



INDUSTRIAL WAREHOUSE SUMMIT

**THURSDAY
AUGUST 24TH
9AM-2PM**



Building a Competitive Border Region for Nearshoring and Industrial Growth

Agenda

- 8:00 am-9:00am Registration
- 9:00 am-9:25 am Welcome and Opening Remarks
Luis Bazan, Pharr Intl' Bridge Director
- 9:25 am-9:45 am Jorge Torres, Interlink Trade Services
- 9:45 am-10:30 am Economic Development Corporation Presentations / Q&A
 - Mission EDC- Tecló Garcia, Executive Director
 - Pharr EDC- Victor Perez, Executive Director
 - Weslaco EDC- Steve Valdez, Executive Director
- 10:30 am-10:45 am Coffee Break and Network Session
- 10:45 am-11:30 pm Commercial Real Estate Update & Opportunities
 - Realtors-Carlos Telles, CBRE
Al Sorrels, Majestic Realty Co.
Raymundo Platas Merino, Silver Estate Developments LLC.
 City of Pharr IT Internet Fiber Update & Opportunities
 - Jose Pena, IT Director
- 11:30 pm-12:00 pm Port of Brownville Presentation / Q&A
 - Arturo Gomez, Deputy Director of Operations
 Trade Numbers In Today's Border Economy
 - Ken Roberts, World City
- 12:00 pm-12:30 pm Status Update on Key Bridge Projects
 - Luis Bazan, Pharr Intl' Bridge Director
- 12:45 pm-2:00 pm Lunch
Keynote Speaker:
Dennis A. McKenzie,
Deputy Executive Director, Cargo and Conveyance Security
U.S. Customs & Border Protection
Office of Field Operations

