

Kim De Serpa, LCSW

Healthcare Leader/Trustee

As a long-time resident of rural Aptos, I have dedicated nearly three decades to serving our community. My journey began with overcoming adversity, working hard from a young age to support my family, and developing a deep sense of compassion and resilience.

I have a proven track record as a healthcare leader and social worker, helping people navigate our healthcare system and advocating for improvements. My role as a Trustee for the Pajaro Valley Unified School District since 2010 has given me extensive experience in managing large budgets and supporting educational initiatives. Balancing a \$331 million budget and overseeing the third-largest employer in the county highlights my capability to make tough, fiscally responsible decisions.

I am committed to realigning our county's priorities to focus on essential services: road repair, planning and permits, economic development, increased housing, transportation, and public safety. My deep understanding of the Second District, the Pajaro Valley, and the Monterey Bay region uniquely positions me to advocate effectively for our community.

Join me in building a stronger, more vibrant community for all. Together, we can ensure that our county's resources are used wisely and that every resident's voice is heard.

Let's get to work.

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