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PRC Welcomes New Board Members

Nelson Gonzalez, Michael Niczyporuk and Zachary Papilion Join PRC

SAN FRANCISCO (August 9, 2021) – [PRC](http://www.prcsf.org), the San Francisco nonprofit that elevates the lives of those affected by poverty, HIV/AIDS, substance use or mental health issues, today announced three new board members joining as of July 21, 2021.

Nelson Gonzalez is Head of Global Impact Computing at Amazon Web Services. Mr. Gonzalez has been a trusted advisor to the Chan Zuckerberg Initiative, Packard Foundation and Stupski Foundation. A sought-after public speaker, his subjects include how quantum computing and autonomous systems can achieve positive social impact and sustainability, conservation, healthcare and human rights.



Nelson Gonzalez

Michael Niczyporuk is a former physicist turned financial technology executive focused on making financial services more inclusive and empowering the use of technology. Mr. Niczyporuk is passionate about PRC's mission and uniquely integrated service model, and he looks forward to helping the organization further grow and innovate.



Michael Niczyporuk

Zachary Papilion is a Senior Manager at Apple and has worked at the intersection of technology and consumer experience for most of his career. Mr. Papilion has been involved with PRC since 2004 as a committed donor and is eager to support the organization in a new way.



Zachary Papilion

"PRC is moving quickly to implement effective programs stemming the tide of poverty and homelessness in San Francisco," said **Brett Andrews**, PRC's CEO. "We need innovators on our Board to not only guide our growth but connect us to others who can make our services more efficient and easily accessible. I'm so pleased that Nelson, Michael and Zachary will help shape our vision of elevating the lives of those in need. Their experience in technology and innovation, when applied to PRC's services, will allow us to provide vital services more expeditiously to those who need it most. Consistent with the Key Management & Governance initiatives in our 2020 – 2025 Strategic Plan, this is the latest installment of new board members that will help to advance PRC's goals. They join Josh Frieman, Principal at Prime Group, Larkin Callaghan, Global Lead, Public Affairs, for PrEP and HIV Prevention and Patricia Thayer, VP Intellectual Property, both at Gilead Sciences, who joined the Board in February and March 2021."

About PRC

PRC is a San Francisco-based nonprofit social impact organization serving the needs of the City's most vulnerable people and communities. PRC's multifaceted programs offer supportive services to those struggling with substance use, HIV/AIDS and behavioral health challenges that most often stem from the broader systemic challenges of historic economic, social and racial inequities. PRC, in service since 1987, assists approximately 5,700 individuals annually. For more information, please visit www.prcsf.org.