

For Our Families...



Sam Farr has been endorsed by:

- California Labor Federation, AFL-CIO
- California Organization of Police and Sheriffs
- Sierra Club
- National Council of Senior Citizens
- CSEA - California School Employees Association
- United Transportation Union
- California Federation of Teachers
- Crime Victims United of California
- Planned Parenthood
- National Association of Police Organizations
- United Domestic Workers of America
- League of Conservation Voters
- National Education Association

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SAM FARR



keeps his promises...

For the Environment...

- Sam Farr brought the Clinton Administration and leaders in marine conservation to the Monterey Bay for the first ever National Ocean Conference.
- Sam Farr extended the ban on offshore oil drilling and convinced the Administration to impose the moratorium for another 10 years, minimum.
- Sam Farr wrote the Oceans Act of 1997, now on its way to becoming law.
- Sam Farr increased funding to the marine sanctuary program and the estuarine research program, both critical to the marine ecosystem of the Central Coast.
- Sam Farr introduced legislation to protect the California Rocks Islands and Pinnacles Wilderness.
- Sam Farr supports strong Clean Water, Clean Air, and Superfund laws.
- Sam Farr opposes reckless logging of the national forests.



For our Producers...

- Sam Farr wrote the law —the Farm Land Trust Act— that allows farmers to keep their land in agricultural production and avoid the pressures of urban development and city sprawl.
- Sam Farr made it possible for fishermen to receive emergency business loans after a natural disaster. This was a first for the fishermen in our community.
- Sam Farr was instrumental in getting the USDA to revise its organic labeling regulation. In its place will be a standard more similar to the standard used currently in California.



- Sam Farr arranged for the federal funding that built critical water delivery systems for local farmers, including the Castroville Seawater Intrusion project and the Salinas Valley Reclamation project.
- Sam Farr is leading the fight against tariff-free imports of cut flowers from Colombia.
- Sam Farr has secured a lettuce breeder scientist for the Salinas Agriculture Research Station.

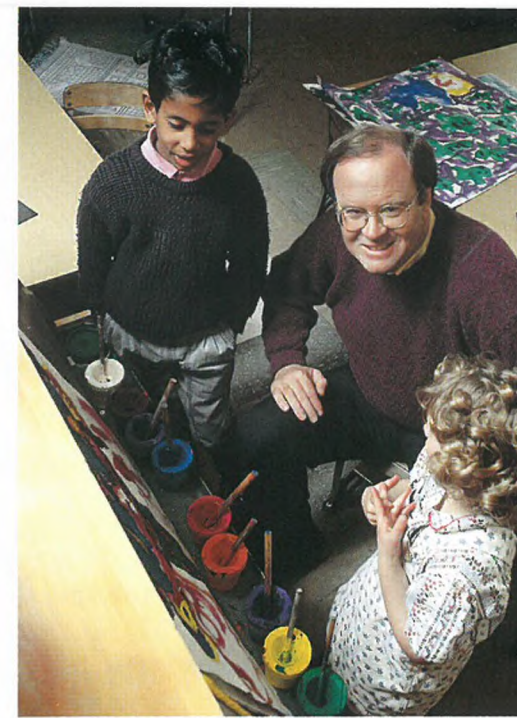


For Safe Communities...

- Sam Farr worked to put more police on the streets. Through the federal COPS program, Monterey County has received more than \$4.4 million to support over 66 police, San Benito County has received \$150,000 to support 2 new police; and Santa Cruz County has received \$3.5 million to support over 49 police slots.
- Sam Farr supports programs like Peace Builders and Barrios Unidos which provide kids with alternatives to gang involvement.
- Sam Farr supports the Domestic Violence Against Women Act (VAWA) which seeks to protect women and their children from abusive home situations.

For Education...

- Sam Farr has been pivotal in securing funding to advance educational opportunities in the district. CSUMB has received over \$50 million and UCSC has received another \$2 million in federal funds as a result of Farr's efforts. DLI and NPS continue to benefit from Farr's interaction with federal military educators at the Pentagon.
- Sam Farr cut the red tape that was holding up establishment and construction of a new marine research laboratory in Santa Cruz. Farr and administration officials broke ground for this new \$20 million educational facility in June, 1998.
- Sam Farr voted for increases in Pell Grants, and for lower interest rates on student loans. He supports tax credits for families with children in school.
- Sam Farr supports federal funding to underwrite local bonds for the repair and construction of school buildings.



For the Economy...



- Thanks to Sam Farr, the old Silas B. Hayes hospital at Fort Ord was converted to federal office space. This brought 300 jobs to the area.
- Sam Farr saved the local Social Security Data Center from being closed and contracted out to another part of the country. This saved another 300 local jobs.
- Sam Farr has been tireless in assisting local residents and businesses to receive emergency funds to re-shape their lives after a natural disaster; like the Loma Prieta earthquake, the 1995 floods, and the El Niño of 1997.
- Sam Farr formed the Travel & Tourism Caucus in the House of Representatives to focus on those federal policies that impact tourism—the Central Coast's second largest industry.

- Sam Farr supported a cut in the capital gains tax and voted to raise the loan cap on federally insured home mortgages.
- Sam Farr has obtained over \$12 million in new highway construction funds, including a new interchange at Airport Road/Highway 101; a Highway 25 By-Pass of downtown Hollister; environmental studies for the Route 101 Prunedale By-Pass, and improvements for highway crossings along the Monterey Branch line railroad. Farr has also secured funds for buses in both Monterey and Santa Cruz counties.