A National Call for 2008 Action for a Cesar E. Chavez National Holiday March, Rally, Gather Together on Cesar Chavez's Birthday March 31, 2008! Sign Up Today! ¡Si se puede!

Cesar E. Chavez National Holiday, the organization spearheading the national campaign to establish a national holiday and day of service and learning for farm worker leader Cesar Chavez, invites everyone across the nation to organize and participate in action/events in your city that call for a national holiday for Cesar E. Chavez on his birthday, March 31.

Over 250 organizations, leaders, elected officials, & celebrities; 53 members of Congress; and three Presidential candidates endorse the call for a Cesar E. Chavez National Holiday. Ten states have established Cesar Chavez Days (Arizona, Texas, Colorado, New Mexico, Utah, Illinois, Michigan, Wisconsin, and Rhode Island.)

Cesar E. Chavez is one of the most important leaders of the 20th century. His legacy of workers rights, civil rights, environmental justice, equality for all, peace, non-violence, children and women's rights, deserves national recognition. He inspired millions of people across the country of all races and nationalities to engage in social and economic justice for farm workers. His life work to empower the poor and disenfranchised is a model for all.

Organizations and labor unions in 16 cities have already agreed to hold Cesar Chavez national holiday events on or near the date of Cesar's birthday March 31, 2008 including in Los Angeles, San Francisco, Sacramento, San Antonio, Houston, Tucson, Portland, Omaha, Providence, Reno, Grand Rapids, Lubbock and yes, Charleston, South Carolina and Atlanta, Georgia.

We must demonstrate that there is support for the national holiday in as many cities as possible to convince national policy makers to act.

You can help tribute Cesar E. Chavez by organizing a March 31 national holiday action/event in your city or joining one held in your area.

To join the wave of actions planned for March 31; plan an action/event in your area; or endorse the March 31, 2008 national effort, contact:

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