



SMART BORDER COALITION™
SAN DIEGO-TIJUANA

STAKEHOLDERS WORKING COMMITTEE MEETING

JC Thomas/Elias Laniado, Stakeholders Working Committee Co-Chairs

Gustavo De La Fuente, Executive Director

9:00am-11:00 a.m., Thursday, May 11, 2017, San Diego Foundation*

Special Guests

Alan Bersin, former Acting Commissioner of U.S. Customs and Border Protection

Hon. Marcela Celorio, Mexican Ambassador in San Diego

Jason Vorderstrasse, Chief, Political/Economic Section, US Consulate in Tijuana

Frederic Fournier, Canadian Consulate

Pete Flores, Director of Field Operations, Customs and Border Protection

Jorge Boy, Aduanas Director, Tijuana

Juan Jesus Suarez Ocejo, Pacific Northwest Director, Scotiabank Wealth Management

9:00 Opening Remarks	Steve Williams/Jose Larroque, SBC
9:05 Self Introductions	All Stakeholders
9:10 SBC Report	Gustavo De La Fuente, SBC Executive Director
9:35 Borderlanders' Role in Shaping Policy	Alan Bersin
9:45 Bilateral Relationship and Border Region	Ambassador Marcela Celorio
10:00 CBP Border Crossing Efficiencies	Carlos Rodriguez, San Ysidro Port Director, CBP
10:20 Tijuana Signage and Access	Olivia Maldonado, City of Tijuana
10:25 Ped West Progress	Carolina Chavez, SIMNSA
10:30 California Peninsula's Binational Impact	Jorge Gutierrez, Director of Strategy, Scotiabank
10:50 Announcements and Open Issues	All
11:00 Closing Remarks and Adjournment	Steve Williams, SBC

**Agenda subject to change.*



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**STAKEHOLDER WORKING COMMITTEE MEETINGS
2017**

Thursday, July 6, World Trade Center, Tijuana

Thursday, September 7, San Diego Foundation

Thursday, November 9, Tijuana

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