



NEWS RELEASE

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Assessor Dronenburg Kicks Off San Diego County 34th Annual Economic Roundtable *Annual Economic Roundtable At USD is Free, Open to Public*

- WHAT:** What does the San Diego County economy look like for 2018 and beyond? Join in a lively discussion with two panels of experts covering the future of the economy, urban development, the aging population and the region's growing blue economy. Experts will provide predictions and their perspective on what may be in store for San Diego County. If you can't make it, watch on [Livestream](#).
- WHEN:** 8:30 a.m. to noon, Thursday, Jan. 18 (8 a.m. registration)
- WHERE:** University of San Diego - Joan B. Kroc Institute for Peace and Justice
5998 Alcalá Park, San Diego, CA 92110
- WHO:** **Ernie Dronenburg**, San Diego County Assessor/Recorder/County Clerk
Ray Major, Chief Economist, SANDAG
Ryan Ratcliff, Associate Professor of Economics, USD School of Business
Sarah Burns, Director of Research and Evaluation, SD Workforce Partnership
Kris Michell, Deputy Chief Operating Officer, Special Projects, City of San Diego
Erik Bruvold, Interim CEO, North County Economic Development Corporation
Michael Jones, President, The Maritime Alliance

Attendance is free. Registration is required at: www.sandiegocounty.gov/economicroundtable/
Directions to the venue and parking info: www.sandiego.edu/maps/#17

*****EVENT FLYER ATTACHED**

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Ernest J. Dronenburg, Jr. is the San Diego County elected Assessor/ Recorder / County Clerk. Since taking office Dronenburg has reduced taxpayer property appeals backlog, re-opened the Chula Vista and Kearny Mesa satellite offices, and extended hours of operation for the public at all of his service locations. Dronenburg serves as Secretary for the California Assessor's Association and is a graduate of San Diego State University.

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For questions contact: Michele Mauleon, County of San Diego: michele.mauleon@sdcounty.ca.gov or (858) 694-2094

Opening Remarks by:

County of San Diego, Board of Supervisors

USD School of Business

The San Diego Union-Tribune

San Diego Workforce Partnership

Distinguished Presenters:

Session One: **Ray Major**, Chief Economist, SANDAG

Ryan Ratcliff, Associate Professor of Economics, USD School of Business

Workforce Development: **Sarah Burns**, Director of Research and Evaluation,
San Diego Workforce Partnership

Session Two: *Urban Development:* **Kris Michell**, Deputy Chief Operating Officer for Special Projects,
City of San Diego

Aging Population: **To Be Announced**

San Diego's Innovative Blue Economy: **Michael Jones**, Founder and President, The Maritime Alliance



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