



# CAL FIRE LOCAL 2881

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*Representing the Professional Firefighters of CAL FIRE*

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Estelle Fennel  
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**RE: LETTER OF ENDORSEMENT – CAL FIRE LOCAL 2881**

Dear Estelle:

As the District Vice President for the First District of CAL FIRE Local 2881 (Humboldt/Del Norte, Mendocino, Sonoma Lake Napa Units), it is my pleasure to notify you of our association's endorsement and support of your bid for Humboldt County Second District Supervisor.

CAL FIRE firefighters serve in the largest fire department and fire-service labor group within the United States. We know that you understand and respect the services our members provide and the many challenges we face every day as local emergency responders. Our members strive daily to protect our north coast communities by providing a host of emergency services, as well as non-emergency services, including fire safety education, supporting volunteer fire department recruiting and training efforts, and incorporating wildland-fire safety measures and other fire prevention techniques, into local community planning efforts.

Your community stewardship is a matter of record. Your leadership in helping to secure and fund multiple departments through Measure Z, to your volunteer service as a board of director for the Briceland volunteer Fire Department. Your current position on Humboldt Fire Services Advisory Committee gives us continued faith that you will help to move the fire service forward for enhanced and increased customer services to the citizens of our county. Together, we share the values of community service and safety. We can look forward to a continual partnership as we strengthen our region's emergency response and preparedness capabilities. On behalf of the professional firefighters of CAL FIRE Local 2881, we stand by your side in improving and enhancing the safety of our north coast communities.

Respectfully,

Tim Edwards, President  
Cal Fire Local 2881

Josh Smith, District 1 Vice President  
Humboldt Del Norte, Mendocino, Sonoma Lake Napa  
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