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City of El Paso to Begin Drainage Improvement Project in Northeast

Work to Address Flooding on Palomino Street, Laramie Circle

EL PASO, Texas—The City of El Paso will soon begin construction on drainage improvements in the Sun Valley subdivision of Northeast El Paso to help reduce flooding caused by excessive rainwater runoff along Palomino Street and Laramie Circle.

Construction is scheduled to begin the week of September 1, 2025, with completion projected within six months, barring any unforeseen events or weather delays.

The project is being funded through a legal settlement resulting from a lawsuit filed by neighborhood homeowners against the subdivision's developer and design engineer.

Prior to the start of construction, City staff and District 4 Rep. Cynthia Boyar Trejo met with area residents during a pre-construction community meeting to provide project details, address concerns, and answer questions.

“I’ve met with families from the impact neighborhood and heard directly how flooding has affected their homes and daily lives,” said Boyar Trejo. “I’m grateful for the community’s patience and am encouraged that the City is moving forward quickly with this construction project that aims to resolve an ongoing neighborhood concern.”

Project scope includes:

- Installation of new concrete flumes on the north and south sides of Laramie Circle to allow stormwater to drain into the existing concrete channel owned and maintained by El Paso Water.
- The total project cost is estimated at \$475,000.

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