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Party on the Plaza Brings Free Live Music to Downtown El Paso

Concert Series Turns San Jacinto Plaza into a Summer Stage

EL PASO, Texas—Downtown El Paso is turning up the volume this summer as the City of El Paso Museums and Cultural Affairs Department (MCAD) launches Party on the Plaza, a free monthly concert series bringing live music, dancing, and community celebration to San Jacinto Plaza.

Presented by GECU Federal Credit Union, the series kicks off Thursday, May 21, and continues monthly through October, featuring a new sound each month, from salsa and mariachi to country, cumbia, jazz, and DJs.

“This series is all about creating an electric atmosphere downtown,” said City of El Paso Quality of Life Managing Director Ben Fyffe. “As El Paso continues to draw major musical acts, Party on the Plaza gives our local artists a dynamic stage to shine while bringing the community together.”

Each event begins at 5 p.m. with live DJ sets, followed by headlining performances at 6:30 p.m.

Concert Lineup:

- May 21: Salsa Night, featuring Team Havana
- June 18: Noche de Mariachi, featuring Mariachi Alegre
- July 16: Country Night, featuring Fair Point
- August 20: Cumbia Night
- September 17: Jazz Night
- October 15: DJ Night

Party on the Plaza is part of the popular Third Thursday’s series, where Downtown Arts District venues stay open late and offer special programming, creating a lively, walkable cultural experience each month.

The event is made possible thanks to the support of GECU Federal Credit Union. For more details, visit epmcad.org/experience-art/arts-district.

Third Thursdays is led by the MCAD in partnership with the El Paso Community Foundation and features participation from key cultural destinations across downtown, making it the perfect excuse to explore, connect, and celebrate the arts.

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