Honorable Stewart Udell Secretary of the Interior Office of the Sec. of the Interior. Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr Udell:.

It was a great pleasure to have seen you here during your stay. Your presence here was a great honor to this community. Everyone was pleased and very happy in having you with us.

Personally, we wanted to give you more attention and a little reception for our group, however we felt that there would be a conflict with the official hosts, since they had officially brough you here.

I am enclosing one of the pictures that we took at the reception at the Driscoll Hotel. My wife wishes to thank you very much for your autographed picture. She was very glad in being able to see you.

I was at Padre Island a few days ago and it is such a beautiful place. We are grateful for your help in keeping the Island as it is, "La Isla Blanca".

For many reasons I was not able to attend the inauguration. My sister Dr. Cleo Garcia went. She was thrilled and happy! She said she was able to see you.

Am presently trying to set up a new medical clinic and some rental space. Hope to close the loan in a few weeks. Thank You so much for everything. Keep up the good work. Keep Americam beautiful for everyone.

Your freend as ever.

Hector P. Garcia M.D.