

Friday April 29, 2022

Yadira Ochoa & Marcos Pena Ochoa  
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Dear ELARC LVAC,

We, Marcos Pena Ochoa, consumer of ELARC and Yadira Ochoa parent of Marcos Pena Ochoa, client of Eastern Los Angeles Regional Center, are writing this letter today in support of the proposal being submitted by Ochoa's Consulting LLC. for the Funding to Support Implementation of the Self-Determination Program in the ELARC community grant.

We came to this country from Mexico 5 years ago and had zero knowledge of the Regional Center and the IDD services system. Ochoa's consulting helped us apply for Regional Center Services and taught us about the Self Determination Program. Armida and her team helped us create the initial Person Centered Plan and helped us understand the process of creating a spending plan and how to choose an FMS, things that we knew nothing about. Since June 21, 2021 Ochoa's Consulting LLC., has been our Independent Facilitator.

To conclude, we support Ms. Ochoa and Ochoa's Consulting LLC. team to deliver on their proposed goals and objectives as we are clear examples of what they can do to help other families like ours.

Sincerely,

Marcos Pena Ochoa  
Consumer of ELARC

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'YAO' with a stylized flourish.

Yadira Ochoa  
Mother