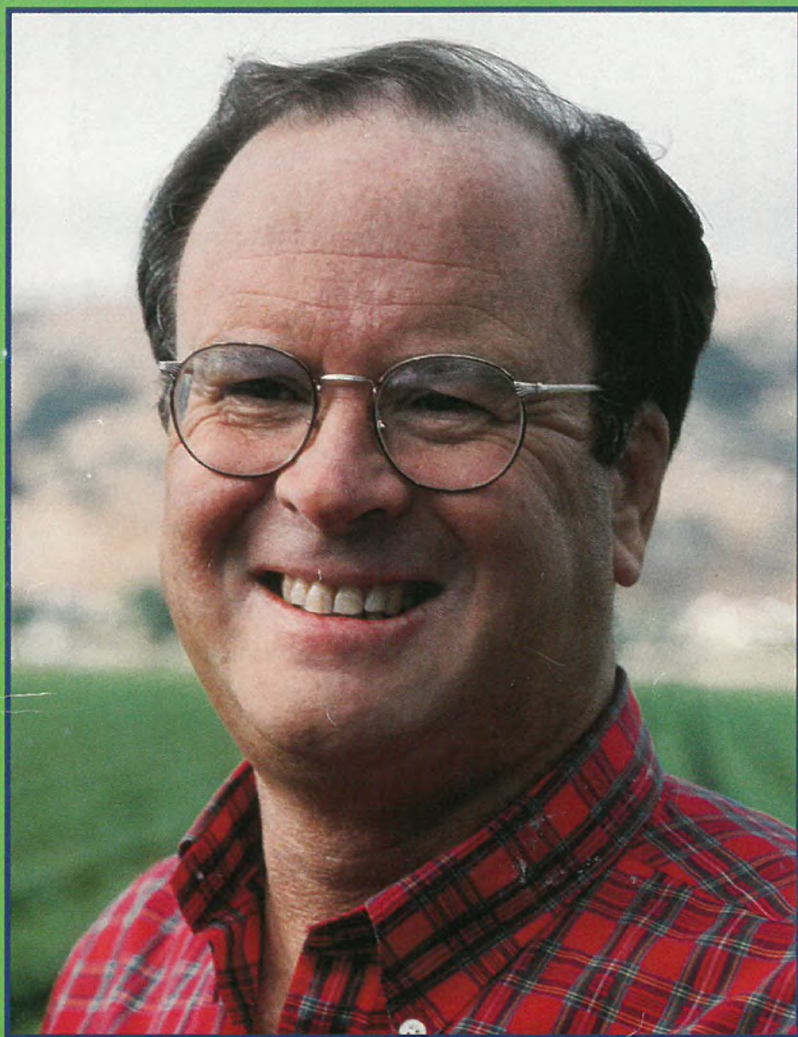


**A Leader Who
Gets Results**



Sam Farr

Sam and Shary Farr with daughter, Jessica.



Dear Neighbor,

We have wonderful resources here on the Central Coast, from our farms, to our schools, to our beautiful coastline. But our greatest treasure by far is the talent and commitment of our people.

That's why it's such an honor to serve this area in Congress. I'm proud of the role I've played in protecting our coastline, saving agricultural land, and building a new university. However, the truth is these victories don't happen without the hard work and cooperation of the whole community.

There's more hard work ahead – more battles to fight and win. Let's continue to work together, so our children and grandchildren can grow and prosper here too.

Sincerely,

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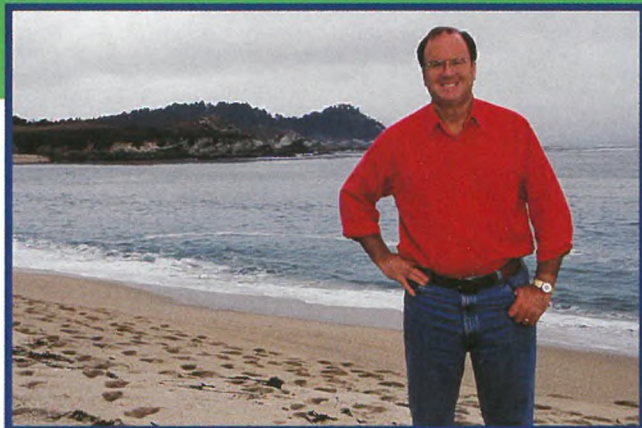
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Saving Our Environment

- Sam Farr persuaded the President to establish the California Coastal National Monument, securing permanent wilderness protection for thousands of rocks, islands, exposed reefs and pinnacles along the entire California coast.
- He also won the effort to double the size of the Pinnacles National Monument to protect this treasure from urban sprawl.
- He's repeatedly saved the Monterey Bay Marine Sanctuary from threatened funding cuts.
- He's won more than \$20 million to protect the scenery of Big Sur.
- Sam authored the National Oceans Act to promote comprehensive ocean resource management, and brought the first National Oceans Conference to Monterey Bay.



Creating Good Jobs

- Sam has cast the tough votes in Congress to establish fiscal discipline and wipe out the deficit, creating a booming economy and millions of new jobs.
- Here at home he's created 100 new jobs by bringing the Defense Finance and Accounting Service facility to the former Fort Ord.
- He saved the Social Security data center in Salinas, keeping 300 jobs.
- He's won locality pay increases for federal workers in Monterey County to meet the high cost of living.
- He helped prevent shutdown of the Defense Language Institute and the Naval Postgraduate School.





Reforming Health Care

- Sam co-authored the bill to provide Medicare coverage of prescription drugs, and is also working to provide better health coverage for children.
- He's consistently supported increased funding for veterans' health care programs.
- He led the successful effort to establish a new VA clinic at the former Fort Ord.
- He's been a strong advocate for the mentally ill, speaking out, for example, at the recent White House Conference on Mental Health.
- He's worked with the Justice Department to ensure that police are better trained to handle mentally ill suspects.
- He's fought to increase funding for the National Institute of Nursing Research.



Improving Our Schools

- Sam has obtained more than \$61 million to convert the buildings at Fort Ord into CSU Monterey Bay.
- He's brought a new \$25 million science lab to UCSC.
- He helped California get permission to use federal funds to reduce class size in our overcrowded middle schools.
- He's won funding for hundreds of new police to patrol our schools, to help break up gangs and stop senseless violence.
- He strongly promotes the "Peace Builders" program, where students learn to resolve differences.
- He authored legislation for better teacher training in core subjects.

