



**Santa Barbara County Broadband Strategy Development Project  
Public Meeting Wednesday, May 25, 2022 - Santa Barbara  
La Casa de la Raza - 601 E. Montecito, Santa Barbara - 5:30 – 7:00 pm**

The Santa Barbara County Association of Governments, with the Broadband Consortium Pacific Coast, regional economic development organizations, cities, the County and others, is producing a countywide broadband strategic plan to help cities understand regional broadband infrastructure and service needs for residents and businesses.

**AGENDA**

*Spanish Translation Provided at Meeting*

**Welcome & Logistics**

Victoria Conner, Initiatives Director, EconAlliance

*Interpreter:*

Lena Moran Acereto, Interpreter, Bridging Voices

*Venue Host:*

Jacqueline Inda, Co-Founder/Co-President  
Santa Barbara Hispanic Chamber of Commerce

**Opening Remarks**

The Honorable Kristen Sneddon  
Councilmember, City of Santa Barbara

**Overview: Santa Barbara County  
Broadband Strategy Project**

Bill Simmons, Project Manager  
Broadband Consortium Pacific Coast

**Panel: Community Broadband Needs**

**Moderator:**

The Honorable Das Williams, Supervisor, 1<sup>st</sup> District  
Santa Barbara County

**Panelists:**

Raul Bastarrachea MD, FTOS, Sr. Research Scientist  
Sansum Diabetes Research Institute

Kristen Miller, President & CEO  
Santa Barbara South Coast Chamber of Commerce

Mauricio Ortega, Director Educational Technology  
Santa Barbara Unified School District

Erika Terrazas, Program Services Manager  
Partners in Education, SB County Education Office

Vanessa Valerio, Spanish Program Coordinator  
Women’s Economic Ventures (WEV)

**Audience Question & Answer**

**Closing Remarks**

*Marjie Kim, Executive Director, Santa Barbara County Association of Governments (SBCAG)*

