

# COLONIA INSPECTION FINDINGS: by Dr. Hector P. Garcia

## 1. COLONIA CAMERON, by far the worst off:

A. Caliche roads that create clouds of dust that residents claim cause lung damage to their children and continuous coughing at night. Some claim allergy from caliche. Some claim sores on children come from caliche.

B. Water, some residents have it, some do not.

C. Sewers, most residents have out-houses that flood when it rains - children play in the areas where waste settles after flooding out.

D. Garbage, no garbage pick-up. Garbage is burned. Flies, mosquitoes, rats, snakes and other insects gather at resident garbage burn pits as there is no county or state control on insects or rodents.

Developers do not clean open property so colonia is covered with <sup>weeds</sup>.

E. School Buses + schools will not allow resident school children to board buses or attend classes because children have their shoes muddy during rain season. Residents complain that they are charged county taxes but are denied county services.