

JOHN COOK
MAYOR

JOYCE WILSON
CITY MANAGER

RICHARD D. WILES
CHIEF OF POLICE



CITY COUNCIL
ANN MORGAN LILLY, DISTRICT 1
SUSANNAH M. BYRD, DISTRICT 2
J. ALEXANDRO LOZANO, DISTRICT 3
MELINA CASTRO, DISTRICT 4
RACHEL QUINTANA, DISTRICT 5
EDDIE HOLGUIN, JR., DISTRICT 6
STEVE ORTEGA, DISTRICT 7
BETO O'ROURKE, DISTRICT 8

POLICE DEPARTMENT

NEWS RELEASE

Contact: Office of Public Affairs @ 915.564.7307 or 915.564.7322

ASSISTANT CHIEF CROSS RETIRES

Date/Time: 12/21/2007 @ 2p.m.

Location: 911 N. Raynor (Police Headquarters Large Conference Room)

EL PASO, TEXAS – El Paso Assistant Chief of Police, Paul Cross, will be saying farewell as he begins his retirement. Please join him and his friends and co-workers in saying good bye in a special celebration at Police Headquarters. Assistant Chief Cross began his career with the El Paso Police Department in January of 1984. In his 24-years of service to the community of El Paso, Assistant Chief Cross has served in the ranks of Patrol Officer, Detective, Sergeant, Lieutenant, Captain, Commander, Deputy Chief and Assistant Chief. He is a graduate of Central State University in Ohio, where he earned a Bachelor of Arts in Communications in 1982. Assistant Chief Cross is a graduate of the F.B.I. National Academy. Assistant Chief Cross also has a Master of Business Administration degree form the University of Phoenix. He has served as the Department's Internal Affairs Commander, and has served as the Captain over the Department's Directed Investigations Division. Assistant Chief Cross also served as the Commander of the Mission Valley Regional Command, during which time the Region was named Command of the Year. His last assignment as one of the two Assistant Chiefs involved overseeing the Operations Division. This office encompasses Regional Operations in the city as well as the Major Crimes Bureau, which includes all Criminal and Directed Investigations.

###

