

PORT OF OAKLAND HOSTS WASHINGTON, D.C. FELLOWS

On Saturday, August 2nd, the Port of Oakland hosted the University of California's Agricultural Leadership Foundation. Every year, the Washington D.C.-based Educational Fellowship Program brings its fellows to California to expose them to the complex and wide-ranging issues that affect our state's agricultural industry. Members of the Fellowship Program included senior administrators from the U.S. Department of Homeland Security, International Trade Administration, Import Administration, and the Environmental Protection Agency. Port staff provided the delegation with an overview of the Port's environmental programs and community engagement initiatives. Special thanks to our Social Responsibility and Environmental Divisions for their work with this delegation.

JULY 26TH HARBOR TOURS FOR “COMMUNITY DAY”

The Port of Oakland Harbor Tour season is well underway and on July 27th, tours were given to nearly 1,000 members of the local community. The event marked Community Day at the Port of Oakland, which offered priority seating for local residents of the City of Oakland. The tour participants represented residents, senior groups, and elementary students. The 75-minute guided tour highlighted the colorful history of the Port of Oakland as well as the Port's environmental efforts, maritime operations, and the Port's overall contributions to the regional economy.