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Day of the Dead Celebration and Skull Auction to Benefit Latino Community

October 31, 2013 (DENVER): Local Mexican restaurant Mezcal is hosting a silent auction and Day of the Dead celebration on November 2 to benefit Mi Casa Resource Center.

Mezcal recruited artists from across Denver to decorate skulls in honor of the Mexican celebration of Día De Los Muertos.

All proceeds from the skull auction and 10% of food sales on November 2 will be donated to Mi Casa in support of their mission to advance the economic success of Latino families.

El Día De Los Muertos, the Day of the Dead, is an important Mexican holiday, also celebrated throughout Latin America and the U.S. The holiday is usually marked with gatherings of families and friends to honor and remember those who have died.

“Bring the entire family to celebrate El Día De Los Muertos and make sure to check out the skulls, each is truly a piece of art,” said Mi Casa CEO Christine Marquez-Hudson. “We are deeply grateful to see Mezcal, Don Julio and Denver artists partnering for this celebration to raise money to support low-income families and our community as a whole through Mi Casa’s economic advancement programs.”

- **What:** El Día De Los Muertos celebration and skull auction to benefit Mi Casa Resource Center
- **Who:** The event is hosted by Mezcal, sponsored by Don Julio and benefits Mi Casa Resource Center.
- **When:** Silent auction will be open from 12 p.m. – 6 p.m. Saturday, November 2
- **Where:** Mezcal, 3230 E Colfax Ave., Denver, CO 80206
- **Photo Opportunity:** There will be great visual opportunities to photograph the skulls decorated by Denver metro area artists.

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About Mi Casa Resource Center: Mi Casa is among the oldest and largest Latino-serving nonprofit organizations in Colorado and works to advance the economic success of Latino and working families by expanding opportunities for educational, professional and entrepreneurial advancement. Learn more at www.MiCasaResourceCenter.org

About Mezcal: With authentic and time-tested family recipes and fresh ingredients, Mezcal offers a menu bursting with flavor and packed with classic dishes created from scratch. Daily specials incorporate seasonal, local ingredients. From delicious appetizers to tasty salads, inspired entrees to decadent desserts, every meal is one of a kind.