

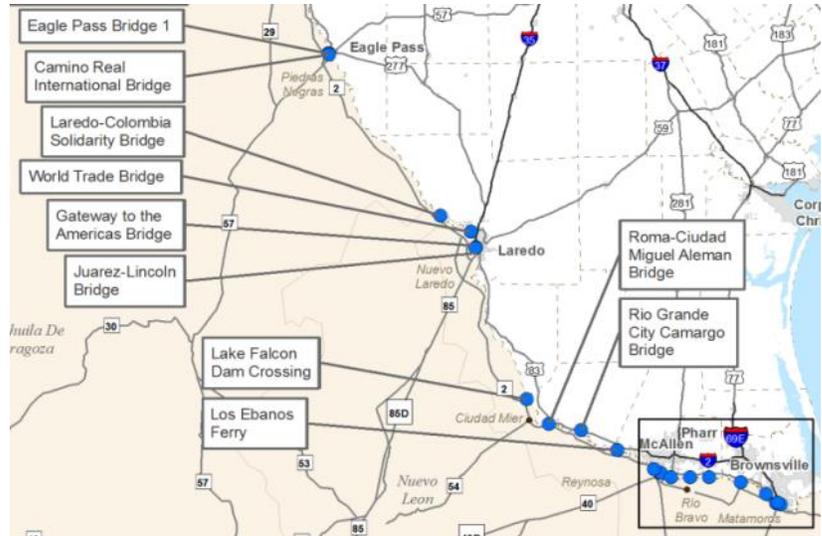
## Update to Texas-Mexico Border Delays

4/15/2022

Dear Valued Customer,

As of Friday, April 15, freight traffic appears to be flowing slowly, but regularly across the U.S. and Mexico border.

- Protest related disruption subsided as of Friday morning
- The Texas Department of Public Safety (DPS) continues to conduct secondary inspections causing congestion



- The Colombia Port of Entry (POE), 14 miles north of the World Trade Bridge (WTB) in Laredo, is returning to normal flow due to the execution of a Memorandum of Understanding (MOU) between the governor of the Mexican State of Nuevo Leon and Governor Abbot of the State of Texas. You can read the MOU here: [https://gov.texas.gov/uploads/files/press/EL\\_GOBIERNO\\_DEL.pdf](https://gov.texas.gov/uploads/files/press/EL_GOBIERNO_DEL.pdf)
- Additionally on April 14<sup>th</sup>, Texas Governor, Gregg Abbot announced agreements with the Mexican Governors of the state of Chihuahua (U.S. POE El Paso, TX), and Coahuila (U.S. POE Eagle Pass & Del Rio, TX) <https://www.texastribune.org/2022/04/14/texas-abbott-border-vehicle-inspections-chihuahua/>
- The agreement is that Mexico will provide increased security on the Mexican port side in exchange for limited inspections by the DPS in Texas
- For products with agricultural exemption, the Association of Customs Brokers of Reynosa is allowing produce to be redirected to another port without changing the documentation. Please confirm with your customs broker if your specific commodity qualifies.
- As we approach the Easter holiday, the US Customs and Border Protection hours of operations vary and can be found here: [Locate a Port of Entry | U.S. Customs and Border Protection \(cbp.gov\)](https://www.cbp.gov/travel/easter)

Conditions are changing quickly, and we expect disruptions and slowdowns to continue. We are closely monitoring the situation and will update accordingly.

Thank you for being our Valued Customer. If you have any questions, please do not hesitate to contact your C.H. Robinson commercial representative for further information.

Sincerely,  
C.H. Robinson