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GreenLatinos Welcomes New Public Interest Communications Coordinator

WASHINGTON, DC—GreenLatinos today announced the addition of Jeanette Alcaraz to our staff. A participant of the prestigious Frank Karel Fellowship in Public Interest Communications Program, Alcaraz will be responsible for messaging and advocacy on environmental issues.

As part of the fifth cohort of Frank Karel Fellows and one of two Jack Kent Cooke Scholars, Alcaraz brings project infrastructure experience and a shared passion for a just world to GreenLatinos. Her long history of volunteer activities include mentoring underrepresented students to pursue higher education and assisting in transfer outreach initiatives at Pima Community College. She is currently studying Business Management at the University of Arizona in Tucson, Arizona.

On joining the GreenLatinos team, Alcaraz stated, "I am really excited for this opportunity and to be a part of such a strong team with a great mission, where we, as a community, can be a voice for social change."



“We are very excited to welcome Jeanette to our team. She brings a wealth of talent and energy to our work and will be a valuable asset in amplifying the work of GreenLatinos and its network members.” stated Chris Espinosa, Executive Vice President & COO.

Alcaraz will be with GreenLatinos for the next three months focusing on implementing the organization’s messaging, advocacy, and communications efforts with internal and external GreenLatinos stakeholders.

For more information on the Karel Fellowship in Public Interest Communications visit <http://www.karelfellowship.org/five-years-of-the-karel-fellowship/>

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GreenLatinos is a national non-profit organization that convenes a broad coalition of Latino leaders committed to addressing national, regional and local environmental, natural resources and conservation issues that significantly affect the health and welfare of the Latino community in the United States. GreenLatinos provides an inclusive table at which its members establish collaborative partnerships and networks to improve the environment; protect and promote conservation of land and other natural resources; amplify the voices of minority, low-income and tribal communities; and train, mentor, and promote the current and future generations of Latino environmental leaders for the benefit of the Latino community and beyond. GreenLatinos develops and advocates for policies and programs to advance this mission.