

Briefings:

December 6, 2019

Announcements:

- The **City of Chula Vista** has been certified as the first “Welcoming City” in California. The Certified Welcoming designation is granted, by the group Welcoming America, to local governments that meet the rigorous Welcoming Standard requirement for immigrant inclusion. The City of Chula Vista completed an intensive evaluation, led by the Human Rights Commission, to earn that designation. South County EDC together with many other organizations, are proud to have had a small part in the process.
- Congratulations to SCEDC Member **Novo Brazil**. Their grand opening is next week and we can’t wait to show off this wonderful new venue that boasts South County’s longest bar, 100 brews a year and a venue filled with beautiful art work and fun! See the events column of the newsletter for information about the grand opening.
- South County EDC has begun Cyber Security Labs for unmanned system companies in San Diego. This is an effort through **Propel San Diego**. This unique opportunity is intended to better prepare our small defense contractors and subcontractors for upcoming DOD requirements.
- South County EDC will kick off the New Year with a Board Meeting on January 7, 2020. Kindred Murillo President & Superintendent will share some exciting news about **Southwestern College**.
- Please take note that the South County EDC office will be closed for the holidays from December 25, 2019 through January 1, 2020.



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Upcoming Events

[Novo Brazil Brewing
Grand Opening and Ribbon Cut
Ceremony
December 11, 2019](#)

[Port of San Diego
South Bay Holiday Open House
December 11, 2019](#)

**SCEDC Board Meeting
January 7, 2020**

Meet Our Members



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