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**Hector L. Rivero** is President and CEO of the Texas Chemical Council.

The Texas Chemical Council (TCC) is the statewide trade association for the chemical industry in Texas. Founded in 1953, TCC is the largest U.S. state trade association representing chemical manufacturers. The Council represents 70 public and private companies who operate more than 200 chemical manufacturing plants and research facilities across Texas. TCC is the chemical industry's voice at the Texas State Capitol and state regulatory agencies. TCC member companies represent more than \$150 Billion in physical assets in Texas and are responsible for more than 500,000 Texas jobs. The chemical industry is a major economic engine for the state. As the state's #1 non-energy export, the chemical industry accounts for over \$45 Billion in annual exports and generate more than \$2.9 Billion in state and local taxes annually.

Rivero is a respected business leader and legislative strategist. He has served on the Board of Directors of several business organizations including the Texas Association of Business, Texas Civil Justice League, Texas Taxpayers and Research Association, and the Greater Austin Chamber of Commerce. A government affairs professional for over 25 years, Rivero has been instrumental in the passage of major tax reforms, civil justice reforms, environmental laws, and constitutional amendments.

Rivero is a graduate of the University of Texas. He has two children and resides in Austin, Texas.