

HBPA NEXT MONTHLY MEETING

Wednesday, September 9, 2020

6:00 pm to 7:30 pm

Sabes Que: TBA

Fiesta Mexicana

1227 S Grand Blvd

Stay healthy and safe.

HBPA

P O Box 3661(Mailing Address)
308 W. 1st (Lorraine Building), first floor,
staffed on Wednesday from 11 am-5 pm
Spokane, WA 99220-3661

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2019/2020 HBPA Association Officers:

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Black Lives Matter!

We at HBPA stand against racism and inequality. We stand with our brothers and sisters of the Black community. We see you, we hear you, and we stand with you. We stand with the Black community, we support Black Lives Matter movement, we demand change and will continue to stand against social injustice. Communities of Color but especially the Black community have fallen victims of the system that intentionally oppresses our people. We will not stay silent anymore.

HISPANIC BUSINESS / PROFESSIONAL ASSOCIATION (HBPA)



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Upcoming HBPA Events/Information

Unity in the Community Cultural Village - August 15, 2020

HBPA needs volunteers to staff the booth located in the Cultural Village section from 9:45-noon, noon-2:00 pm, and 2:00 pm – 4:15 pm. Contact Isabel at hbpaspokane@gmail.com if you are able to volunteer. This year's table will represent the country Guatemala.

5th Annual Dia de los Muertos (Day of the Dead)

Sunday, November 1, 2020 (1 pm-4 pm)

Looking for volunteers to assist with the event, interested, email [www.hbpaspokane@gmail.com](mailto:hbpaspokane@gmail.com). All members are invited to participate in the planning of this event. All members and their families are invited to attend. This event is free and open to the public.

Did you Know...

HBPA has an office at 308 W 1st Street (Lorraine Building), first floor. The office is staffed on Wednesdays from 11:00 am-4:00 pm. Stop by and ask about program services in the community.

Save the Date

Fiesta Latina de Spokane by La Pera Radio, sponsored by HBPA and Raiz of Planned Parenthood of Greater WA and North ID on August 8, 2020 from 11:00 am – 4:00 pm at La Michoacana, 9907 E Sprague Ave. We will have a voter registration booth, census information, food drive, prizes, music, etc. More information to come.

COVID 19 Resources:

HBPA:

- **Hispanic Food Pantry**_ families can fill this form out to get a box of food which can then pick up at our HBPA Office at 308 W. 1st (Lorraine Building), first floor. <https://docs.google.com/forms/d/1ljnnaMTxkwllp8PRbaoDRK7zf1bjhcnkuQRNudacPTI/edit>
- **Businesses**_HBPA in collaboration with AHANA is helping businesses apply for the PPP, EILD and other programs. We have helped several businesses already, please reach out to HBPA President Isabel Mazcot at Isabel.mazcot@outlook.com if you need assistance.

SIRC: Spokane Immigration Rights Coalition

- **Financial support** to undocumented families within the Spokane community impacted by COVID-19. If you know any families, fill out this link and contact our HBPA member Olga Lucia Herrera at latinospokane@gmail.com. https://docs.google.com/forms/d/e/1FAIpQLSd_pNErVbullmzz7hcQRDjPnJr9-sUyjMusEZI26SwTov9rOQ/viewform?usp=sf_link

HBPA dues for 2020 can be paid by going to our website at www.hbpspokane.net. Dues are \$35.00 per calendar year for individual membership, \$75.00 for a corporate membership and \$125 for business sponsor.

New Members
Zucel Aguilar

New Business Members
ASAP Translation Services

Maria Gutierrez
(<https://asap-translations.com/>)

Blooming Abilities, LLC – Joline Messina
(bloomingabilitiesaba.com)

Hennessey Funeral Home & Crematory
Arturo Rios
(www.hennesseyfuneralhomes.com)

In response to COVID-19, the HBPA Board is offering free membership for businesses and individuals for the remainder of 2020. To apply, go to our website at www.hbpspokane.net.

Celebrating Human Rights Champions

The two Human Rights organizations (The City of Spokane's Human Rights Commission & The Spokane County Human Rights Task Force) with sponsorship from No-Li, were planning a gala Human Rights Awards Event to be held in the fall. The pandemic has put that plan on hold until next year. However, they are still celebrating Spokane's champions – VIRTUALLY! Here's what you can do to help:

Nominate your heroes for an award at https://forms.office.com/Pages/ResponsePage.aspx?id=fSGa33NnF021d4XclgeCljxHH_mnlmJNIGe4s02UIQ9UQVJUQIY2RFRYQ1JD_TkRHWRSTU4zTFhWSy4u.

Nominations are due July 15, 2020. During the month of August, we will video the award winners and their nominees – and then share that video on our websites and other media outlets. If you have any questions, please contact us at SpokaneHumanRightsAward@gmail.com.

AHANA-Multi-Ethnic Business Association has made arrangements to receive a quantity of PPEs that Greater Spokane Inc and Spokane County have made available to small businesses and nonprofits of 49 or less employees. PPEs include disposal and cloth masks, hand sanitizers, thermometers, and more.

A PPE registration form must be completed. To request the form, please email ahana.meba10@gmail.com or call Maria Gutierrez at 509-835-9246. You can pick up your PPE at 222 W. Mission Ave, Suite 234, Spokane From June 30th to July 3rd. between 10 am and 4 pm. Website <https://ahana-meba.org/>.

RAIZ - Healthcare: For any of following programs, please contact our HBPA secretary Fernanda Mazcot at fernanda.mazcot@ppgwni.org.

- **Health Monitor program for COVID19:** this program is ideal if you:
 - Are COVID19 positive and are self-isolating at home
 - Have been in contact with someone who is COVID19 positive
 - Have any symptoms of COVID19
- **RHAA-** provides coverage to undocumented families! Family planning, birth control, permanent methods (tube ties and vasectomy), STI and STD screenings, and Cervical Cancer Screenings. **ACA-** sign up folks up to the affordable care act
- **Health Services** (Contraceptive Methods, Emergency Contraceptives, Anemia Screening, Routine Screenings for Sexual Health Problems, Cholesterol Screening, Colon Cancer Screening, Diabetes Screening, Work and Sports Tests, Flu Vaccine, High Blood Pressure Screening, Referrals to rape counselors, Routine physical exams, Quitting smoking, Tetanus Vaccine, Thyroid Screening, UTI Screening and Treatment, Other General Health Services, HIV services, and Services for the LGBT community)
- **Social Services:** Provide direct casework and service to the Latinx population by providing technical support and 1:1 case management. Applying for SNAP, DCAP, Unemployment and provide community referrals.

MiA Mujeres in Action Domestic violence has risen up since COVID-19. Do you know someone that needs help in Spanish? MiA is a local organization helping women navigate the system and connecting them to the right resources. Please help stop or/and reduce domestic violence. For more information please contact our HBPA member Hannel Sanchez at www.miaspokane.org or 509-869-0876.

FREE EVENTS:

Navigating Through Covid-19 and Beyond - How to Plan for Reopening Your Business
Date: Wednesday, July 8, 2020

Time: noon - 1:00 pm

For more information and/or to register, visit <https://ahana-meba.org/webinars/>. Once registered, you will receive the link. Sponsored by AHANA-MEBA.

Health Workshop Online in Spanish

Spokane County Regional Library District is having an online Health Workshop: Taller de salud en línea: Depresión y ansiedad (Taller en español)/Online Health Workshop: Depression & Anxiety (This program is in Spanish and is for adults)

Date: Monday, July 13, 2020

Time: 6:00 pm - 8:00 pm

For more information visit their Facebook at

<https://www.facebook.com/events/s/taller-de-salud-en-linea-depre/3129240790455366/?ti=c>.

Registration is required, you can sign up for the program at

<https://scldevanced.info/signup/EventDetails?EventId=72105&backTo=Calendar&startDate=2020/07/01>

Census Grant to Benefit DACA Students

Raiz of Planned Parenthood of Greater Washington and North Idaho have partnered with HBPA for a \$10,000 grant. These funds will be used for Census outreach at PPGWNI, pass-through funding to HBPA, and stipends to fifteen (15) DACA recipients who complete 20-hours of volunteer time working on Census outreach with HBPA and Raiz of PPGWNI. For more information contact Fernanda Mazcot at fernanda.mazcot@ppgwni.org.

Spokane County Library District

If you have access to the internet, you can visit our website, www.sclcd.org, to search for books and other library materials and place holds through our online catalog. You can also call our libraries at 509.893.8400 to place items on hold. You can find the list of county libraries at the above website.

How To Use Curbside Pickup

You can pick up holds at the library once you are notified by email, phone call, or postal mail that they are available.

Pull your vehicle into one of the designated curbside pickup parking spots at your library. Call the curbside pickup number on the sign. Have your library card number ready when you call.

Provide your name, library card number, and a description of your vehicle.

You may pick up items for family members if you have their library card number(s).

Please wait in your vehicle and be patient while staff check out your held items to you in our computer system.

Staff will place your bagged library materials on a cart and wheel them to the curbside for delivery as agreed to on the phone.

Please place any items you are returning in the library's book drop located outside of the building. Staff who are delivering curbside holds will not be accepting returns.

No mobile phone or service? If cell phone service is spotty at your library or you don't have a mobile phone, call the library ahead of time to arrange a day and time for pick up. For more information about curbside pickup, visit www.sclcd.org/curbside-pickup.

How Can I Get A Library Card

You can sign up for a library card online at www.sclcd.org/get-card.

Free Events Continued:

Navigating Through Covid-19 and Beyond – Building the Resilience of Your Business

Date: Tuesday, July 14, 2020

Time: noon - 1:00 pm

For more information and/or to register, visit <https://ahana-meba.org/webinars/>.

Once registered, you will receive the link. Sponsored by AHANA-MEBA

Navigating Through Covid-19 and Beyond – Designing Communication Strategies and Updating Technology

Date: Tuesday, July 21, 2020

Time: noon - 1:00 pm

For more information and/or to register, visit <https://ahana-meba.org/webinars/>.

Once registered, you will receive the link. Sponsored by AHANA-MEBA.

JOB OPENINGS

Avista: <https://www.myavista.com/about-us/working-at-avista>

Camp Fire Inland NW: <https://campfireinc.configio.com/page/employment-2020>

Catholic Charities of Spokane: <https://www.cceasternwa.org/careers>

City of Spokane: <https://my.spokanecity.org/jobs/classified/>

City of Spokane Valley: <http://www.spokanevalley.org/Employment>

Community Colleges of Spokane:

<https://www.governmentjobs.com/careers/ccspokane>

Eastern WA University: <https://inside.ewu.edu/hr/apply-for-jobs/>

Empire Health Foundation: <https://www.empirehealthfoundation.org/contact-us/careers-with-empire-health-foundation/>

Family Impact Network: <http://familyimpactnetwork.org/job-openings>

Frito Lay/PepsiCo: <https://fritolayemployment.com/>

Gonzaga University: <https://gonzaga.peopleadmin.com/postings/search>

Indeed.com – Spokane jobs: <https://www.indeed.com/l-Spokane,-WA-jobs.html>

Planned Parenthood: <https://www.plannedparenthood.org/get-involved/jobs-and-volunteering> .

Spokane County: <https://www.governmentjobs.com/careers/spokanecountywa>

Spokane Police Department: <https://my.spokanecity.org/police/officer/jobs/>

Spokane Regional Health District: <https://srhd.org/programs-and-services/human-resources-1>

Spokane Transit Authority: <https://www.spokanetransit.com/employment/job-listings>

Travelers - bilingual positions customer service representatives:

<https://careers.travelers.com/job-search-results/>

Washington WorkSource: <https://www.worksourcewa.com/>