

Testimonio de Mariana Miranda en Apoyo a AB 180

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Good morning, my name is **Mariana Miranda**. I am a proud member of Make the Road Nevada, and I am here to express my support for [Assembly Bill 180 \(AB180\)](#).

I have been a street vendor for two years, offering flowers, t-shirts, hats, rings, bracelets, stuffed animals, balloons, and chocolates. This work allows me to support my family and be an active part of my community.

I have tried to get a permit, but it has been very complicated. The process is confusing, expensive, and there isn't enough information available in Spanish. The language barrier means that many of us don't even know where to start. We get sent from one office to another, and in the end, we make no progress.

All of this causes a lot of stress. Many times I'm afraid to go out and sell, worried that someone will fine me or take my products. I know other vendors who have received fines of up to \$500, and that's more than what we make in several days of work. I just want to work peacefully, without hiding, and be able to offer my products with dignity.

AB180 would give me that chance. Having a clear and accessible permit would allow me to focus on my work, grow my business, and take care of my family without fear.

I ask you to support AB180. It's a way to give us respect, stability, and peace.

Thank you very much.