

Mexico Candidates Concede Defeat, Recognize AMLO's Victory

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AMLO projected to win the Mexican presidency.

Andres Manuel Lopez Obrador will soon be declared the next president of Mexico as all his rivals recognized his overwhealming lead in the preliminary results and exit polls, and congratulated him for his victory.

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Shortly after the official preliminary results began rolling out, the right-wing candidates Ricardo Anaya, from the National Action Party (PAN), Jose Antonio Meade, from the Revolutionary Institutional Party (PRI) and the independent Jaime Rodriguez "El Bronco," conceded defeat in the presidential race.

With only 0.3 percent of the ballots counted, the candidate and head of the National Renewal Party (Morena) has 46.49 percent of the votes and some exit polls gave him more than 50 percent of the voting preference.

"I wish the best of luck for the new government, for the well being of our country that deserves to be ruled with responsibility. I'll take a few days to reflect on my



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future, but be certain I'll keep working for a better Mexico," said Meade in front of his supporters as he recognized AMLO's unstoppable lead.

"No democracy works without democrats. That's why I tell Mexicans today the result's information we have now favors Andres Manuel," said Anaya. An official, non-conclusive quick count will be published by 11 p.m., Mexico City's time.