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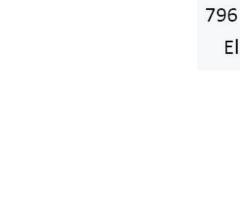


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# IMPERIAL VALLEY **General Assembly** and **Economic Summit** 2018

## Thursday, May 31, 2018

### LOCATION

### **Old Eucalyptus**

### Schoolhouse

796 W Evan Hewes Hwy El Centro, CA 92243





### AGENDA

### Economic Summit – Thursday, May 31, 2018

8:00 AM	Continental Breakfast	1:00 PM	<b>Regional Tours</b> Logistics Tour: Calexico East Po
8:30 AM	<ul> <li>Welcoming Remarks</li> <li>Raymond Castillo, Chairman, Board of Supervisor, County of Imperial</li> </ul>		Intermodal Tour: Mesquite Intern
	<ul> <li>Stephen Benson, Chairman, Imperial Valley Economic Development Corporation</li> </ul>	Opening	g Reception
8:40 AM	Opening Keynote Speaker sponsored by Southern California Association of Governments	4:30 PM	Opening Reception sponsored by Southern Calife
	Michael Bracken, Managing Partner & Chief Economist,		sponsored by Southern Cant
	Development Management Group		Hosted Wine Bar sponsored by SCS Engineers
9:25 AM	Movement of Goods Opportunity from the United States		. , , ,
		General	Assembly – Thursday, N
	Moderator: Jesus Escobar, Customs Broker, R.E Customs Brokers		• •
	<ul> <li>Matthew Andersen, Director San Diego &amp; Imperial Region, U.S. Commercial Service</li> </ul>	5:30 PM	Networking Reception
	<ul> <li>Allen Vigil, Director International Business Development, Grupo Logistics</li> <li>Mike Jones, Senior Regional Planner—Goods Movement, SCAG</li> </ul>	6:00 PM	<ul> <li>Welcoming Remarks</li> <li>Luis Plancarte, Chairperson,</li> <li>Cheryl Viegas-Walker, Leagu</li> </ul>
10:10 AM	Regional Online Platform Resources: Statebook		<ul> <li>Darin Chidsey, Chief Operati ernments</li> </ul>
10:40 AM	Regional Infrastructure	0.00 DM	
	<ul> <li>Mark Baza, Executive Director, Imperial County Transportation Commission</li> </ul>	6:20 PM	General Assembly Dinner and
	<ul> <li>Miguel Reyes, Manager, Maritime Trade Development, Port of San Diego</li> <li>Jorge Ramos, Sales and Business Manager, Baja Rail</li> </ul>	6:30 PM	Keynote Speaker Congressman Juan Vargas, 5 Congressman Juan Vargas was first elected t
11:25 AM	Lunch sponsored by Southern California Gas Company		the highest in both San Diego and Imperial includes portions of San Diego County, all o
	featuring Keynote Speaker, Iddo Benzeevi, President and Chief Executive		includes portions of San Diego County, and
	Officer, Highland Fairview	7:10 PM	Closing Remarks Mark Baza, Executive Director,
12:45 PM	Closing Remarks Timothy E. Kelley, President & CEO, Imperial Valley Economic Development Corporation		



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to the United States Congress in 2012 with over 70 percent of the vote, l counties. He represents California's 51st Congressional District which of Imperial County, and the entire U.S. - Mexico Border in California.

#### , Imperial County Transportation Commission