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12/15/2025

# Two Taken Into Custody For Park Vandalism

**Date:** 12-13-2025 **Time:** 9:46 PM

**Location:** 3001 Parkwood

**Victim:** City of El Paso Rec Center

**Arrested:** 18-year-old Ezra Azael Rico, East El Paso, Texas resident.

**Charge #1:** Graffiti Pecuniary Loss over or equal to \$2500, less than \$30K

**Judge:** K. Sullivan

**Bond:** \$1,500.00

**Referred to Juvenile Probation Department:** 16-year-old male, East El Paso, Texas resident.

**EL PASO, Texas**— On 12-13-2025, Police were called to 3001 Parkwood on a reported Graffiti in progress at the Gary Del Palacio Recreation Center. When officers arrived, they located witnesses who were holding down two subjects. The investigation revealed that both 18-year-old Ezra and a 16-year-old juvenile were involved in vandalizing the rec center by spray-painting on its walls, causing approximately \$5,000 in damage. 18-year-old Ezra was booked into the El Paso County Detention Facility with the above-listed bond. The 16-year-old juvenile was referred to the Juvenile Probation Department.



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