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NEWS RELEASE

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Veterans honor Precinct 1 Commissioner A.C. Cuellar Jr.

EDINBURG – Veterans from Sgt. Benito Alaniz VFW Post 7473 in Elsa honored Precinct 1 Commissioner A.C. Cuellar Jr. for his tireless contribution, hard work and continuous support of the post and veterans issues.

"Commissioner Cuellar was very instrumental in getting our post where it's at right now. He's a big supporter of veterans," said VFW Post 7473 Public Relations Officer Rene Villarreal.

Cuellar received a plaque from the post, presented by Commander Lupita Perez.

"I think that without leaders like Commissioner Cuellar, it would be difficult as vets to help out other vets," Perez said. "His support means a lot to us. We're very thankful and hope that after his leave the support continues."

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Photo caption 1: L to R: Senior Vice President VFW Post 7473 Auxiliary Irma Solis, Sgt. Benito Alaniz VFW Post 7473 Commander Lupita Perez; Precinct 4 Commissioner Joseph Palacios, Precinct 3 Commissioner Joe M. Flores, County Judge Ramon Garcia, Precinct 2 Commissioner Eduardo "Eddie" Cantu, Precinct 1 Commissioner A.C. Cuellar Jr., VFW Post 7473 Public Relations Officer Rene Villarreal and Senior Vice Commander Veterans of Foreign Wars Efrain Solis.

Photo caption 2: Veterans from Sgt. Benito Alaniz VFW Post 7473 in Elsa honored Precinct 1 Commissioner A.C. Cuellar Jr. for his tireless efforts in supporting the post and local veterans

Hidalgo County is home to one of the fastest growing regions in the nation. We provide health and justice to the 800,000 residents of our county as well as a variety of services to residents who live outside city limits. We strive to be accessible and responsive to our citizens by providing excellent public service through the values of leadership, transparency, fairness, collaboration, respect and fiscal responsibility.