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City of El Paso Celebrates Completion of Eastside Sports Complex Expansion

\$12M Expansion Boosts Recreation and Tournaments

WHO: City of El Paso

WHAT: Grand Opening Celebration for Eastside Sports Complex Phase II

WHEN: 11:30 a.m. Thursday, June 12, 2025

WHERE: Eastside Sports Complex, 14380 Montwood Drive

The City of El Paso invites the public to a ribbon cutting and grand opening celebration for Phase II of the Eastside Sports Complex in the Upper Eastside. Exhibition games by El Paso Premier League will follow the ceremony.

The approximate \$12 million expansion project positions the Eastside Sports Complex as El Paso's premier destination for regional soccer and football tournaments. The project added 40 acres of new amenities, including:

- Eight competition-grade flat fields
- Field lighting and expanded parking
- ADA-accessible restrooms
- Perimeter fencing
- New landscaping

"The Parks and Recreation Department's commitment to our youth and adult athletes continues as Phase II of the Eastside Sports Complex opens to the public," said Parks and Recreation Director Pablo Caballero. "The expansion of the complex will help attract future tournaments to our city to help young athletes develop the skills necessary to compete at the national level while contributing to the region's economic vitality."

With the completion of Phase II, the Eastside Sports Complex has transformed into an 80-acre destination designed to serve athletes and families alike. The expanded complex now offers 16 lighted fields, including a championship-style field with shaded seating for up to 500 spectators—ideal for tournament play and major events.

Visitors can also enjoy a scenic hike and bike trail, an inclusive playground built for children of all abilities, and ADA-compliant restrooms and walkways that ensure accessibility for everyone. A new maintenance facility and expanded parking support the site's increased capacity, while a covered picnic area with space for food trucks creates a welcoming environment for spectators and families during games and community events.

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