NATIONAL FARM WORKERS ASSOCIATION



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Dr. Hector Garcia, Founder G. I. Forum 3024 Morgan Corpus Christi, Texas

Dear Dr. Garcia:

The Texas AFL-CIO extends to you, as the representative of your organization, an invitation to be our guest at a special breakfast at 8:30 a.m. Labor Day, September 5, at St. Edward's University Cafeteria, 3001 S. Congress, Austin, Texas. Neither space nor finances will permit us to issue a mass invitation, but all those who have contributed so generously of their time and money to this effort should be present on this occasion.

You will note from the attached schedule of events for Labor Day that most of the time at the State Capitol will of necessity be limited to the keynote speakers among whom are William Kircher, Director of Organization, AFL-CIO; Cesar Chavez, General Director, United Farm Workers Organizing Committee, AFL-CIO; Rev. James L. Navarro, Southern Baptist Convention; Father Antonio Gonzalez, Houston Diocese; and Eugene Nelson, Organizer, United Farm Workers Organizing Committee, AFL-CIO. Other invited speakers are United States Senators Yarborough and Tower; Congressmen Henry B. Gonzalez, John Young, de la Garza, and J. J. Pickle; and State Senator Chick Kazen.

Because of your interest and assistance in this noble endeavor, Master of Ceremonies, John Alaniz, will recognize you at this time. You will be given an opportunity to express your views at the Labor Rally at Zilker Park. Remarks at the Zilker Park Rally should be brief and maintain the theme "\$1.25 Minimum Wage for All Texas - Now!"

Unless I hear from you otherwise, I will look forward to seeing you at the breakfast and on the platform at the State Capitol on Monday, September 5.

Sincerely yours,

H. S. Hank Brown

VALLEY FARM WORKERS ASSISTANCE COMMITTEE