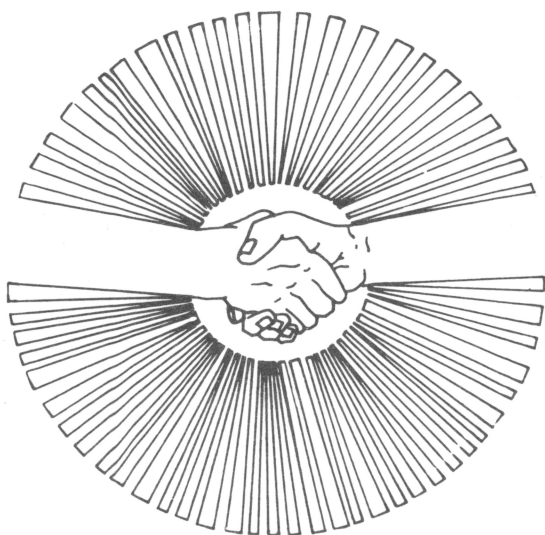


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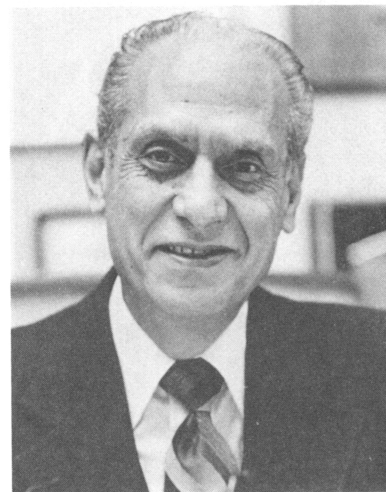
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Congressman Edward R. Roybal
Democrat-California

Congressman Roybal is a senior member of Congress and serves on the House Committee on Appropriations. He is the Chairperson of the Select Committee on Aging and a member of the subcommittee on Labor-Health and Human Services-Education. Congressman Roybal started his public career during the early 1940's as a public health officer in California. In 1949 he won election to the Los Angeles City Council, a position he held for over 13 years. Roybal was the driving force in the creation of the Congressional Hispanic Caucus.

Congressman Roybal was born on February 10, 1916. He and his wife Lucille have three children.



Sister M. Isolina Ferre

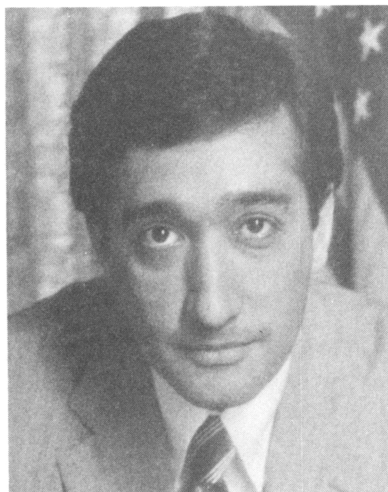
Sister Ferre is known internationally for her work in the area of public service with youth and the needy. She was a member of the United States delegation to the World Conference of the United Nations Decade of Women 1980 and currently is a member of the National Advisory Council on Women's Educational Programs. She has also held positions with the New York Council Against Poverty, the Seafarer's International Union Center for Child Development and the Bank Street College of Education of New York. A lecturer and author of social problems, she is the sister of former Governor Luis Ferre of Puerto Rico. She graduated from St. Joseph's College for Women, Brooklyn, New York. Sister Ferre was born in Ponce Puerto Rico, September 5, 1914.



Congressman Manuel Lujan, Jr.
Republican-New Mexico

Congressman Lujan was the first Republican to be elected to the House from New Mexico in 46 years. He is presently the senior Republican on the House Interior and Insular Affairs Committee. Lujan has sponsored seven major environmental protection bills including the Clean Air Act of 1970 and the Clean Water Act. Lujan supports a constitutional amendment requiring a balanced budget as an effort to stem wasteful government spending.

Lujan was born May 12, 1928 in San Idefonso, New Mexico. He and his wife Jean have four children and maintain homes in Washington, D.C. and Albuquerque.

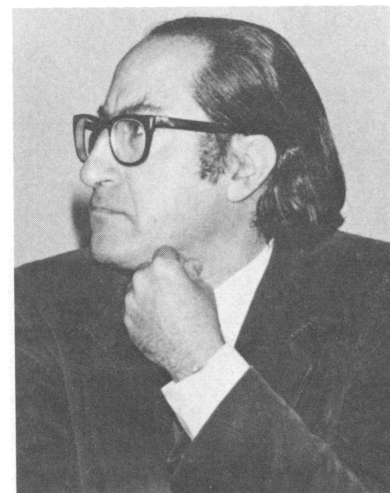


Mayor Henry G. Cisneros

San Antonio, Texas

Cisneros has had a distinguished career in public administration at all levels including serving as White House Fellow / Assistant to the Secretary of Health Education and Welfare in 1971, receiving a Ford Foundation Research grant to the John F. Kennedy School of Government at Harvard, and teaching in the Department of Urban Studies and Planning at the Massachusetts Institute of Technology. In 1981 Cisneros was elected Mayor of San Antonio. In 1982 he was cited by the US Jaycees as one of "Ten Outstanding Young Men of America". He is a member of President Reagan's National Bipartisan Commission on Central America. Cisneros enthusiastically welcomed the San Antonio kickoff of the Hispanic Health and Nutritional Examination Survey (HHANES) in July 1981.

Cisneros was born on June 11, 1947. He and his wife Mary Alice have two children.



Dr. Vicente Navarro

Johns Hopkins University-Baltimore, Maryland

Dr. Navarro is Professor of Health Policy of the School of Hygiene and Public Health of The Johns Hopkins University. Dr. Navarro graduated in medicine and surgery from Barcelona University in Spain in 1962. He has studied political economy in Stockholm, Sweden in 1963; social and medical administration in Edinburgh, Scotland in 1965; and public health in 1968 at Johns Hopkins University. He has worked as a consultant to many western countries, to the Council of Europe, the United Nations, the World Health Organization, and the Pan American Health Organization. He has been the founder and president of the International Association of Health Policy and the founder and editor-in-chief of the International Journal of Health Services. He has been elected member of the Executive Board of the American Public Health Association, and a consultant to the National Science Foundation and the U.S. National Institutes of Health. He has received many scholarly awards from several academic centers in the United States and several European countries. His primary areas of research focus on health policy and health economics.

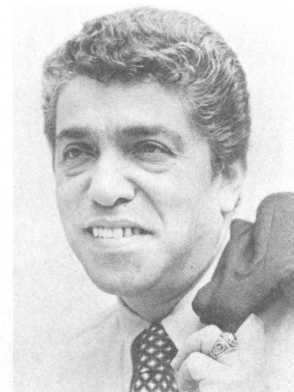


Dr. Hector P. Garcia

Founder, American G I Forum

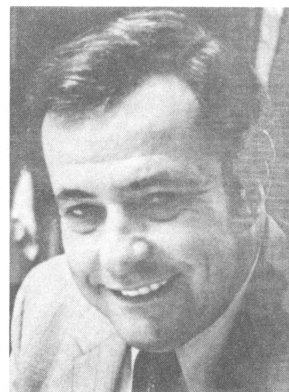
Dr. Garcia was awarded the "Presidential Medal of Freedom" by President Reagan on March 26, 1984 for his patriotism and community-building endeavors. In 1977 he received an Achievement Award in Medicare by the Board of Directors National Benito Juarez-Lincoln Annual Awards Convention for service to the poor and the needy in the field of medicine. In 1967 President Lyndon B. Johnson appointed Dr. Garcia as a delegate to the United Nations from the United States with the rank of Ambassador. In 1948 Dr. Garcia organized the American G I Forum, a veterans' organization, which has done much to improve the lot of Americans of Mexican descent. In World War II he was awarded the Bronze Star Medal with six Battle Stars while serving as an officer in the Infantry.

Dr. Garcia was born in Mexico on January 17, 1914. He and his wife Wanda have three daughters.



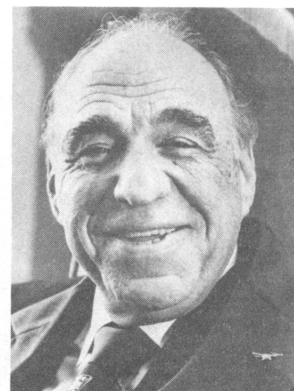
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Democrat—New York
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Baltasar Corrada

Resident Commissioner—Puerto Rico
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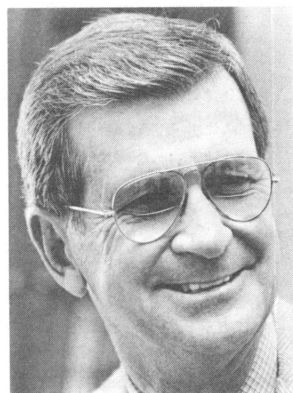


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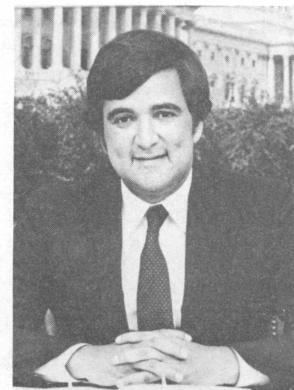
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Democrat—Texas
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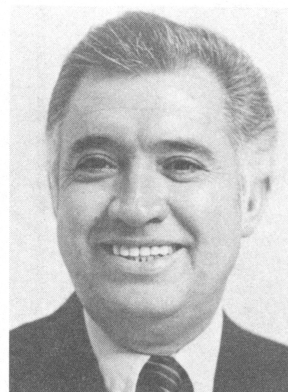
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Civil Service
Committee on Public Works
and Transportation



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Committee on Education and Labor



Bill Richardson
Democrat—New Mexico
Committee on Energy
and Commerce
Select Committee on Aging
Committee on Veterans' Affairs



Solomon P. Ortiz
Democrat—Texas
Committee on Armed Services
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