

San Diego Forward: The 2019-2050 Regional Plan Community Based Organizations (CBO) Outreach Network

To reach out to community members who have traditionally been underserved and underrepresented in the planning process, SANDAG partnered with 13 Community Based Organizations from around the region. These organizations have created programs to engage stakeholders from low-income communities, limited-English speaking populations, the disabled community, and seniors to ensure that their voices are heard and that the 2019 Regional Plan is socially equitable.

Barrio Logan College Institute (BLCI) – BLCI is a non-profit organization whose mission is to provide comprehensive programs that empower students from elementary school through college completion to develop the self-esteem, academic skills, and support systems necessary to succeed in school, and broaden their experiences to prepare them for success. BLCI promotes the pursuit of higher education for students who are traditionally under-represented in college through afterschool programs that begin in the third grade. All of BLCI's students will be the first in their families to go to college. BLCI also provides youth leadership development for youth to address issues impacting their community, as well as workshops for parents where they learn to access resources for their families and take an active role in their children's journey.

Areas of influence: Barrio Logan, Castle Park

Languages: English, Spanish

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