

Secretary

Andy Ramirez



Division 1



Beaumont-Cherry Valley Water District Board Member

Andy Ramirez has been a board member of BCVWD since 2016. He is an experienced public servant and currently serves as a Director of Public Works & Community Services for a local agency. Director Ramirez enjoys simplifying organizational complexities, improving operational and budgetary efficiencies, and building cohesive teams. Director Ramirez has a Master's Degree in Public Administration and graduated with the highest honors from California Baptist University. He resides with his wife and children in Beaumont, California.

Dedication to Progress

As a board member, Director Ramirez helped ensure that implemented policies were successful for projects such as six water conservation projects; a cooperative agreement for recycled water; securing \$1.5 million in federal grants for meter improvements; securing \$7.5 million grant for the construction of the Beaumont MDP Line 16 Project, a joint project between the Riverside County Flood Control and Water Conservation District (RCFC & WCD) and the BCVWD. This project aims to protect the Cherry Valley community from flooding during wet weather and offsets the need for imported water by conveying up to 250 acre-feet of stormwater to the Noble Creek Recharge Facility and recharging the Beaumont Groundwater Management Zone. Additionally, Director Ramirez advocated for area residents who lost income due to COVID-19 to seek rent and utility support through the United Lift Rental Assistance Program.

Professional Experience

Director Ramirez began his career in the water industry in the late 1990s, installing water and sewer pipelines. His diverse experience continued into the public sector as an executive advisor to the City of Hemet Fire Chief, a Management Analyst in the City Manager's office for the City of San Jacinto, managing operations for the City of San Bernardino, and directing public works and capital improvement projects for the City of Palm Desert. For over a decade, Director Ramirez has served in municipal government and has enjoyed collaborating with local municipalities and intergovernmental agencies such as the Western Riverside Council of Governments (WRCOG) and the Orange County Water District (OCWD). He and his family currently volunteer their time at their local church.