

**Warden Message – U.S. Embassy, Quito, Ecuador**  
**Consular Officer to Hold Open Hours in Esmeraldas on March 31**

All U.S. citizens are encouraged to attend the Embassy Open Hours later this month in Esmeraldas and meet one-on-one with Embassy staff. On Thursday, March 31, a Consular Officer from the U.S. Embassy in Quito will be available from 16H00 to 18H00 at Cámara Artesanal de Esmeraldas (CADE), located at Sucre 1131 between Juan Montalvo and Rocafuerte, telephone 06-272-1594. The Consular Officer will accept applications for U.S. passports, Consular Reports of Birth Abroad and notaries, as well as answer any questions or concerns you may have about living and traveling in Ecuador.

The Embassy Open Hours is part of a new program to help save time by bringing the services provided by the Embassy to your town.

Again, the Embassy Open Hours will be **Thursday, March 31, from 16H00 to 18H00 at Cámara Artesanal de Esmeraldas (CADE) in Esmeraldas.**

For more information on the services provided by the Embassy, please visit the [Embassy's Website](#) or contact us at [ACSQuito@state.gov](mailto:ACSQuito@state.gov).

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Americans living or traveling in Ecuador are encouraged to enroll with the nearest U.S. Embassy or Consulate in order to obtain updated information on travel and security within Ecuador through the [Department of State's Smart Traveler Enrollment Program](#).

U.S. citizens should consult the [Country Specific Information](#) for Ecuador and the latest Travel Alerts and Warnings and Worldwide Caution at the [Department's website](#). Updated information on travel and security in Ecuador may also be obtained from the Department of State by calling 1-888-407-4747 within the United States or by calling 1-202-501-4444 outside the United States.

The U.S. Embassy in Quito is located at Avigiras E12-170 y Eloy Alfaro. The telephone number for American Citizen Service (ACS) inquiries is (011 593-2) 398-5000. Within the same city use the last seven digits. Add the city code for intercity telephone calls. Public call-in hours are Monday through Thursday 8:00 to 10:00 a.m. and Friday 10:00 to 11:00 a.m. For after-hours emergencies, contact the Embassy at (011 593-2) 398-5200. Appointments for ACS are available through our [website](#).

The [U.S. Consulate General in Guayaquil](#) is located at the corner of Avenida 9 de Octubre and Garcia Moreno (near the Hotel Oro Verde); telephone (011-593-4) 232-3570 during business hours, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m., or 232-1152 for after-hours emergencies.

Anyone can follow the activities of the U.S. Embassy in Ecuador through the [Embassy website](#), [Facebook](#), [Twitter](#) and [YouTube](#).