



THE COALITION FOR HISPANIC/LATINO ISSUES AND PROGRESS

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CHIP CANDIDATES' FORUM AGENDA

LORAIN HIGH SCHOOL PERFORMING ARTS CENTER

Wednesday, October 15, 2025 6:30p.m. - 9:00p.m.

2600 ASHLAND AVENUE (back of building)

Lorain, Ohio 44052

The Coalition for Hispanic/Latino Issues & Progress (CHIP) has invited selected contested General Election candidates to participate in this bi-annual forum. Lorain City Schools is recording this event and will broadcast the event on multiple dates prior to the November 4, 2025, General Election. This Forum is facilitated by Trustee Michael Ferrer along with Trustees & Conference Co-Directors Carmen Leibas and Alisha Pardon.

Candidates have 1 minute for an opening statement. Next, they will be asked a series of questions by the panelists with 1 minute to respond to each. Candidates conclude with a 1-minute final statement. The candidates received a list of possible questions upon their arrival (starting at 6:15pm). Although friends/advisors are welcome to attend, the real audience is Lorain County via television so look at the camera when responding. Candidates have been warned of the consequences of disparaging their opponents when providing responses to CHIP questions.

7:00pm	Welcome	CHIP President	Juanita Senquiz
7:07pm	LC Issue 1	Sales tax 1/4% - Criminal Justice Services	Sheriff Jack Hall Lorain County Sheriff
7:13pm	School Issue 21	Renewal 23.85 mils for current expenses	Dr. Jeff Graham, Superintendent Lorain City School District
7:19pm	School Issue 22	Renewal Levy 3.22 mills Emergency Requirements – 10 years	Dr. Jeff Graham, Superintendent Lorain City School District
7:25pm	Lorain City Council 6 th Ward	Angel Arroyo (D)	Aaron C. Knapp (R)
7:41pm	Lorain Clerk of Courts	Kyriecce Brooks (R)	Ted Kalo (D)
7:57pm	Municipal Court Judge City of Oberlin	Farah Lillian Emeka	Richard S. Ramsey
8:15pm	Lorain City School Board	Mark Ballard II Diamaris Rosario	Davon Marie Jeffers Bill Sturgill
8:55pm	Final Comments	CHIP President	Juanita Senquiz