ANNOUNCEMENT OF VACANT SEAT

DISTRICT 2 - PRODUCER (GROWER)

The California Avocado Commission (CAC) announces the availability of a District 2 Producer Alternate Member seat on the CAC Board of Directors. The person appointed to fill the vacant seat will serve for the unexpired portion of the term, that is, through October 31, 2028.

Producers in District 2 who are interested in serving on the CAC Board should complete and return the form provided below to the Commission. Completed forms may be mailed or emailed, but must be received by the Commission no later than Friday, December 4, 2026.

QUALIFICATIONS FOR NOMINATION

- Any person nominated as a Producer shall certify that they meet the definition of a "Producer" or "Grower", defined by CAC Law as "any person who is engaged within this state in the business of producing, or causing to be produced, avocados for market. "Producer" or "grower" does not include any person who has an average annual production of less than 10,000 pounds of avocados in the three preceding marketing years."
- Any person nominated as a Producer shall certify that, under the same legal entity which qualifies him/her as a Producer, he/she is not a handler or an employee of a handler.
- A person shall be nominated in *only one district*. Producers who produce avocados in more than one district must select one district in which they wish to be nominated.
- All Producer candidates must meet the qualifications for nomination and submit a Disclosure of Affiliations Statement and any other documents required by the Commission. Any person elected to the Commission shall maintain his/her qualifications during the entire term of office.

The vacancy is scheduled to be filled by a majority vote of the Commission Board at a meeting on Friday, December 11, 2026. For further information, contact the Commission at 949-341-1955 or email at cac.iaf@avocado.org.

PRODUCER AFFIDAVIT OF ELIGIBILITY

I hereby declare my eligibility to serve as a Producer Alternate Member on the California Avocado Commission Board of Directors in District 2. By my signature below I declare under penalty of perjury that I meet the qualifications for nomination outlined above.

Name (print)_____ **Signature**_____

Address _____ **Zip**_____

Telephone Number(s) _____

E-Mail Address _____ **Date** _____

MUST BE RECEIVED ON OR BEFORE DECEMBER 4, 2026 VIA EMAIL
EMAIL CAC.IAF@AVOCADO.ORG