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## **PRESS RELEASE**

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## STANISLAUS COUNTY SEEKS APPLICANTS FOR FARMWORKER ADVISORY COMMITTEE Application Deadline: July 15, 2025

**Stanislaus County, Calif.** – Stanislaus County is now accepting applications for its newly established Farmworker Advisory Committee (FAC). The committee will include ten farmworkers—two from each <u>supervisorial district</u>—and one representative each from the following stakeholder groups: the Agriculture Industry, a Farm Labor Contractor, the Stanislaus County Agricultural Advisory Board, and a community-based organization serving the County's farmworker population.

Applications are available in both <u>English</u> and <u>Spanish</u>, and the deadline to apply is July 15, 2025.

The FAC will serve as a forum to elevate the voices of farmworkers and provide insight into the challenges they face, including issues related to housing, access to safety-net services, health, working conditions, and immigration.

The Stanislaus County Board of Supervisors approved the formation of the committee as a one-year pilot project on <u>November 12, 2024</u>. Each committee member will receive a \$100 stipend per meeting, for up to six meetings per year.

For more information or to apply, please contact Linda Pinfold, Stanislaus County Agricultural Commissioner via <a href="mailto:emailt

## ABOUT STANISLAUS COUNTY

Stanislaus County, named for the Stanislaus River, is in the heart of California's Central Valley on the traditional lands of the Miwok and Yokuts peoples. With an economy and heritage deeply rooted in agriculture, the County is home to a growing, diverse community of 550,000 people. "We build community" is more than a mission - it reflects our commitment to making Stanislaus County a community of choice where people live, work, and thrive – a place worthy of calling "home."

**ENCLOSURES:** FAC Recruitment Flyers: English | Spanish

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