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Dr. Hector P. Garcia 1315 Bright Corpus Christi, TX 78405

Dear Dr. Hector:

I am deeply sorry, but I will not be able to attend either the reception in your honor or the park dedication the following day. I have an editors convention in San Francisco next week and my wife and I are going to springboard from there to a ten day Hawaiian vacation and we won't get back until Monday, November 11.

I am so pleased with the great honor that the city is bestowing upon you and so deservedly so. Please know I would sincerely want to be at both of these functions to help the city pay respects. Please know my thoughts will be with you.

With all good wishes.

Sincerely,

Robert E. Rhodes

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