by the ANC (the office is in Lake View Terrace) or the majority of persons affiliated with the organization live with in the ANC boundaries. (since this is a nation wide organization it is doubtful that the majority of their affiliates live in the ANC boundaries) Phoenix House has office in Venice, Los Angeles, Westminster, Orange County, New York, Florida, Texas, Rhode Island, Virginia etc. I and others spoke with Jose from Empower LA after the forum and advised him that she wouldn't qualify for the position. He stated that they "weren't the police" and a challenge could be filed after the election.

Please state your desired remedy. (max 100 words)

Veronica not be seated as a member of the ANC board. The next candidate with the highest vote count be seated on the board.

Attach all supporting documentation:

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