

Statement Regarding Lukeville, Arizona Border - Updated January 2024

On December 1st, <u>CBP announced in a statement</u> that beginning on December 4th, the Lukeville Port of Entry would be temporarily suspending operations to redirect personnel. This meant that northbound and southbound pedestrian and vehicle traffic at the Lukeville Port of Entry was suspended until further notice.

After a 30-day closure, CBP announced that the Lukeville Port of Entry was re-opened on January 4th.

While we hope that a closure does not happen again, it is always a potential. If your group wants to make alternative plans, we recommend these options:

- 1. Move your trip to Tijuana. We can shift your trip to our Tijuana location with the same dates.
- 2. Postpone your trip to a later date. We can move your trip funds to a later date in 2024 or early 2025.
- 3. Use the San Luis Port of Entry. You can request to have an Amor staff meet you and guide you to Puerto Penasco.

We know there's a lot of considerations for your group. Ideally, if you can let us know by 30 days out from your arrival then we can make effective plans for staffing and the families we serve.

Amor will continue to monitor the situation and will work with your group to make alternative plans, if need be.

Please reach out to Emily at earnoid@amor.org or 619-719-8443 for any questions.