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**NEWS
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11/29/2021

COMSAR Unit Rescues Injured Hiker

Date/Time: 11/28/2021 at 2:53 PM
Location: Ron Coleman Trail/Transmountain Summit
Hiker: 21 year old male, Northeast El Paso, Texas resident

El Paso, Texas – On Sunday, 11/28/2021, the El Paso Police Department’s Combined Search and Rescue Unit (COMSAR) rescued an injured hiker in the Franklin Mountains. The COMSAR unit responded to the State Park after a hiker near the Mammoth Trunk Trail stepped on a loose rock, fell, and dislocated his knee. The hiker was located at the ridge line of the Ron Coleman trail where COMSAR placed the hiker in a Stokes basket and transported him down the trail. State Park Police issued the hiker a citation for not paying the park fee. The hiker was transported to University Medical Center for treatment.

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