

USATT BOARD OF DIRECTORS

AT-LARGE DIRECTOR POSITION ELECTION – CANDIDATE STATEMENT

ALEX FIGUEROA



Dear Table Tennis Friends in the United States,

My name is Alex Figueroa from California, and I am excited to submit my candidacy for a position on the board of directors for USATT. Like you, I am deeply passionate about our sport, and I believe there is so much potential for improvement in how we support and grow table tennis across the country. I am running for a seat on the board to bring a combination of hands-on table tennis experience, an academic background, and a strong professional foundation in sports management.

If elected, I pledge to address some of the key needs I've heard from you – the dedicated players, parents, coaches, and leaders in our table tennis community. First and foremost, I will work hard to improve **communication**. I know that while certain board discussions must stay confidential, members deserve more information about the general direction and goals of USATT. I want to keep you updated on the topics we're tackling and the progress we're making to build trust and keep everyone in the loop.

Transparency is another priority. USATT's board and staff serve you – our members – not the other way around. My goal is to create a culture where members feel confident in the decisions being made on their behalf. Even if some decisions might not please everyone, providing clear reasoning and background can build understanding and support within our community.

My commitment is to serve with integrity, listen to your feedback, and make thoughtful decisions that contribute to the sustainable growth of table tennis in the U.S. Thank you for considering my candidacy. Together, let's make USATT an organization we can all be proud of.

Sincerely,

Alex Figueroa