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October 14, 2008

Honorable William "Bill" Dalton, Mayor
City of Garden Grove, CA 92840

Subject: LULAC 80th Anniversary Celebration Request

Dear Mayor Dalton,

I send you sincere greetings from The Orange County Foundation, LULAC Orange County District 2 and Garden Grove LULAC Council 2001, based here in our fair city of Garden Grove. I write on behalf of our officers and members of our 501-c3 Foundation, LULAC District 2 and the Garden Grove Council, to request your and the City Council's support for securing and waiving the rental fees for the Garden Grove Community Center (including the Ball Room, the Founder Room, the Constitution, the cost of the police officers, room fees and setup fees) on **February 20, 2009 from 6:00 to 10:30 P.M.** We plan to use the Community centers facilities for an important and historical upcoming event--the 80th Anniversary celebration of the League of United Latin American Citizens (LULAC). Additionally, I would like to extend a formal invitation for you and members of the City Council to join us in this important event.

Our Orange County LULAC Foundation in partnership with our Garden Grove LULAC Council, and LULAC District 2, has made plans for a major banquet--among other events--in order to mark the 80th Anniversary of LULAC and to celebrate the remarkable achievements of our Nation's oldest, largest and best known Latino advocacy and civil rights organization. As a great LULAC supporter and friend, we would be honored to have you serve as our welcoming speaker and special guest for this important, festive and historical event. We are in the process of inviting City, County, State and National dignitaries, community leaders and members of our academia. If we can obtain the use of the Community Center facilities, our banquet will start at 6:00 P.M. with musical entertainment. Please note that the members of our 501-c3 Foundation and the Garden Grove LULAC Council are very enthusiastic about having the event in Garden Grove, hence my reason for writing to you. Banquet attendees will also include LULAC members, LULAC Youth, corporate sponsors and community representatives.

In closing, we look forward to hearing from you soon on our request. Points of contact for this event are Mr. Benny Diaz, President, OC LULAC Foundation, and me. Benny can be reached at 714-357-4328, or by E-mail: bennydiaz@sbcglobal.net. My phone number is 714-590-9887 (H), or 714-803-6362 (O). My E-mail address is as follows: flrgil@sbcglobal.net.

Sincerely,
Gilberto Flores
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OC LULAC Foundation

Approved for Agenda Listing
Matthew Fertal
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City Manager

Cc: Members of the City Council