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Southern Border Update

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THREAT

- Friday March 29, 2019
 - Presidential Threat
 - Close the Mexico US Border
- Tuesday April 2, 2019
 - President backs down on threat
 - Pressure from trade and congress
- Washington DC (Sunday March 31st - Wednesday April 3rd)
 - Meetings
 - CBP
 - Government Agencies
 - FDA
 - Government Officials
 - Congress
 - Senate



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Immigration Crisis

- Tuesday April 2, 2019
 - Press Release CBP Otoy Mesa
 - Reducing from 10-8 lines
- Thursday April 4, 2019
 - CBP Acting Commissioner Kevin McAleenan (Press conference)
 - Agency's plans to redirect CBP officers to assist Border Patrol
 - 545 CBP officers
 - » 300 Laredo (12% of their workforce)
 - » 194 El Paso (15% of their workforce)
 - » 75 Arizona (8% of their workforce)
 - » **51 San Diego (6% of their workforce)**



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Current Situation

- Increased wait times (ALL SOUTHWEST POE IMPACTED)
 - Cargo
 - Passenger
- **Otay Mesa**
 - **4 vs 7 hours**
- Brownsville
 - 60 minutes vs 15 min
- Bridge of the Americas
 - 7 hours vs 50 min
- Hidalgo
 - 2 hours vs 30 min
- Evidence points out to improving situation (14,000 undocumented migrants vs 11,000)
 - Continue pulling officers from other ports (air and sea)
 - Replacing land officers

Recommendations

- Ship Earlier
 - Readjust shipping schedules
 - Work with your brokers on times
- Ship out of Tijuana Airport
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 - Short term analysis
- Security
 - Shipments don't cross?
- Take advantage of C-TPAT
 - Sundays
- Visibility
 - GPS from carriers
 - JD App
 - US/MX Customs Release



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