



County of Los Angeles Board of Supervisors



SUPERVISOR DANIEL REICHARD

Term: 1883 - 1885
District: Sixth
Date of Birth: Jan. 19, 1846
Death: Sept. 19, 1935

Daniel Reichard served as county supervisor for one term. He assumed office on Jan. 8, 1883. On Sept. 6, 1882, the Board of Supervisors adopted a motion to divide the County into seven districts. Reichard's new district consisted of the precincts of Anaheim, Downey, Los Nietos, Norwalk, San Antonio and Westminster. On Aug. 5, 1884, the county was divided into five supervisorial districts, in accordance with Section 16 of the County government bill. Reichard's district was absorbed into the Fifth District, which included the precincts of Anaheim, Fountain Valley, Garden Grove, Newport, Norwalk, Orange, Santa Ana, San Juan Capistrano, Silverado and Westminster. He was asked to run for re-election for the Fifth Supervisorial seat in 1885, but refused.

Reichard was born Jan. 19, 1846. In 1873, at age 27, he moved to Covina before the town had been established as a city, and began growing oranges. He is regarded as one of the pioneer orange ranchers in the County.

He served on the board of directors for the Azusa Irrigation Company; and was one of the "Committee of Nine", which included leading citrus growers representing water companies and private interests.

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