## JOIN OUR BOARD!

**ACCOUNTING & BUDGETING** 

**GRANT RESEARCH & WRITING** 

MEMBERSHIP & CAPACITY BUILDING

FILL OUR INTEREST FORM BY NOV. 30TH

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### WHAT YOU'LL DO

- Share skills with our members
- Build membership base
- Help with bookkeeping
- Create budgets
- Translate budgets into programmatic goals
- Research grants
- Write grant proposals

#### **THE COMMITMENT**

- 6-10 hours per month
- Oversee individual and collaborative projects
- Meet in-person & vitualy

WE WANT TO BUILD A WORKING BOARD WITH DIVERSE EXPERIENCES AND ESPECIALLY ENCOURAGE BIPOC AND LGBTQIA+ PEOPLE TO APPLY

## ABOUT VOCES!

#### Voces Ciudadanas Inc

is a grassroots organization founded in 2015 in Sunset Park, Brooklyn that has grown in the last three years and is looking to expand its Board of Directors.

**History** Voces Ciudadanas was founded to create an alternative space to investigate and discuss gentrification and other issues facing the community. In 2017 when overcrowding schools in our community became a big issue Voces Ciudadanas helped establish and lead the <u>Make Space for</u> <u>Schools Campaign</u>.



After organizing marches, delivering a petition with over 3,000 signatures to the Chancellor, and crashing a meeting of the School Construction Authority several school buildings (PS896, PS958, old police precinct 43rd & 4th) are NOW open in our community.

# voces **CIUDADANAS**

During the Pandemic Voces Ciudadanas helped distribute over 1200 pounds of food a week to the community including seniors and extended families and helped over 400 community members apply for the NYS Rent Assistance Program and the Excluded Workers Fund.

When possible we have offered in person art workshops for families and the community to provide a safe space to build relationships and discuss issues affecting our community.

**Now** we are looking to expand our work of organizing around issues and integrating Art as the catalyst for social change and community dialogue.

**Our mission** to build the collective power of migrants and other marginalized people by promoting community leadership and organizing, offering popular education programming and creating spaces to encourage dialogue so that social justice becomes a reality.