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**From:** Pablo-Montano, Emilia - OPA  
**Sent:** Tuesday, May 29, 2012 2:14 PM  
**To:** Fillichio, Carl - OPA; Alexander, Elizabeth N - OPA; Barr, G. Stephen - OPA; Young, Clarisse - OPA; Melendez, Sonia - OPA; Llosa, Adriano T - OPA  
**Subject:** FW: Details for Casa de Maryland visit

*Here's the info I have for tomorrow's event:*

**RE: Secretary Solis** will be touring the Casa de Maryland's Welcome Center, participating in a stakeholder Roundtable and press availability.

**Location:** Casa's Prince George Welcome Center at 7978-B New Hampshire Ave, Hyattsville, MD 20783

**Details:**

Timeline=

- 2:00-2:20 Welcome Center Tour (job training facility)
- 2:20-2:50 Roundtable
- 2:50-3:00 Press Availability

Tour= Welcome Center and training programs

- Building and Construction Trades
- Child care providers

Roundtable= Program graduates, current participants, county representatives, and community college partners will participate.

Topic=Job Training

Moderator= Gustavo Torres, Executive Director

Attendees=TBD (including recent graduates, teachers, and Casa Maryland staff)

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**From:** Tom, Philip - OSEC

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**To:** Bright, Cortney E - OSEC; Roybal, Soledad - OSEC; Pablo-Montano, Emilia - OPA; Soberanis, Roberto - OSEC; Suiter, Carrianna - OCIA; Rodriguez, Jose A - OSEC

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Greetings,

I just talked with Virginia Kase, Director of Welcome Centers and Education for Casa. Here is the agenda she worked out with Gustavo Torres, the Director of Casa.

Location and advance - The location for the Secretary's visit is at Casa's Prince George Welcome Center at 7978-B New Hampshire Ave, Hyattsville, MD 20783. It is located in a shopping center and it is the site of the largest corner for day laborers. Roberto, please call Virginia at her cell phone at 240-646-6097 to work out the advance details.

What Secretary Solis will see on the tour – The Prince George Welcome Center houses their training programs for building and construction trade and for child care providers. This Center also provides ESL classes and the OSHA training classes.

Roundtable – Gustavo Torres will moderate the roundtable. They are inviting several students including a recent grad who is now employed and representatives from Prince George and Montgomery County Community Colleges. Carrianna, they have already reached out to the two County Executives to attend this event.

Press – I have connected Emilia with Casa's communication staff person – Suzanna Flores who will be handling the press from their end. They will be issuing a press release about this event.