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TAMPA HISPANIC HERITAGE, INC. LEADERSHIP CLASS OF 2024 CELEBRATION



Elisabeth Timbal
ART



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EDUCATION



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CIVIC INVOLVEMENT



Viviam Sifontes
HEALTH



Melisa Martinez
PUBLIC SERVICE



Dr. Paige Niehaus
ORGULLO

Tampa, Fla. (June 12, 2024) – The Tampa Hispanic Heritage, Inc. Board of Directors proudly presents the *Tampa Hispanic Heritage Leadership Class of 2024*, recognizing and honoring outstanding Hispanic leaders in the Tampa Bay area.

- Art: Elisabeth Timbal
- Business: Felix Figueruelo
- Media: Carlos Bohorquez
- Education: Dr. Larissa Ruiz Baía
- Civic Involvement: Santos Morales
- Health: Viviam Sifontes
- Public Service: Melisa Martinez
- Orgullo: Dr. Paige Niehaus



Tampa Hispanic Heritage, Inc., honors the excellence and positive impact Hispanics make in our community in eight leadership categories, including the “Orgullo” category, where a non-Hispanic individual or organization is recognized for their service to the Hispanic community. This year, THHI received nominations for all eight categories.

Tampa Hispanic Heritage, Inc. has made it a tradition to celebrate the award recipients, as well as business and community leaders every year. The community is invited to celebrate the 2024 Hispanic Leadership Class at the THHI Leadership Luncheon, which will be held at noon on July 30th at the Julian B. Lane River Center. Proceeds from this annual event support scholarships for deserving college students of Hispanic descent at the University of South Florida and Hillsborough Community College.

For more information on the event, corporate tables and sponsorship opportunities, please contact Rosabelys Rodriguez at (813) 841-1847 or roserodthhi@gmail.com or Ananis Makar at (813) 576-9896 or aam@themakarlawfirm.com.

About Tampa Hispanic Heritage, Inc. (THHI)

Our mission is to promote, preserve, and celebrate Hispanic heritage in Tampa Bay. THHI has been serving the community for 45 years (1979-2024) and is the oldest non-profit Hispanic cultural organization in Tampa Bay. THHI raises higher education scholarship funds for deserving students of Hispanic descent.

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