



## Sofia Adrogué Receives 2018 Humanitarian Award From Latino Learning Center, Inc.

June 28, 2018

The Latino Learning Center (“LLC”) recognized Diamond McCarthy partner, Sofia Adrogué, with a Humanitarian Award at their 40th Anniversary Luncheon on Thursday, June 28, 2018 held at the George R. Brown Convention Center in Houston. Latino Learning Center’s Humanitarian Awards honor individuals and companies for outstanding work in communities that promote social, philanthropic and humanitarian work. Ms. Adrogué was recognized in the “Special Recognition – Helping Hands” category for her compassion, commitment and unwavering support in helping to ensure that the City of Houston remains diverse and affords opportunities to all within the community. Sofia received one of the “Helping Hands” Humanitarian awards along with Marcelo Claire, Executive Chairman of Sprint; Judge Ed Emmett, Harris County Judge and Commissioner; Edward “Ed” Gonzalez, Harris County Sheriff; and United States Senator Ted Cruz.

Diamond McCarthy is proud to acknowledge Sofia for her tireless community and civic work in a diverse array of areas, including her commitment to and involvement with the Latino Learning Center. We congratulate her on receiving such a meaningful recognition as the LLC’s Humanitarian Award.

### **About Latino Learning Center**

Founded by John Aleman, Frank Orozco and Abraham Ramirez, it is the mission of the Latino Learning Center to provide educational and human support services to Houston communities, and to inspire and empower at-risk Latinos to pursue their potential and achieve success. For four decades, LLC has been working to help Latinos become productive contributors through educational programming services, including vocational training and bilingual classes, senior housing and senior daycare.

### **About Sofia Adrogué**

A native of Argentina, and a commercial litigator for more than 25 years, Adrogué is a partner at Diamond McCarthy LLP. Adrogué handles complex commercial litigation and multi-party proceedings in state and federal courts, as well as in ADR proceedings throughout the United States and abroad. She represents clients in a variety of industries, ranging from entrepreneurs to multinational corporations. Adrogué has been profiled by many publications, including Texas Lawyer (one of Texas' Top "40 Under 40"), TEXAS MONTHLY AND LAW & POLITICS Magazine ("Texas Super Lawyer"), LATINO LEADERS Magazine ("The 25 Most Influential Hispanic Lawyers" and a "Top Latino Partner") and HOUSTON WOMAN Magazine. She also serves as the Creator & Editor of TEXAS BUSINESS LITIGATION (ALM 2015, 2016, 2017) and Co-Host & Co-Producer of LATINA VOICES—SMART TALK. She is a graduate of the Harvard Business School Owner/President Management Program, an alumna of the Harvard Business School, and received her J.D. from the University of Houston Law Center, *magna cum laude*, Order of the Coif and Barons, and her B.A. from Rice University, *magna cum laude*, Phi Beta Kappa, both on full academic scholarships.

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*commends and appreciates*

*Sofia Adroque*  
*Helping Hands*

*in recognition of your great leadership, philanthropic work and passion in helping local institutions.*

*Therefore, I, Sylvester Turner, Mayor of the City of Houston, thank you for your service and dedication to the Houston community.*

*June 28, 2018*



In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and have caused the Official Seal of the City of Houston to be affixed this 14<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2018.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Sylvester Turner', written over a horizontal line.

Sylvester Turner  
Mayor of the City of Houston