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Cinco de Mayo Celebration in Harlingen

Harlingen, Texas—In honor of Cinco de Mayo, the City of Harlingen and the Mexican Consulates Office in Brownville have joined to sponsor a free celebration that will include live music, food, and lots of fun. The celebration scheduled for Friday, May 3 will take place at Lt. George Gutierrez Jr. Park.

What:

Free Civic Event

When:

Friday, May 3, 2019, 6-8 p.m.

Where: Lt. George Gutierrez Jr. Park, 500 W. Harrison

Why:

Cinco de Mayo is a Mexican holiday that celebrates the date of the Mexican army's 1862 victory over France at the Battle of Puebla. Communities with large Mexican American populations such as the Rio Grande Valley region use the day to celebrate their culture and heritage.

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