

EPA WHAT WE WILL COVER

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- Investing in Our Workforce (Araceli Guerra)
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 - 3 Learning + Innovation Program Spotlights (Rosemary Crawford + Roman Sanchez)

Investing in our Workforce

Compensation + Benefits + Development

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- Wage increases
- Incentives
- Service time
- Performance pay

- Healthcare
- Shape it up
- Wellness clinics

BENEFITS

- City gyms

- Tuition assistance

DEVELOPMENT

- Leadership training
- Linkedin library
- Lean six sigma

Workforce Compensation and Benefits

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| Wage Increase (Amount based on Full-time employee) \$2,080 | Performance Evaluation (Lump sum up to \$175) \$175 | Shape it Up Wellness Incentive (\$600-\$1,800) \$1,800 | Health Savings Account (\$500 - \$1,000) \$1,000 | Tuition Assistance Program (Up to \$5,000 annually) \$5,000 |
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| Service Time Increase (Additional % increase every 5 years) \$760 | CDL, Animal Services, Zoo incentive (\$90 per pay period) \$2,340 | Sign-On incentive for new employe \$1,000 | savin | |
| Accident-Free driving incentive (jobs requiring CDL)Perfect Attendance incentive\$350\$100 | | U-Matter recognition (up to \$250) \$250 | Total Available Compensation Increase, Benefits, Incentives \$15,224 | |

Workforce Compensation and Benefits



NO HEALTHCARE INCREASES FOR All Civilian Employees



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HEALTH SAVINGS ACCOUNT WITH EMPLOYER CONTRIBUTION ANNUALLY \$500 PER EMPLOYEE \$1,000 PER FAMILY



\$25 PER PAYCHECK PER EMPLOYEE OR \$50 PER FAMILY



Reinforcing Our Talent Pipeline

- ✓ Focused Training
- ✓ CertificationOpportunities
- ✓ Project delivery
- ✓ Results-oriented



Expand workforce development and organizational focus on continuous improvement through targeted training, activating partnerships, and growing best practices (supports Goal 6)

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Our Approach

We value and encourage learning + innovation

✓ Variety of tools to hone leadership skills

Broadly partnered through cross-functional teams
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Variety of Tools

- www.eplearners.com
- LinkedIn Learning
- Lean Six Sigma (LSS)
- Human Centered Design/Design Thinking
- MyElPaso---Leadership Toolkit
- Baldridge Performance Excellence Criteria
- Listening Sessions, Customer Experience Workshops
- Tuition Assistance Program

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Implementing Leading-Edge Practices

JOHNS HOPKINS

Training a city's workforce to innovate

Innovator of the Week

Roman Sanchez

2022 BEST award recipient

(Association of Talent Development (ATD)

- Created Borderlands ATD group
- 1 of 14 in North America selected to participate in Innovation Training Program
- First organization to pilot virtual workshop with Stanford University Design School (d.School) *Designing for Social Systems*
- Invited to facilitate Strategic Planning Sessions for Community Partners



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Key Results



15,706 Responses

Survey Responses from past 3 years used to identify improvements

Approach, Deployment, Learning and Integration Space reserved for the ASL interpreter

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Strongly Agree & Agree

97%

They would recommend course they attended/completed to others

Learning Program *RESULTS*

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Leadership Development >5,000 hours

Senior Leadership LSS/Examiner 100%



Innovation Program *RESULTS*

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Process Hrs. Saved & Capacity Added:

243,848 hrs. 4.27 Million 512 Trees

Savings + Cost Avoidance: \$26.1 Million

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LEARNING TEAM

TRANSFORMATION OFFICE





LEARNING FOR ALL

APPROACH

- Implemented <u>www.eplearners.com</u>
 - Providing >100 **courses** in targeted City of El Paso topics
 - Over 8,000 courses available through LinkedIn Learning
- Created **on-demand** mandatory training for 24/7 mobile learning
- Ensured **Spanish** options available to meet frontline learning needs

DEPLOYMENT

- Available to **all ~6,000 workforce** members
- Launched "lunch and learns" focused on our field/operations team members

LEARNING + INTEGRATION

• Led by our Learning Team to ensure focus on process improvement, strategic alignment and performance excellence across workforce segments (frontline, professional/managerial and executive)

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More Learning Opportunities



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Increased Variety of Delivery Options





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Source: survicate.com

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Tuition Assistance Program

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• \$300,000

Then

- 6 hours to apply
- 19% Error Rate
- Degree only

- \$500,000
- 1 hour to apply

Now

- 1% Error Rate
- Continuing Ed
- Certifications
- Books

- Career Coaching
- Job Shadowing

Next

- Academic Advising
- Wi-Fi



Employees are able to obtain Tuition Assistance for Degree's, Certifications, Continuing Education Books/ Required Equipment.

- Per calendar year:
- FT employees are eligible up to \$5,000
 PT employees are eligible up to \$3,000.
- All employees are eligible up to \$25,000 during their lifetime as an employee of the City of El Paso, to include returning employees.

Check out our Tuition Assistance Program! https://my.elpasotexas.gov/my-benefits/tuition-assistance-program/







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"My participation using the TAP has assisted me monetarily and given me more confidence that it is **never too late to pursue your dreams.** I also, have to mention that I am being a mentor to my daughters who see how this wonderful **City gives back to the community and its employees.**"

- Sara Cera, Public Health





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"I never thought it was possible this late in the game to pursue and finish my education. Seeing the great opportunities there are working for the city made me go back to school during the pandemic... It also **motivates me** to stay working for the city and hopefully move up in my department or other city departments."

- Armando Salais, Libraries





"After taking the time to fill out all the forms, and speaking with the TAP team, I was **motivated to finish my degree.** I started in 2000 but left in 2006 due to a horrific event in my 13year old daughter's life. I was able to start again with the TAP program in Fall 2021 and finish on May 31, 2022. This program encouraged me to finish my degree."

- Monica Luna, Police



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"TAP has been **a game changer for my family and me.** I have been able to advance my career tremendously with the education TAP has allowed me to complete; an education that I most likely would not have been able to afford without it."

> Robert Read, Economic Development



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Innovation *RESULTS*



Employees engaged in the PIP 700+



EP 311 Program

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Report Online

ACTIVE

PROJECTS

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PROCESS APPROACH co-designing with our customers

UNDERSTAND the opportunity for improvement

GENERATE and test new ideas

DELIVER initiatives Space reserved for the ASL interpreter

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BUILDING A CULTURE OF INNOVATION PILLARS

Create KNOWLEDGE

Create SAFE SPACES

Create OPPORTUNITIES

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Create *KNDWLEDGE*

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Black Belt Training



NEXT: *Human Centered Design*

Lean Six Sigma Training Path



Centre for Public Impact Stanford University

Idea

Workshops



Create *SAFE SPACES*

Virtual & Physical

Listen to *LEARN*

Customer Experience Workshops

Resident & Workforce

Process Mapping Workshops

1:1 Coaching

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Create *OPPORTUNITIES*

Lean Six Sigma Projects Customer Experience Workshops Kaizen Events Re-Form **GEMBA Walks** Connecting People & Systems (networking) Data Analytics Workshops

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"Being able to quantify the improvement has also given me a **new understanding** about the **savings and time we gain from applying LSS.** Although I have only completed a white belt project, I have a list a many future projects that keeps getting longer but are definitely worth analyzing.

I may not be an expert yet, but I know that I can count on the Performance (Transformation) Office to guide me."

> - Brenda Cantu, Planning & Inspections

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Denice was assigned to this project where her knowledge, experience, professionalism and work ethic clearly manifested to me she is a Tier 1 individual!

Ms. Sepulveda's discipline, work ethic and commitment to this project embody the finest traditions of the City of El Paso and those of the Performance (Transformation) Office. We look forward in the future to be able to institute Denice's work to have a more cost-effective method approach addressing police personnel injuries and to have an effective work force injury treatment program for a healthier and stronger work force.

- Chief Pacillas, EPPD

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I have always been a person that asks questions to understand why we do what we are doing but since working with the Performance (Transformation) Office, **I now include the question "How can we improve this process?".** With an idea in mind and the tools the Performance (Transformation) Offices provides, I can now put those ideas into reality.

They are willing to hear my idea out, provide feedback, thoughts on analysis and insight on how we can utilize available technology, some I didn't even know existed.

> - Stephanie Carbajal, Municipal Court

Without the Innovation Team - their "outside the box" thinking, infectious energy, and encouragement – these projects would not be possible!

SHOUT OUT and KUDOS to the INNOVATION TEAM that makes great ideas come to life – Roman Sanchez, Cesar Grado, and Denice Sepulveda – THANK YOU for investing in US & our ideas and inspiring our teams to continue sprouting ideas to deliver powerful impact in our organization.

We do not do this alone – We do this as a TEAM! EPTX-TEAM

-Annabelle Casas, Municipal Court

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The vision was to ultimately have one automated form of submission with a single platform on the receiving end for the reviewal and approval process. The Transformation Office did exactly that, Transform that vision into reality. With the help of IT, PIO and the Benefits Team, we completed the mission: One form of submission, One landing platform, 2,000 affected employees.



-Roman Sandoval, Human Resources

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