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NEWS RELEASE

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City of El Paso Seeks Volunteers for Mobility Advisory Committee

Committee to Help Implement Complete Streets Program

El Paso, **Texas** — The City of El Paso in collaboration with the American Heart Association seeks to form an all-volunteer Mobility Advisory Committee to help implement the Complete Streets policy and provide public oversight and community engagement in coordination with City staff.

Anyone interested in serving on the committee may apply online at www.Elev8EP.com/Mobility/CompleteStreets or pick up an application at City 2 located at 218 N. Campbell, 2nd Floor. Applications will be taken through April 21, 2023

The committee will consist of diverse stakeholders, including representatives from the general public as well as different industry and policy sectors such as transportation, health, education, environment, environmental justice, social equity, public art, economic development, business and construction.

Mobility Advisory Committee meetings will take place quarterly at location to be determined. Committee terms are expected to be two years.

BACKGROUND

In July 2022, the El Paso City Council approved a Complete Streets policy to improve the safety, health, and quality of life for all who use El Paso streets.

The Complete Streets policy supports the creation of a safe, equitable multimodal transportation network through the strategy of requiring that every road construction and reconstruction project makes a street safe and comfortable for all users, preferably with prioritization of investment in communities that have historically been underserved.

The City of El Paso is committed to advancing transportation equity through the Complete Streets approach by investing in underserved, underrepresented communities, and prioritizing vulnerable users of the transportation network.

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