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REPLY TO  
ATTENTION OF

From the  
Chief of Engineers, United States Army  
and  
Commander, United States Army Corps of Engineers

Greeting to Members of the  
540th Engineer Combat Regiment Reunion

It is a great honor for me to welcome the veterans and families of the 540th Engineer Combat Regiment on this occasion of your 1990 Reunion.

The distinguished World War II service and sacrifice of your regiment as you fought across beaches in North Africa, Sicily, Salerno, Anzio, Italy and southern France added richly to the heritage and history of the United States Army Corps of Engineers. The bravery and dedication with which you accomplished your challenging wartime missions contributed immeasurably to the final victory in Europe in 1945. The soldiers of the 540th Engineer Combat Regiment have provided inspiration to the engineer soldiers who have followed you to the present day.

May your special comraderie as engineer soldiers at war sustain you as you continue to serve and strengthen this great nation in peace.

Essayons!

Henry J. Hatch  
LTG, USA

### The Committee

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Site Selection: Bob Irvin    Ed McCracken    Metro Pacifico  
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#### Special

Greeters: Robert Irvin    Carl & Ernie Russo  
Hospitality: Dave Koolish    Orris Corey    Ted Ravis  
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Program: Paul Brown    Cliff Duncan    Tim Clifford    Dan Manning  
Registration: Ed McCrackin    Art Knapp  
Randy Mann    Keith Courson  
Food Service & House: Randy Mann    Metro Pacifico  
Mrmorial & History: Wm Herron    Mark Carpenter    Matt Harings  
Raffle: Wm Vandedrwall    Ray McCoy  
Ladies Tour: Erika Kleinback    Phyllis Corey