

Mark Smolley

Appointed Incumbent

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I have served as a Director on the San Lorenzo Valley Water District Board since December 2020, after serving on the District's Engineering committee for two years. My service has given me the opportunity to understand the daunting challenges facing the District: rebuilding after the CZU fire; protecting surface and groundwater resources; and addressing long-term infrastructure needs of a rural water system.

My experience as a Construction Manager (20 years) and as a licensed Professional Geologist in the environmental industry (12 years) enables me to provide valuable input and guidance to the District as we develop strategies for meeting these formidable challenges. My professional work involved projects that are directly relevant to the District. I managed large utility installation projects, including water pipelines, production wells, and groundwater monitoring wells; all of which required environmental permitting.

As an avid hiker and backpacker, I am committed to environmental protection. As a Board member with construction and environmental expertise, my goal is that SLVWD constructs high quality, cost-efficient infrastructure in order to deliver safe, affordable water to our residents. I am excited to use my professional experience to benefit the SLV community, and I ask for your vote to enable me to continue to do so.

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