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El Paso Public Libraries to Expand **Enhanced Library Card Service**

El Paso Public Libraries WHO:

WHAT: Expansion of Enhanced Library Card Program

10 a.m. Thursday, July 24 WHEN: Main Library, 501 N. Oregon WHERE:

The El Paso Public Libraries is expanding its Enhanced Library Card (ELC) service to six additional branch libraries. To celebrate, the Public Libraries will host an event featuring a demonstration of the ELC registration process.

"We're excited to make this valuable service more accessible." said Public Libraries Director Norma Martinez. "The Enhanced Library Card opens doors, not just to books and technology but also to essential services."

The Enhanced Library Card includes the cardholder's name, photo, and identifying information. The card provides access to all library services and can serve as a secondary form of ID at select City and County offices.

The ELC program will now be available at the following new branches:

- Chamizal Express Library, 2119 Cypress
- Clardy Fox Library, 5515 Robert Alva
- Enrique Moreno Express Library, 7380 Alameda
- Judge Marquez Library, 610 N. Yarbrough
- Main Library, 501 N. Oregon
- Memorial Park Library, 3200 Copper

The new branches join Irving Schwartz (1865 Dean Martin), Jose Cisneros (1300 Hawkins), Sergio Troncoso (9321 Alameda), and Westside (125 Belvidere) libraries in offering the full-service Enhanced Library Card.

Residents can apply for an ELC at any participating branch with the required documentation.

For more information on the Enhanced Library Card program, visit the El Paso Public Libraries at www.ElPasoLibrary.org.

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