

Reason for desiring to be part of the Board of Directors for Soledad Cemetery District.

My name is Evarista Bañuelos, and I am a lifelong resident of Soledad. I am a volunteer community leader in Soledad, and I have vested interest in being appointed as a Board Member for the district. I believe this is the right moment in my life where I can apply my knowledge and my analytical skills and put them to the test in representing the district. I have the knowledge and time to devote my time to this important role I will be part of. Due to the various ways in which I am already involved within my community, such as connecting with and maintaining positive relationships with residents, local businesses, being involved with my children and nephew's education and keeping up to date with local issues that may affect our community. I feel that the next natural step is for me to become part of the cemetery district. This will be a great platform to be effectively involved and be a voice for our residents.

If I'm selected, I will continue to focus on community concerns, help develop opportunities for better relationships with anyone who is involved in the district and to evolve in Soledad and support each other. I will promote responsible fiscal decision making, support our local agencies and or clubs, and work toward offering more opportunities for youth programs into employment. I believe we have a diverse community, and I will help promote important values such as tolerance and respect toward each other. I would ensure that all residents have a voice and make decisions that are in the best interest of our city and its residents.

I am very excited about this opportunity and ready to continue to serve.

Evarista Bañuelos