

The Vision: The worldwide movement for human rights affirms the dignity, worth and equality of all human beings and the communities in which we live. It invites us to commit ourselves to building a political, social and economic order that is effective in serving the common good.

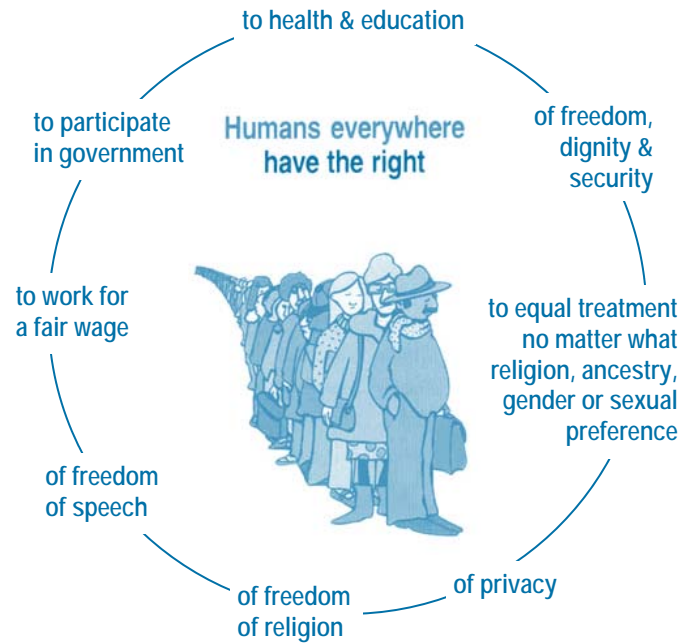
The Alliance for Human Rights in Santa Cruz County envisions our county as a harmonious and egalitarian multi-cultural society in which people are well informed about human rights as defined in U.S. and international law. Our communities will be accustomed to exercising those rights and fulfilling the responsibilities that go along with them.

Specifically, it envisions a time in which:

- Levels of public health and education will be high.
- Levels of unemployment, poverty and substance abuse will be dramatically reduced.
- Racism and violence will be unimaginable.
- Vulnerable individuals will be safe.
- Our magnificent natural environment will be protected and sustained for future generations.
- Our public agencies and officials will work in accordance with human rights principles.

Mission Statement:

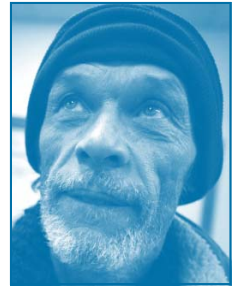
The Alliance seeks to increase public awareness of human rights and responsibilities, to discern and evaluate current practices countywide in the light of human rights principles, and to encourage legislation that implements the promise of the human rights movement for all residents of Santa Cruz County.



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ALL HUMAN BEINGS
ARE BORN
FREE AND EQUAL
IN DIGNITY
AND RIGHTS.
THEY ARE ENDOWED
WITH REASON AND
CONSCIENCE
AND SHOULD ACT
TOWARDS ONE
ANOTHER
IN A SPIRIT OF
BROTHERHOOD
AND SISTERHOOD.



Membership: The Alliance for Human Rights in Santa Cruz county welcomes the participation of individuals and organizations. Please consider joining the Alliance today to help make its vision our reality by completing & mailing the form on this page to 783 Estates Drive, Aptos, CA 95003.

- Plan of Action:** The Alliance seeks to
- Reinforce the efforts and broaden the impact of a variety of county-based organizations which are already working to advance the cause of human rights.
 - Produce the monthly Community TV program *Human Rights Here Now* featuring a wide array of guests who represent many different aspects of human rights work taking place in Santa Cruz county now.
 - Maintain website *humanrightsscc.org* with links to member organizations, a calendar of community events, human rights resources & more.
 - Participate in the annual Human Rights Fair.
 - Publicize activities of members and encourage collaboration between them.
 - Co-sponsor an essay contest and scholarship for high school students.
 - Create and distribute curricular materials for county schools.
 - Develop human rights study groups.
 - Create a human rights speakers bureau.
 - Promote other public information and advocacy projects aimed at increasing the observance of universal human rights in Santa Cruz County.

For more information, please detach and return this form to **Alliance for Human Rights SC County**, 783 Estates Drive, Aptos, CA 95003

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E-mail address _____

Organization Information _____

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Please send me more information.

I would like to be a member. Enclosed are my individual membership dues of \$5.00-\$50.00. Please bill me.

My organization would like to be a member. Enclosed are organization membership dues of \$50.00 Please bill us.