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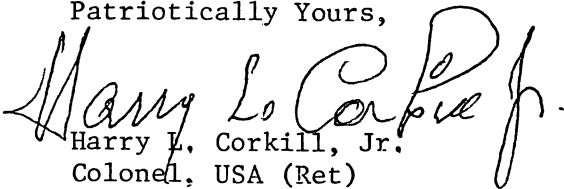
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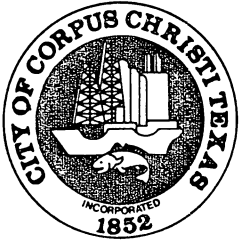
July 13, 1985

You are invited to attend the annual POW/MIA Recognition Day Ceremonies to be held in Sherrill Park on 20 July 1985 at 1000 Hours. Hosting this patriotic Ceremony will be the Catholic War Veterans Post 1735 and the 40/8 Voiture Locale 1134. The Guest Speaker will be U S Magistrate Eduardo E. DeAses. Mrs. Elizabeth Castillo, whose husband is still unaccounted for from the Viet Nam conflict, will be the guest of honor.

Patriotically Yours,


Harry L. Corkill, Jr.
Colonel, USA (Ret)
Chairman, MC4VA

SEE ATTACHED PRESS RELEASE REFERENCING THIS CEREMONY FOR YOUR INFORMATION.



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PRESS RELEASE

SUBJECT: POW/MIA RECOGNITION DAY CEREMONIES

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THE ANNUAL POW/MIA RECOGNITION DAY CEREMONIES WILL BE HELD IN SHERRILL PARK ON 20 JULY 1985 AT 10:00AM. THE CEREMONIES WILL BE HOSTED BY LOCAL VETERANS ORGANIZATIONS AND WILL FEATURE US MAGISTRATE EDUARDO E. DeASES AS THE GUEST SPEAKER. DIGNATARIES FROM THROUGHOUT THE CITY WILL BE IN ATTENDANCE, AND MRS. ELIZABETH CASTILLO, WHOSE HUSBAND IS STILL UNACCOUNTED FOR FROM THE VIET NAM CONFLICT, WILL BE THE GUEST OF HONOR. THE PUBLIC IS ENCOURAGED TO ATTEND THIS VERY PARTIOTIC CEREMONY.

SPECIAL NOTE: THE LATEST DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE RELEASE LIST OVER 2,500 AMERICAN SERVICE MEMBERS STILL UNACCOUNTED FOR FROM THE VIET NAM CONFLICT. STRONG PUBLIC SUPPORT FOR THE POW/MIA ISSUE IS VITALLY NEEDED TO INSURE THE ACCOUNTABILITY OF ALL AMERICAN POW/MIA'S. COMMUNITY PARTICIPATION IN THIS CEREMONY IS CRITICAL TO THE RESOLUTION OF THIS ISSUE.