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## FY 2026 Budget Prepared with Focus on Financial Stability, Transparency & Community Priorities

**EL PASO, Texas**—The City of El Paso invites the public to attend a series of community meetings to learn about the Fiscal Year (FY) 2026 Budget.

The proposed budget will be presented to City Council on July 7-8. It reflects the City's ongoing focus on public safety, infrastructure, tax relief for seniors and disabled homeowners, and investments in competitive employee wages and benefits, while maintaining a structurally balanced approach with no increase to the property tax rate.

"We're committed to transparency, responsible financial management. In preparing this budget, we engaged with residents and businesses to understand which services are most important to them. I am proud to say this budget shapes the future of our community by focusing on critical services and reflecting the values and priorities voiced by the public during the budget development process," said City Manager Dionne Mack.

### FY 2026 Budget Meetings

- **Monday, July 7 at 9 a.m.**  
City Hall, Council Chambers  
300 N. Campbell
- **Tuesday, July 8 at 9 a.m.**  
City Hall, Council Chambers  
300 N. Campbell
- **Tuesday, July 15 at 6 p.m.**  
Beast Urban Park Recreation Center  
13501 Jason Crandall
- **Wednesday, July 16 at 9 a.m.**  
Veterans Recreation Center  
5301 Salem
- **Wednesday, July 16 at 5:30 p.m.**  
Veterans Recreation Center  
5301 Salem
- **Thursday, August 7 at 6 p.m. (VIRTUAL)**  
Link: <https://tinyurl.com/5daf46dz>  
Meeting ID: 279 758 006 806 2  
Passcode: Yy65Lo3g  
Phone: 915-213-4096, 684 747 074#
- **Tuesday, July 23 at 10:30 a.m.**  
Nolan Richardson Recreation Center  
4435 Maxwell
- **Wednesday, July 23 at 5:30 p.m.**  
Irving Schwartz Library  
1865 Dean Martin
- **Tuesday, July 29 at 5:30 p.m.**  
Memorial Senior Center  
1800 Byron
- **Wednesday, July 30 at 6 p.m.**  
Municipal Service Center, Cotton Patch Room  
7968 San Paulo
- **Thursday, July 31 at 6 p.m.**  
Westside Command Center  
4801 Osborne

The sessions follow community input opportunities held from April through May, including the Chime-In! budget survey and workshops.

### Key Dates in the FY2026 Budget Process

- **July 7–8, 2025:** Budget Presentations
- **July 31, 2025:** Presentation of Certified Property Values and Introduction of Proposed Tax Rate
- **August 12, 2025:** Public Hearing on Budget and Tax Rate
- **August 19, 2025:** City Council Adoption of the FY 2026 Budget and Tax Rate

For more information, visit [www.EIPasoTexas.gov/OMB/Tax-and-Budget/](http://www.EIPasoTexas.gov/OMB/Tax-and-Budget/).

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