



## “Do the Work” Field Trip Series: Imperial County

TIME	ACTIVITY	SPEAKERS/TOPIC
8:00 AM – 8:30 AM	Board bus at Catalyst Offices, 5060 Shoreham Place, SD, CA 92122	Introductions, check-ins, name tags, masks, Covid attestation.
8:30 AM – 10:30 AM	Drive to El Centro: Fraterna, Order of Eagles Meeting Venue (661 W. State Street, El Centro, CA 92243)	Roque Barros, Executive Director, Imperial Valley Wellness Foundation + Katie Oran, Northern CA Grantmakers
10:30 AM – 11:00 AM	Stretch break, pastries, coffee, restrooms, get settled in	
11:00 AM – 12:30 PM	Small Group Conversations with Imperial County Community Based Organizations (CBOs)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Campesinos Unidos: Guadalupe Ponce, Community Services Block Grant (CSBG) Director and Imelda Lopez, Intake/Outreach Worker</li> <li>• Imperial Valley LGBT Resource Center: Rosa Diaz, CEO and Vincent Pollizzi, Program Manager</li> <li>• California Rural Legal Assistance (CRLA): Lube Quintero, Director of Community Workers</li> <li>• Catholic Charities, Diocese of San Diego (CCDSD): Faith G. Espejo, Chief Program Officer and Guadalupe Rodriguez, Director of Outreach—Imperial Valley</li> <li>• Imperial Valley Social Justice Committee: Yvonne Thomas, CEO</li> </ul>
12:30 PM – 1:30 PM	Lunch	Opportunity to build and connect
1:30 PM – 3:30 PM	Farm Tour	Cierra Allen, Imperial County Farmers Bureau, and Trevor Tagg, Farmer. Topics include the realities of farming, solar energy, the border economy, water use, and much more.
3:30 PM – 5:30 PM	Drive back to Catalyst offices, 5060 Shoreham Place, SD CA 92122	Water and cool treats will be available.