

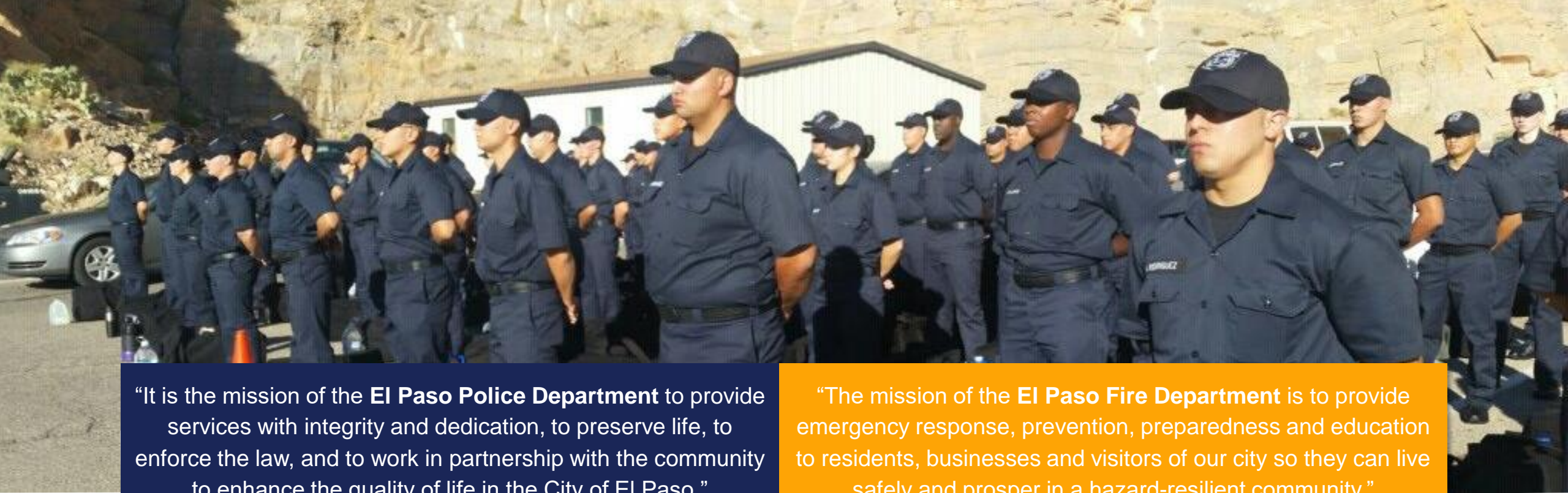


Item 41

Joint Police + Fire Department Training Academy, Fire Department Headquarters, and Fire Vehicle Maintenance + Logistics Center

Goal 2. Increase public safety operational efficiency





“It is the mission of the **El Paso Police Department** to provide services with integrity and dedication, to preserve life, to enforce the law, and to work in partnership with the community to enhance the quality of life in the City of El Paso.”

“The mission of the **El Paso Fire Department** is to provide emergency response, prevention, preparedness and education to residents, businesses and visitors of our city so they can live safely and prosper in a hazard-resilient community.”

Presentation Outline

- ❖ Project Overview
- ❖ Public Outreach
- ❖ Project Schedule

Project Overview

Location	Martin Luther King Jr. and Officer Andrew Barcena Dr.	
District(s)	District 4	
Total Budget	Police Academy	\$19.9 million
	Fire Academy + Logistics Center	\$29.6 million
	Fire Department Headquarters	\$29.6 million
	TOTAL	\$79.1 million
Funding Source	2019 Public Safety Bond	
Delivery Strategy	Design – Build	

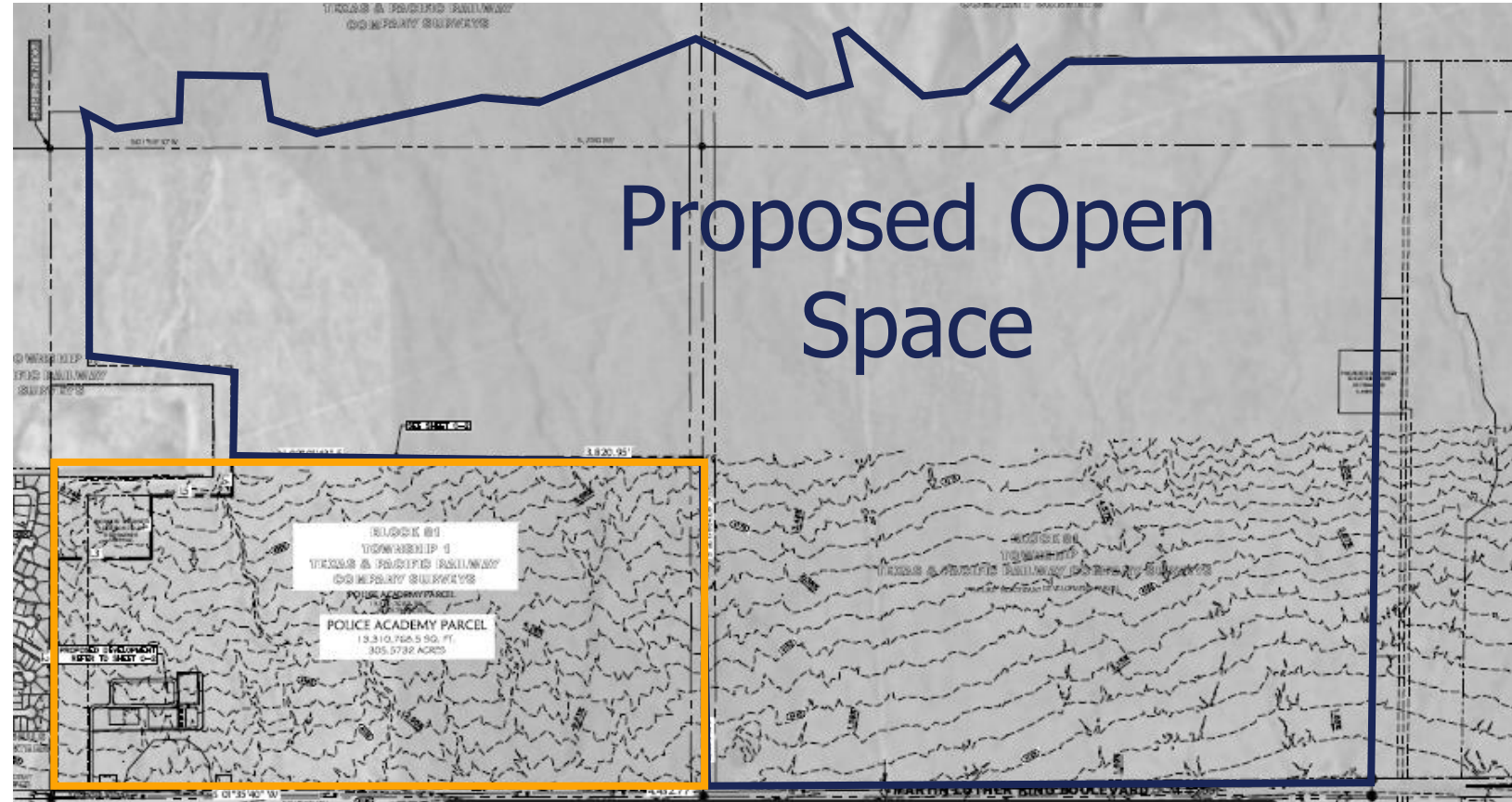


Project Location

- Identified and evaluated a number of properties
- Selected property offers opportunity to **conserve open space** while ensuring trail amenities are not impacted
- **Accessible** from major transportation thoroughfares
- **Available** utility and storm water **infrastructure** reduce construction costs
- Land held in EP Water inventory-memorandum of understanding with EP Water allows transfer for City use at **25% of the appraised value**

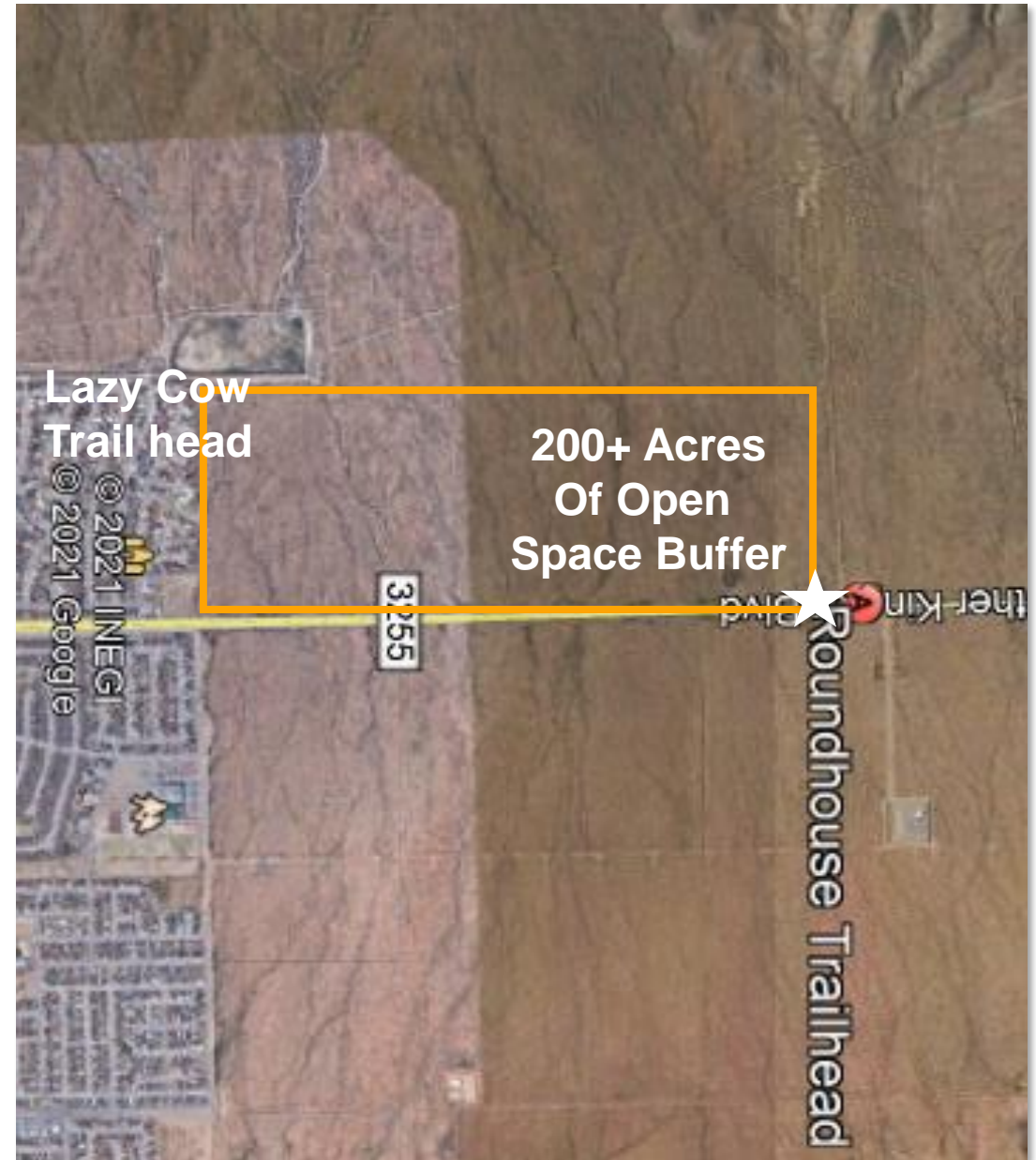
Project Location

- Academy to be **surrounded by dedicated open space**
- Parking area can be used by trail users during non-business hours
- Location offers some security presence near the trailheads and open space
- QoL and Public Safety Bond funding used to maximize open space purchase and potentially improve road to Round House



Proposed Academy

Trailhead Locations



Academy Amenities

- Fire training Props
- Indoor shooting range
- Swift water rescue pool
- Class rooms/Auditorium
- Fitness gym
- A simulation room
- Police tactical training facility
- Mock courtroom
- Emergency vehicle training area
- Academy co-located with Fire Department HQ and Fire Vehicle Maintenance and Logistics Ctr.



New Facility will be designed to complement Open Space



Example Police Training Amenities



Example Fire Training Props



Outreach Efforts

Briefing	Date
Bond Overview Advisory Committee (BOAC)	December 7, 2020
Bond Overview Advisory Committee (BOAC)	April 19, 2021
Open Space Advisory Board (OSAB)	May 12, 2021
BOAC/OSAB Subcommittee	May 17, 2021
North Hills Neighborhood	June 16, 2021
City Council (Open Session)	June 22, 2021
Community Meeting	July 1, 2021

Project Schedule

- Property Acquisition: Ongoing through MOU between City + EPWater
- Programming: May 2021 – December 2021
- Design/Builder Selection: December 2021 – June 2022
- Design and Construction: July 2022 – January 2024



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Mission

Deliver exceptional services to support a high quality of life and place for our community



Vision

Develop a vibrant regional economy, safe and beautiful neighborhoods and exceptional recreational, cultural and educational opportunities powered by a high performing government



Values

Integrity, Respect, Excellence, Accountability, People