



Gubernatorial Trade Mission to Mexico

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The Honorable Nora Campos, Assembly Speaker pro Tempore, California State Assembly, District 27
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The Honorable Richard Bloem, California State Assembly, District 50
The Honorable Rocky Chávez, California State Assembly, District 76
The Honorable Susan Talamantes Eggman, California State Assembly, District 13
The Honorable Cristina Garcia, California State Assembly, District 58
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