

South Bay Cities Economic Development Roundtable

Thursday, August 18, 2016

2:30 pm – 4:30 pm

South Bay Cities Council of Governments

20285 Western Avenue, Suite 100

Torrance, California 90501

AGENDA

I. Self Introductions (2:30 pm)

II. Presentation on South Bay Travel Pal (2:35 pm)

- Aaron Baum, SBCCOG/SBESC

III. Information Sharing (3:00 pm)

- Brief report from each city regarding current issues & actions as well as update on SBCCOG initiatives

IV. Update on South Bay Broadband Feasibility Study implementation. Dialogue with Santa Monica stakeholders regarding the benefits of Santa Monica City Net fiber optic network. Jory Wolf, Magellan Advisors. (3:30 pm)

- Guests: Jason Harris, City of Santa Monica; Carl Hansen, Santa Monica Chamber of Commerce.

Information on possible new funding opportunity for Broadband

- Chris Cagle, SBWIB

V. Content of Future Meetings (Tentative) (4:25 pm)

September 15

- Special meeting to hear about the new CSUDH Economic Institute.

October 20

- Foreign investment strategy for the South Bay- dialogue with representatives from the Los Angeles Area Chamber of Commerce and the Port of Los Angeles.

December 15

- Follow up discussion regarding Regional Sports Commission with Kathy Schloessman from the Los Angeles Sports and Entertainment Commission and Katie Pandolfo of AEG/StubHub Center.
- Presentation by the LA District SBA office regarding loan guarantees and other programs.

VI. Adjournment

2016 meeting dates every other month - Meetings to be held at the SBCCOG office unless there is a host volunteer.