March 22, 1980

Dr. Hector Garcia

Dear Friend,

In behalf of a number of interested persons from Corpus Christi and in behalf of the National Council of La Raza, you are cordially invited to attend an afternoon meeting with the president of the Council Mr. Raul Yzaguirre from Washington D.C. The meeting will take place on Saturday, March 29, 1980 from 3:30pm to 5:00pm at Ray's Restaurant, 2110 Laredo Street. The meeting will be hosted by Maria Luisa Garza, board member of the Council from Corpus Christi.

The intent of the meeting is to bring together interested persons to discuss the establishment of a charter member organization of the National Council for Corpus Christi and the surrounding area. Mr. Yzaguirre will explain and discuss with you the interest and intentions of the Council in such a community based organization for Corpus Christi and the important role you would need to play in its development.

As some of you may not be entirely familiar with the Council there will be literature about the Council and its work available at the meeting. I urge you to attend and participate for this will be an excellant opportunity for you to determine the Council's role and what it could mean for Corpus Christi. For more information please call Maria Luisa Garza at 884-4963, ext. 45 or Olga Castillo at 881-9227. Looking forward to seeing you there.

Sincerely, Ígnacio A. Peré Coordinator