DRAFT Agenda V.6

USACE, Galveston District (SWG)  
Virtual Summer 2020 External Project Review Board (EPRB)  
and Stakeholder Partnering Forum (SPF)  

Theme: “Championing partnered management of water resources for National economic development”

19-20 AUG 2020

Event Web Link (registration gateway and downloads, including agenda, presentations, and self-assessed PDH register):  
https://www.swg.usace.army.mil/About/Partners/Stakeholder-Partnering-Forum/

Webex participation details will be provided to registrants before the event.

Day 1: WED 19 AUG 2020

1300-1600 hrs: SWG EPRB.

Day 2: THU 20 AUG 2020

0900-1000 hrs: Early bird ethics seminar, Government ethics in the workplace: Contractor interactions, Clark Bartee, USACE, SWG.

1000-1005 hrs: Call to order and event orientation. Edmond Russo, Deputy District Engineer, Programs and Project Management, USACE, SWG.

1005-1020 hrs: Stakeholder welcome, COL Timothy Vail, Commander, USACE, SWG.

1020-1030 hrs:  
• Video on partnering, Texas Governor Greg Abbott  
• Video, Champions of America’s Energy Coast, COL Vail

1030-1040 hrs: Video, Southwestern Division (SWD) regional priorities, BG Christopher G. Beck, Commander, USACE, SWD.

1040-1100 hrs: Recent achievements, current status, and future outlook of the SWD Civil Works Program, Pete Perez, Programs Director, USACE, SWD, Becky Moyer, USACE, SWD.


1120-1140 hrs: Overview of the Sabine Pass to Galveston Bay (S2G) Coastal Storm
Risk Management (CSRM) Project, Teresa King, USACE, SWG.

1140-1200 hrs: Acquisition strategy update for the Civil Works and BBA 18 Programs, Sheila McCarthy, USACE, SWG.

1200-1300 hrs: Lunch break.


1400-1430 hrs: Stakeholder webex chat questions and feedback on the Draft SWD-SWG Civil Works Strategic Plan, Soupy Dalyander, Colleen McHugh, TWIG. Facilitation by Sue Hughes, Chief, Planning and Policy Division, SWD.

1430-1450 hrs: Texas Ports Association update, Richard Byrnes, Port Houston. 

1450-1510 hrs: Status and way forward on the Public-Private Partnership for the Brazos Island Harbor channel improvement project, Eddie Campirano, Director, Port of Brownsville.

1510-1540 hrs: Keynote address, Honorable R.D. James, Assistant Secretary of the Army for Civil Works.

1540-1600 hrs: District Commander conclusion.