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March 13, 2022 **Fowler Mayor David Cardenas**

FRESNO—The Fresno County Democratic Party mourns the passing of David Cardenas, mayor of Fowler and longtime pillar of his community. Cardenas served as Fowler's mayor for 12 years and was on the City Council for 21 years. Cardenas also chaired the Fresno Council of Governments.

Despite his long tenure in elected office, it was his contributions to the community as an individual that stood out and made him so beloved. He was personable and an individual of unmatched integrity. He was the epitome of what it means to be a civil servant.

During his time as mayor, he walked door to door to promote free virtual preschool starting back in 2019. He continuously reached out for public opinion on how best to direct Measure C transportation money in our region.

As a man of faith, he was deeply involved in St. Lucy's Catholic Church, spearheading the construction of the grotto to Our Lady of Guadalupe. He owned Dave's Auto Service, and everyone knew that he would go above and beyond for every customer.

The Central Valley will miss his kindness and dedication.

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