Corpus Christi Chamber of Commerce 1986 "CC to DC" Trip Tentative Itinerary

Monday, May 12

Leave Corpus Christi

12:55 p.m.

Arrive Washington, D.C.

7:01 p.m.

Tuesday, May 13 Wednesday, May 14

Briefings, tours and other functions will be scheduled both days. The tentative schedule is as follows:

Tuesday - Capitol Hill

Senator Bentsen
Senator Gramm
Representative Ortiz
Armed Services Committees/House & Senate
Army Corps of Engineers
Coast Guard
Department of Energy
Department of the Interior
Texas Congressional Delegation/Luncheon

Wednesday - Pentagon

Tour of the Pentagon
Department of the Navy
Department of the Army
Joint Chiefs of Staff
Reception/Congressmen, staffs, military, etc., 6:00-8:00 p.m.

A tour of the White House will be arranged for either Tuesday or Wednesday. To coincide with the tour, President Reagan and Vice President Bush are being invited to greet the Corpus Christi delegation.

Thursday, May 15 Leave Washington, D.C.

7:15 a.m. 🦳

Arrive Corpus Christi

11:00 a.m.

Travel arrangements are being made through Sanborn's Travel Service. The delegation will be staying at the Hotel Washington, across 15th Street from the White House.

You will be provided additional information as the schedule if finalized. If you plan to participate, or if you want more information, please contact Dave Cich or Bev Dickerson at 882-6161. The deadline for reservations is Friday, April 25. A payment of \$800 must be received by Friday, May 2.

Estimated Costs

Airfare, Hotel, Ground Transportation \$600 Luncheon, Reception, Presentations 200

Total \$800

Reservation Form is attached.

"CC to DC" May 12-May 15 Tentative Schedule & Briefing Topics

Briefings

- 1. Bentsen, Gramm, Ortiz
 - Federal issues affecting Texas and the Corpus Christi area (e.g., Homeport, Gramm-Rudman, Oil & Gas, Banking, Department of Defense contracts,

Tax Exemptions for municipal bonds)

- 2. Department of the Navy
 - Homeport
 - Corpus Christi NAS
 - Beeville & Kingsville Naval Air Stations
 - Procurement
- 3. Department of the Army
 - Corpus Christi Army Depot
- 4. Department of Energy
 - Oil & Gas Industry
 - Pending legislation
- 5. Department of the Interior
 - Barrier Islands
 - Padre Island National Seashore
 - Beach Cleanup (legislation, funding)
 - Other Coastal Issues
- 6. Department of Defense
 - Strategic importance of Corpus Christi
 - Department of Defense contracts
- 7. Joint Chiefs of Staff
 - Strategic importance of Corpus Christi
- 8. House & Senate armed services committees
 - Homeport
 - Corpus Christi Army Depot
 - South Texas
- 9. Army Corps of Engineers
 - Port of Corpus Christi
 - Pending permit applications
- 10. Coast Guard
 - Drug enforcement (e.g., new radar system)
 - Water safety
 - Monitoring of ships for trash and oil leaks affecting Gulf beaches
- 11. Committee/Subcommittee Chairmen
- 12. Public Hearings