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Local Business Leaders Back Chris Parlier for District 2 Supervisor

Kern County District 2 Supervisor Chris Parlier has earned strong support from local business leaders and industry stakeholders for re-election, reflecting his proven record of protecting jobs, strengthening core industries, and advancing economic growth.

Supervisor Parlier has been a powerful advocate for Kern County’s foundational industries – energy, agriculture, logistics, and manufacturing – working at the local, state, and federal levels to ensure policies support job creation and long-term stability. Whether it’s advocating in Washington, D.C., to restore oil drilling and preserve thousands of local jobs, defending mining operations, or updating zoning ordinances to help the trucking industry operate more efficiently, Parlier’s first term as District 2 Supervisor has been shaped by a passion to protect and strengthen the regional economy.

Supervisor Parlier is supported by a growing list of community and business groups, including:

- Associated Builders and Contractors, Central California Chapter
- Bakersfield Chamber of Commerce Political Action Committee
- BizFed Central Valley
- Kern County Home Builders
- Mountain Communities Chamber of Commerce
- North Coast States Carpenters Union
- Taft Chamber of Commerce

“Chris Parlier understands what it takes to keep Kern County’s economy competitive and resilient for local families and businesses,” Clint Olivier, President and CEO of BizFed Central Valley, said. “His leadership has helped strengthen Kern’s key industries and driven smart investments that support job creation and long-term economic stability for our communities.”

Supervisor Parlier’s results-driven work to support responsible development has also earned him broad support from Kern’s building and construction industries.

“The state’s regulatory environment continues to hinder efficient and affordable housing production, making strong local leadership that stands up for builders and homebuyers critical,” said Dave Dmohowski, Executive Officer of the Home Builders Association of Kern County. “Supervisor Parlier has demonstrated a commitment to improving how projects move forward in Kern County, supporting local builders as they deliver the housing our communities need.”

This commitment to industry is matched by Supervisor Parlier’s advocacy for greater investment in infrastructure, workforce development, and fire mitigation efforts, which support existing industries and ensure that Kern County remains well-positioned for economic expansion.

“It is the County’s role to create an environment where businesses can thrive, and residents can find high-quality jobs to support their families,” said Chris Parlier. “By pairing support for our traditional industries with smart investments, we can ensure a resilient economic future for Kern County.”

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