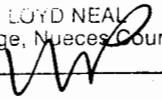


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LOYD NEAL  
County Judge, Nueces County, Texas

By 

Dear Honorable Judge Lloyd Neal  
And Nueces County Commissioners,

I would like to take this time to thank each one of you for giving me the opportunity to serve as a member of the Christus Spohn Health Board of Trustees. It has been a very rewarding experience to serve our community as well as working with all the board members and staff.

During my time on the Board I have tried to serve our patients, families, employees, medical staff and community in a spiritual manner that is consistent with Spohn Hospital's values of integrity, compassion, accountability, respect and excellence, without compromise.

I would like to take this opportunity to also express my interest in being reappointed as the Place 1 Board member for the Christus Spohn Health Board of Trustees. This would allow me to continue working hard on the projects and goals of Christus Spohn started during my tenure as a board member. I am 100% committed to further enhance the goals and objectives of Christus Spohn.

Sincerely,



Rachel Canales  
Christus Spohn Health  
Board of Trustees Place 1

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**SUMMARY OF EXPERIENCE:**

**As an educator, Rachel Canales s**

**sought a strong university preparation in order to better serve the students of South Texas. Her studies yielded degrees and endorsements from Texas A&I University, Kingsville, Texas are as follows:**

**Bachelor of Science in Education**

**Early Childhood Certification**

**Elementary Education Certification**

**Master of Art in Education**

**Special Education Certification**

**Mid-management Certification**

**PROFESSIONAL HISTORY:**

**Rachel's commitment to education was never compromised and for many years she served her community through the public schools in various capacities as indicated below:**

**Teacher**

**Premont Independent School District (1980)**

**La Gloria Independent School District**

**District Instructional Coordinator**

**Alice Independent School District (1985-1999)**

**Elementary School Principal**

**Alice Independent School District**

**BUSINESS HISTORY:**

**Yet as Rachel worked as an educator, she also maintained her interest in the business sector and managed to actively become owner and manager of several business throughout Texas as listed below:**

**Gonzalez Rentals**

**McDonalds Ground Lease**

**HEB Ground Lease**

**Wendy's Ground Lease**

**Bush Chicken Ground Lease**

**Canlong Investments LTD**

**Commercial Offices**

**San Antonio Rentals**

**Edinburg Commercial Offices**

**Retail Commercial Properties**

**New Braunfels Properties**

**Retail Commercial Properties**

**PUBLIC SERVICE :**

**Alice Christus Spohn Hospital, Board**

**Board of Director United Corpus Christi Chamber of Commerce**

**Board of Director Communities In Schools**

**Member of Westside Business Association**

**Texas Retired Teachers Association**

**Served as a Board Member to the Hispanic Chamber of Commerce**

**Circle of Red Member (heart association)**

**Board member Christus Spohn Health System**