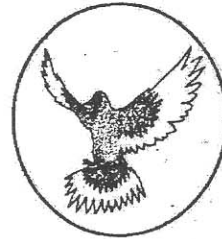


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## USBP Donates Old Station To ICOE

Congressman Bob Filner announced today that he has succeeded in obtaining a new location for the Imperial County Office of Education's (ICOE) Community School in Calexico. The General Services Administration recently approved turning the building, formerly used as a U.S. Border Patrol station, over to the ICOE.

"The building has been vacant for many years and has become an eyesore," said Congressman Filner. "I am glad to have helped turn this site over to the community to benefit the students who need it most."

The facility, located at 318

Andrade Avenue, will now offer alternative education programs and training for high-school aged students.

"We appreciate the support of Congressman Filner and many others who have worked on behalf of the Imperial County Office of Education in this process," John Anderson, Superintendent of Schools for the Imperial County Office of Education.

"I am glad to see our resources put to good use," said Congressman Filner. "This facility will serve as a safe place for our students to learn."