We’re honored to continue serving you as part of the growing LatinoBuilt network of construction business owners across Oregon.

We had many highlights in 2022, including:
- a significant 48% membership growth;
- continued expansion of our culturally specific workshops and trainings;
- a focus on green build and clean energy practices; and
- the hiring of LBA’s first executive director.

The research is clear: Latinos entering the workforce, especially construction, far outpace any other racial or ethnic group, according to the U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics. Yet, Latinos also continue to face barriers to business ownership, equal pay, intergenerational wealth, and more. And green jobs are emerging everywhere, so we remain focused on ensuring LatinoBuilt members stay ahead of the curve by gaining the green skills to lead the transition.

Thank you for being on this important journey with us to build healthier, stronger, and more connected Latino businesses, families, and communities!

Rosa Martinez
Chair of the Board, LatinoBuilt Foundation
President, PMG Inc.

DID YOU KNOW?
By 2030, 1 in 5 U.S. workers will be Hispanic. Latinos start more businesses per capita than any other racial or ethnic group. Between 2020 and 2030, 78% of new workers in the U.S. will be Hispanic. More than 35% of those new workers will be in the construction industry.

THANK YOU TO OUR BOARD MEMBERS!
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Since joining LatinoBuilt Association as a member in 2019, everyone in our company has benefitted in some way from our membership. Being surrounded by other successful Latino business owners has helped us gain knowledge, skills, and confidence. As a result, we’ve scaled up to take on larger projects to help low-income households upgrade and transform their energy systems through the Portland Clean Energy Community Benefits Fund.

STEPHANIE FLORES | Co-owner, Rubi Heating & Cooling

Three times per year, representatives from Turner Construction join LatinoBuilt Association members to provide workshops that build relationships and knowledge to benefit growing construction companies.

Together with LatinoBuilt, we partnered to develop and deliver trade-specific instruction focused on proposal development, materials and labor, and the bidding process to help expand opportunities for Latino contractors. It was great to see contractors share their experiences and guidance with each other during the six sessions. Involving our Turner staff in opening doors for Latino contractors is so rewarding, and we look forward to continuing our partnership.

KATELYN MCINTYRE | Procurement Coordinator, C&C Coordinator, Turner Construction Company