

2020 ANNUAL REPORT



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BOARD VICE PRESIDENT RACHAEL WIGGINS EMORY joined NARAL's Board of Directors last year, driven by a desire to make real and positive impact. She sees strength in solidarity as we fight to improve the lives of Oregonians through activism and system change.

"I want to bring my lived experience to this work. Abortion is a medical service; it should and must be an option for people regardless of background, race, gender, or personal circumstances. Being part of NARAL is an opportunity for me to advocate for genuine good.

“YOUR INVESTMENT MATTERS.”

We are a proven organization that has passed game-changing policy and improved health care access. At a time when people are making hard decisions about how to use every dollar, this is an opportunity to make that dollar count. **Supporting NARAL Pro-Choice Oregon is an effective, impactful investment.**"



MOBILIZE

BOARD MEMBER PERLA ALVAREZ LUCIO'S equity-focused vision helps us mobilize members and elected leaders to center justice in Oregon, the most pro-choice state in the nation.

"We have policies and pro-choice leaders in office today who are committed to making Oregon a better place for all communities, and passage of the Reproductive Health Equity Act helps ensure that undocumented women have better access to reproductive health care. We are focused on social and reproductive justice, making sure that our elected leaders will take action.



THERE IS NO REPRODUCTIVE JUSTICE WITHOUT RACIAL JUSTICE.

Looking to the future, I know we can do more—with the new leadership team, we can be really strong at reaching immigrant and undocumented communities, the Black community, and historically marginalized people. **I'm excited about where our work can go.**"



EMPOWER



DEPUTY DIRECTOR JEANINE MORALES is shaping NARAL's future as a justice-centered political force to expand access, dignity, and the right to safe abortion care for all people who can become pregnant.

"In 2020, people came together to demand justice and change, and created real progress in lifting up marginalized communities. Our first step toward birth justice is acknowledging our past and becoming better allies to those that have been historically left out by our movement. **Our team is ready to make it happen.**"

WE'RE LAYING THE FOUNDATION FOR A STRONGER FUTURE.



PEOPLE LOOK TO OREGON AS A MODEL.

FOUNDATION VICE PRESIDENT STELLA DANTAS, MD, FACOG, is an OB-GYN and member of the American College of Obstetricians and Gynecologists. As a clinician, she leads our efforts to expand health equity.

"This year has shown that we can't be complacent. We don't know the future of the Affordable Care Act or Roe v. Wade, but Oregonians are protected thanks to the Reproductive Health Equity Act and the work of NARAL. I am proud to stand in solidarity with clinicians around the country as we advocate for patient access.

We've had tragedy this year, but also incredible opportunities to learn. By expanding telemedicine we're improving equity and access for people with health care challenges. **Oregon can lead as we break down barriers.**"

“THIS MOMENT REQUIRES ALL OF US TO LISTEN AND REFLECT, AND MOST IMPORTANTLY, TO ACT.”

NARAL Pro-Choice Oregon has met the unprecedented challenges of 2020, thanks to our foundation of support from four decades of collective action, and energized by bold, new leadership.

EXECUTIVE DIRECTOR CHRISTEL ALLEN brings a lifelong commitment to equity to this movement. With a proven record as a team builder, campaign strategist and community advocate, Christel is ready to fight to expand access, equity, and justice in Oregon.

DEPUTY DIRECTOR JEANINE MORALES has a rich background in empowering Oregon’s most-impacted communities and is a driving force behind our new inclusive policies and practices. Inspired by today’s racial justice movement, she looks forward to deepening and building new community partnerships at NARAL.

ENGAGEMENT ORGANIZER RACHEL FETTERS has continued to build and support the School Board Members for Reproductive Health network. In 2020, she also helped galvanize more than 100,000 calls and texts during the 2020 election year, inspiring thousands of members and voters to action amidst the COVID-19 pandemic.

OFFICE COORDINATOR MEGAN TROMBETTA supports our entire team, and her role has become even more crucial in a virtual work environment. Megan keeps the staff, Board, volunteers, and partners coordinated and connected as we work to meet the new challenges of today.

CARYL ZENKER, INTERIM DIRECTOR OF DEVELOPMENT, connects us with supporters through statewide membership activities. Caryl successfully led our first-ever virtual Gala, and she has creatively and effectively reimaged our funding models to meet NARAL’s evolving needs.



CHRISTEL ALLEN



JEANINE MORALES



RACHEL FETTERS



MEGAN TROMBETTA



CARYL ZENKER

ABOUT US

BECAUSE OF YOU, Oregon continues to hold the torch, burning brightly with progressive ideals and proud, vocal political action. Thanks to you, we remain a symbol of hope. We've drawn the line, and we won't go back.

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MISSION STATEMENT

NARAL PRO-CHOICE OREGON develops and sustains a constituency that uses the political process to guarantee every person who can become pregnant the right to make personal decisions regarding the full range of reproductive choices, including preventing unintended pregnancy, bearing healthy children, and choosing legal abortion.

NARAL PRO-CHOICE OREGON FOUNDATION supports and defends, as a fundamental right and value, a person's freedom to make personal decisions regarding the full range of reproductive choices—including preventing unintended pregnancy, raising healthy families, and choosing legal abortion—through education, training, organizing, and research. We champion public policy that addresses disparities in reproductive health care and promotes health equity for all people.