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CITY OF SAN FERNANDO MOURNS THE PASSING OF COUNCILMEMBER CINDY MONTANEZ

SAN FERNANDO, CA – It is with inconsolable grief and deep sadness that we announce the passing of Councilmember Cindy Montañez, current CEO of TreePeople, and former California State Assembly Member. Cindy Montañez died surrounded by her family at home in San Fernando, California on Saturday, October 21, 2023.

Cindy will be remembered as a fierce advocate and a champion for environmental justice across California. To her family Cindy will always remain a loving daughter, sister, aunt and great aunt, and will be missed dearly.

The family requests that their privacy be respected during this difficult time. Details regarding the memorial service and funeral will be shared as they are made available.

For more information, contact Nick Kimball, City Manager, at NKimball@sfcity.org, 818-898-1202.

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