

PLATE 1: After 20 years, the anthropologist came back to Ixcoy. The author, Eike H., is donating a copy of the book “Mistrust leads to death” (in German and Q’anjob’al) to the Public Library of San Juan Ixcoy. The *Alcalde Rezador* (religious mayor, with a red belt as sign of authority), Miguel Paíz, is acting as a substitute of the political mayor (*Alcalde Municipal*). Town hall. (2006).





PLATE 2: The *Alcalde Rezador* (religious mayor, with red belt) speaks, the anthropologist listens. (2006).







