

**Lorain County Board of Elections
Spanish Language Advisory Committee**

**Meeting Minutes
April 10, 2014, 6:00pm**

1. Call to Order: The **April 10, 2014** meeting of the Spanish Language Advisory Committee was called to order by David Arredondo at 6:09 pm.

2. Roll Call: Members in attendance: David Arredondo, Mildred Narvaez, and Antonio Barrios. Staff in Attendance: Paul Adams, Cindie Temkiewicz and Barbara Aldridge.

3. Review and Approval of Minutes: Motion made by Antonio Barrios to accept the February 27, 2014 minutes with the following corrections: caul > **cual** and financier > **financiera**. The motion was seconded by Millie Narvaez. Motion carried 3-0.

4. Old/New Business:

Paul Adams thanked the Spanish Language Committee members for their assistance with the bilingual poll worker training classes for the General election and asked for their continued support and participation for the Primary Election Bilingual Training classes.

Recruitment for additional bilingual workers was discussed. The cities of Amherst, Avon, Elyria, North Ridgeville, Oberlin and Sheffield Lake now have designated bilingual vote centers. Millie Narvaez stated that she will be doing recruitment at her church. David Arredondo stated that he would research the potential for Oberlin College students to be utilized for interpreters. Paul Adams informed everyone that any unaffiliated potential poll worker will have the opportunity to declare a party by voting early in the 2014 Primary Election at the BOE office.

5. New Business:

Regarding the Notice of Dismissal from the Department of Justice, Paul Adams stated that we will continue to document our efforts to provide Spanish language services to all Lorain County voters as needed and that there will not be changes.

7. Adjournment: Motion to adjourn by Millie Alejandro at 6:30pm, seconded by Antonio Barrios, motion carried 4-0.

ATTEST:



David Arredondo, Chairman

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Rigoberto Reveron, Secretary