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CITY OF EL PASO, TEXAS
AGENDA SUMMARY FORM

DEPARTMENT / COUNCIL OFFICE: Environmental Services Department

AGENDA DATE: 2/16/26

PUBLIC HEARING DATE:

CONTACT PERSON NAME: Nicholas Ybarra **PHONE NUMBER:** 915-212-6000

2nd CONTACT PERSON NAME: **PHONE NUMBER:** 1-915-555-5555

DISTRICT(S) AFFECTED: All

AGENDA ITEM:

Presentation and Discussion on Recker's Outreach, which includes programs consisting of Keep El Paso Beautiful (affiliate of Keep Texas Beautiful) and Reconnecting with the Disconnected. Currently working with Environmental Services, Recker's Outreach seeks other partner opportunities with the City of El Paso to increase outreach to the City's at-risk youth, seniors and Veterans.

ISSUE STATEMENT:

Recker's Outreach is currently working with Environmental Service through Keep El Paso Beautiful. Ms. Recker will be providing an overview of her program, as well as express her group's interest in working with City Departments and City Council members to participate in neighborhood cleanup events, engage residents and refer properties of the senior or Veteran for volunteer cleanup through weekly community engagement projects with at-risk youth ages 12-18.

BACKGROUND:

City Council has expressed interest in expanding outreach and resources to assist the elderly and veterans in maintaining code-compliant properties. Recker Outreach seeks to continue its relationship with ESD, and expand to include other City Departments and City Council Representatives in order to engage at-risk youth in volunteer work that assists the elderly and veterans. No City funds are at issue.

COUNCIL OPTIONS:

No action needed

COMMITTEE REVIEW AND/OR RECOMMENDATION:

N/A

COMMUNITY AND STAKEHOLDER OUTREACH (if applicable, as an attachment) – please include:

N/A

RELATED CITY POLICIES:

Properties found to be out of compliance with code may be abated by ESD, resulting in charges to the property owner, which may advance to liens if not paid in a timely fashion. Applicable ordinances include 9.04.850, 9.04.860, 9.04.870 and 9.04.880

PRIOR COUNCIL ACTION:

Environmental Services had previously provided an update on median maintenance activities and the start of Keep El Paso Beautiful partnership at the November 18th, 2025 council meeting.

LEGAL REVIEW:

☐ *Legal counsel reviewed as a part of Council packet*

☑ *Legal counsel reviewed in advance of packet as an individual item*

AMOUNT AND SOURCE OF FUNDING:

N/A

REPORTING OF CONTRIBUTION OR DONATION TO CITY COUNCIL:

N/A

NAME	AMOUNT ($)

ATTACHMENTS:

Presentation

FOR MORE INFORMATION:

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**********REQUIRED AUTHORIZATION**********

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