

Ramiro Salazar  
Director at Large

**Ramiro S. Salazar** joined the City of San Antonio, Texas, as Director of the Public Library in April 2005. In this role, he is responsible for the delivery of library services to approximately 1.9 million residents in San Antonio and Bexar County, Texas. He provides management oversight for the library system, consisting of the downtown Central Library, 29 library outlets and leads a team of over 550 employees. Ramiro is currently the President of the Public Library Association, a national organization representing nearly 10,000 professionals representing public libraries large and small.

Before joining the San Antonio Public Library, Ramiro served as Interim Assistant City Manager for the City of Dallas, Texas. Prior to that, he served as the Director of the Dallas Public Library from 1993 to 2004. He also served as Director of the El Paso Public Library, City of El Paso, Texas for three years. He has dedicated his public service to increasing availability of library resources and services to all segments of the community.