Noel Bernal
Director at Large

**Noel Bernal** began his service as County Manager for Adams County, Colorado in August 2022. Adams County is Colorado's 5<sup>th</sup> largest county with a population over 520,000, organization of over 2500 employees, and a budget of approximately \$600 million, including the Colorado Air and Space Port. He reports to the Board of County Commissioners.

Noel Bernal has served communities in South, Central, and North Texas throughout his professional career in public service that spans over a decade in an executive leadership capacity, including as City Administrator of La Villa, Falfurrias, serving as the first City Administrator, Assistant City Manager for Taylor, a growing suburb in the Austin-Round Rock metropolitan area, Deputy City Manager for Coppell in the Dallas Fort-Worth metropolitan area, and City Manager of Brownsville.

Mr. Bernal earned an undergraduate degree and a Master of Public Administration from the University of Texas Pan American. He is a Credentialed Manager through the International City/County Management Association, a Certified Public Manager through the William P. Hobby Center for Public Service at Texas State University and graduate of the Senior Executive Institute at the University of Virginia. Mr. Bernal's professional involvement includes being a member of the International City/County Management Association (ICMA) and Board of Directors of the Institute for Building Technology and Safety (IBTS). He has also completed the Bloomberg Harvard City Leadership Initiative.

He is married and has a son and two daughters.