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El Paso Police Department **Celebrates 152 Years of Service** with "152 In Blue" Community **Event**

EL PASO, Texas— The El Paso Police Department proudly invites the public to join us for "152 In Blue", a free and family-friendly community celebration commemorating 152 years of dedicated service to the El Paso community.

The El Paso Police Department was established on May 17, 1873, and has since remained committed to public safety and community engagement. In honor of this milestone, the department is hosting an open event at the El Paso Police Academy to showcase various units and programs that support and protect the city every day.

Community members are encouraged to attend, meet officers, participate in hands-on safety activities, and enjoy live demonstrations by specialized teams. The event will feature food trucks, music, fitness activities, and more for the whole family.

Event Details:

What: "152 In Blue" – El Paso Police Department Community Event When: Saturday, May 17, 2025 | 10:00 AM – 4:00 PM Where: El Paso Police Academy | 2300 Scenic Drive, El Paso, TX

Parking: Limited parking is available along Scenic Drive. Traffic on Scenic Drive will be one-way from East to West. If you are planning on parking or dropping anyone off, enter through the East location near Wheeling Ave.

Additional parking will be available near Police Headquarters at 911 N. Raynor **Street**, with free shuttle transportation to and from the academy provided throughout the day.

Event Schedule:

- 10:00 AM Doors Open
- 10:30 AM MixxedFit Session with Officer Sam Medina
- 11:30 AM SWAT Team Demonstration
- 12:30 PM Bomb Squad Demonstration •
- 1:30 PM COMSAR Demonstration
- 2:30 PM K9 Unit Demonstration





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• 1:00-3:00 PM - Live Music by Officer Arturo Morales

The El Paso Police Department extends heartfelt gratitude to the El Paso Citizen Police Academy Alumni Association, the El Paso Municipal Police Officers Association, and Crime Stoppers of El Paso for their continued support and participation in this event.

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