

EXCELSIOR GERMAN CENTER

Oakland, February 2, 2025

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Dear Members:

The next meeting of the Excelsior German Center at the Altenheim and the election of directors will be on **Sunday, March 2, 2025 at 2 p.m.** at the Altenheim. Five positions on the board of directors are up for election.

Board of Directors

President Petra Specht

Vice President Petra Kübler

Secretary Hannelore Avalos

> Treasurer Karl Pfeiffer

Members Marlene Feuerstraeter Nancy Grabow Thomas Kronemeyer Hilde Lorentz Anthony J. Schaller The terms of Hannelore Avalos, Marlene Feuersträter, Thomas Kronemeyer, Hilde Lorentz, and Petra Specht are ending this spring. However, they are eligible for another term and may run for re-election. All current board members except Marlene Feuersträter and Hilde Lorentz are running for re-election. Two new candidates submitted the required application and declaration of willingness to serve for two years as directors, and have accepted their nomination. They are Nakele Rechenauer and Robert Daubert. Their applications are included in this mailing.

Also, please note that only members in good standing, i.e. those who have paid their annual dues for 2025 (\$30 for person or \$50 per couple) by January 31, 2025, are eligible to vote.

Respectfully yours,

The Nominating Committee

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