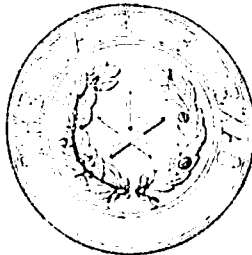


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COUNTY JUDGE

The Honorable Ramon Garcia
Hidalgo County Judge
1615 S. Closner, Suite J
Edinburg, Texas 78539

Dear Judge Garcia:

The Texas Veterans Commission recently hosted the 65th Annual Statewide Training Conference in Dallas, Texas.

It is my honor to inform you that your Veterans County Service Officer, Mr. Emilio De Los Santos of Edinburg, and your Assistant Veterans County Service Officer, Mr. Felix Rodriguez of Weslaco, were named Outstanding Veterans County Service Officers for the Houston Region.

We are sending, under separate cover, the certificates recognizing Mr. De Los Santos and Mr. Rodriguez for their service to the veterans, dependents and survivors in Hidalgo County.

We respectfully request that your office present the certificates to them on behalf of the Texas Veterans Commission and that we be advised of the date presented.

Your assistance is appreciated.

Sincerely,

THOMAS P. PALLADINO
Executive Director

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