From: "Rep. Chuy Garcia" <RepChuyGarcia@mail.house.gov> To: Sam.Kwait-Spitzer@mail.house.gov Subject: TEST Wishing you a Happy Holidays - It is an honor to be your Congressman! Date: Tue, 20 Dec 2022 10:43:11 -0500 Dear Friends, It has been an honor to serve as your Congressman for the past four years. Due to the decennial redistricting process, some constituents will be represented by a different Congressperson when the next term begins on January 3, 2023. Click

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Chicago. Click
here(https://chuygarciaforms.house.gov/components/redirect/r.aspx?ID=156-674079)
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