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Governor Bill Richardson Orders Flags to Half Staff in Memory of Former Senate Majority Leader Michael Alarid

SANTA FE -- Governor Bill Richardson today ordered flags to be flown at half-staff in memory of former State Senate Majority Leader Michael Alarid, who passed away at the age of 88. Flags will be flown on Monday, Aug. 6 through Tuesday, Aug. 7.

“Michael Alarid’s commitment to his family, his community and to the State of New Mexico should be a model for everyone who enters public service,” Governor Bill Richardson. “Mike will be remembered for many accomplishments, including his role in helping to fund the National Hispanic Cultural Center, his contributions to public education and his staunch support for working families. But I will remember Mike for being a genuine New Mexican.”

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