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M E M O R A N D U M

TO: DR. HECTOR P. GARCIA
FROM: AMADOR C. GARCIA
RE: AMERICAN G.I. FORUM ARCHIVES
DATE: JULY 26, 1985

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Dr. Garcia has tentatively submitted the following names as possible speakers at the ceremony renaming Greenwood Park Dr. Hector P. Garcia Park:

Mrs. Lyndon Johnson

Mr. Tip O'Neal

Governor Mark White

Sen. Lloyd N. Benson, Jr.

The date of November 8, 1985 has been confirmed for the National Conference of Chicano Educators. This meshes perfectly with the proposed schedule of November 9, 10 and 11th. The following dates and schedules have been discussed and remain to be firmed up.

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Professor at Del Mar and it is envisioned that since both C.C.S.U. and Del Mar College are sponsoring the conference, there will be activities at C.C.S.U. during the morning and activities at Del Mar College Campus in the afternoon. It would seem to be appropriate that the formal announcement of the Center for Ethnic Studies and Cultural Development could be held with a ceremony during the noon hour at the Del Mar College Campus or in the middle of the afternoon, (3, 4 or 5 o'clock).

Saturday, November 9th

A reception has been tentatively suggested on this day in connection with the National Hispanic Conference of Chicano Educators or the Center for Ethnic Studies and Cultural Development and leading up to the following day, which is the renaming of Greenwood Park. It is suggested that it be a reception with light hors d'oeuvres and the hours being from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m. It has been further suggested that an opportunity would be given for a short presentation in the form of a speaker or other form of acknowledgment by speaker or speakers commemorating the event which would be held at the Convention Center. Mayor Jones has committed himself and city staff to organize and fund the reception at the Convention Center with input from the committee. Mr. Solka, Mr. Garcia and Dr. Sugg committed themselves to assist Mayor Jones to raise funds for the reception on Saturday the 9th of November, 1985.

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The next meeting will be on Tuesday, August 6, 1985 at the Mark I Club at 12:15 p.m. with Mr. Jack Solka hosting.

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CC: MR. RUDY GARZA
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