# CITY OF EL PASO, TEXAS AGENDA ITEM DEPARTMENT HEAD'S SUMMARY FORM

AGENDA DATE: December 5, 2023
PUBLIC HEARING DATE: December 12, 2023

CONTACT PERSON(S) NAME AND PHONE NUMBER: Philip F. Etiwe, (915) 212-1553

JC Naranjo, (915) 212-1604

**DISTRICT(S) AFFECTED**: District 1

STRATEGIC GOAL: #3 Promote the Visual Image of El Paso

**SUBGOAL:** 3.2 Set one standard for infrastructure across the city

### **SUBJECT:**

An ordinance vacating a portion of City right-of-way located on the property described as portion of Tract 18-A, Block 4, Upper Valley, City of El Paso, El Paso County, Texas.

Subject Property: 5000 Country Club Place.

Applicant: El Paso Country Club, SURW23-00002

### **BACKGROUND / DISCUSSION:**

El Paso Country Club is requesting to vacate a portion of Meadowlark Dr. in order to address existing El Paso Country Club Tennis Courts encroaching into the right-of-way. The City Plan Commission recommended 5-0 to approve the proposed vacation requested on February 23, 2023. As of November 20, 2023, The Planning Division has not received any communication in support of or opposition to the vacation request. The applicant has provided funds in the amount of \$3,369.18, the amount of the appraised market value of the right-of-way (R.O.W.) being vacated See attached staff report for additional information.

### **PRIOR COUNCIL ACTION:**

N/A

### AMOUNT AND SOURCE OF FUNDING:

N/A

HAVE ALL AFFECTED DEPARTMENTS BEEN NOTIFIED? X YES NO

PRIMARY DEPARTMENT: Planning & Inspections, Planning Division

**SECONDARY DEPARTMENT:** N/A

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ORDINANCE NO.
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# AN ORDINANCE VACATING A PORTION OF CITY RIGHT-OF-WAY OVER PORTION OF TRACT 18-A, BLOCK 4, UPPER VALLEY, CITY OF EL PASO, EL PASO COUNTY, TEXAS.

**WHEREAS**, the abutting property owners have requested vacation of the City right-of-way located on a parcel of land being a portion Tract 18-A, Block 4, Upper Valley, City of El Paso, El Paso County, Texas.

**WHEREAS,** after public hearing the City Plan Commission recommended that a portion of Tract 18-A, Block 4, Upper Valley, City of El Paso, El Paso County, Texas. should be vacated and the City Council finds that said portion of right-of-way is not needed for public use and should be vacated as recommended;

# NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF EL PASO:

That a determination has been made that it is in the best interest of the public that the City Right-of-Way located on the property described as portion of Tract 18-A, Block 4, Upper Valley, City of El Paso, El Paso County, Texas, and which is more fully described in the attached metes and bounds description, identified as Exhibit "A" and in the attached survey identified as Exhibit "B" and made a part hereof by reference is hereby vacated.

In addition, the Interim City Manager is authorized to sign an instrument quitclaiming all of the City's right, title and interest in and to such vacated property to El Paso Country Club.

ADOPTED this day of	, 2023.
	THE CITY OF EL PASO
ATTEST:	Oscar Leeser Mayor
Laura D. Prine, City Clerk	
APPROVED AS TO FORM:	APPROVED AS TO CONTENT:
Russell Abeln Russell Abeln Senior Assistant City Attorney	Philip Ctive Philip F. Etiwe, Director Planning & Inspections Department

(Quitclaim Deed on the following page)

ORDINANCE NO.
HQ -23-710 | 491361 | P&I
Meadowlark ROW Vacation

**RTA** 

SURW23-00002

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THE STATE OF TEXAS } COUNTY OF EL PASO }	DUITCLAIM DEED
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WITNESS the following signatures a	and seal thisday of, 2023.
	CITY OF EL PASO
ATTEST:	Cary Westin, Interim City Manager
Laura D. Prine, City Clerk	
APPROVED AS TO FORM:	APPROVED AS TO CONTENT:
Russell Abeln Russell Abeln Senior Assistant City Attorney	Philip Ctive Philip F. Etiwe, Director Planning and Inspections Department
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### **ACKNOWLEDGMENT**

THE STATE OF TEXAS )		
COUNTY OF EL PASO )		
This instrument is acknowledged before by Cary Westin, as Interim City Manager for	ore me on this day of the CITY OF EL PASO.	, 2023.
	Notary Public, State of Texas Notary's Printed or Typed Name:	_
My Commission Expires:		
AFTER FILING RETURN TO: El PASO COUNTRY CLUB 5000 COUNTRY CLUB ROAD		

El Paso, Texas 79912

### METES AND BOUNDS

PROPERTY DESCRIPTION: PROPERTY DESCRIPTION: The parcel of land herein being described is a portion of MEADOWLARK DRIVE RIGHT OF WAY, City of El Paso, El Paso County, Texas and is being more specifically described by metes and bounds as follows:

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THENCE, 39.31 feet along said arc of a curve to the left, with a radius of 25.00 feet, an interior angle of 90°05'00", and a chord which bears South 44°55'30" West, a distance of 35.38 feet to a boundary corner;

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THENCE, North 89°53'00" East, along said Right-Of-Way line, a distance of 25.02 feet back to the "TRUE POINT OF BEGINNING" of this description.

Said parcel of land containing 10,131.49 Sq. Ft. (0.2326 Acres) of land, more or less.

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BOUNDARY LINE	IRON PIN FOUND	
WATER VALVE	WV CITY MONUMENT	
FIRE HYDRANT	C LIGHT POST	<del>\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\\</del>
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### METES AND BOUNDS



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ENGINEERING, INC.

JOB #: <u>09-21</u> DRAWN BY: CV CK BY: GH/ET DATE: 08/23/2023 SCALE:

EL PASO COUNTRY CLUB, INC. RIGHT-OF-WAY VACATED 5000 COUNTRY CLUB PL

### LEGAL DESCRIPTION

PORTION OF MEADOWLARK DRIVE RIGHT OF WAY CITY OF EL PASO, EL PASO COUNTY, TEXAS.

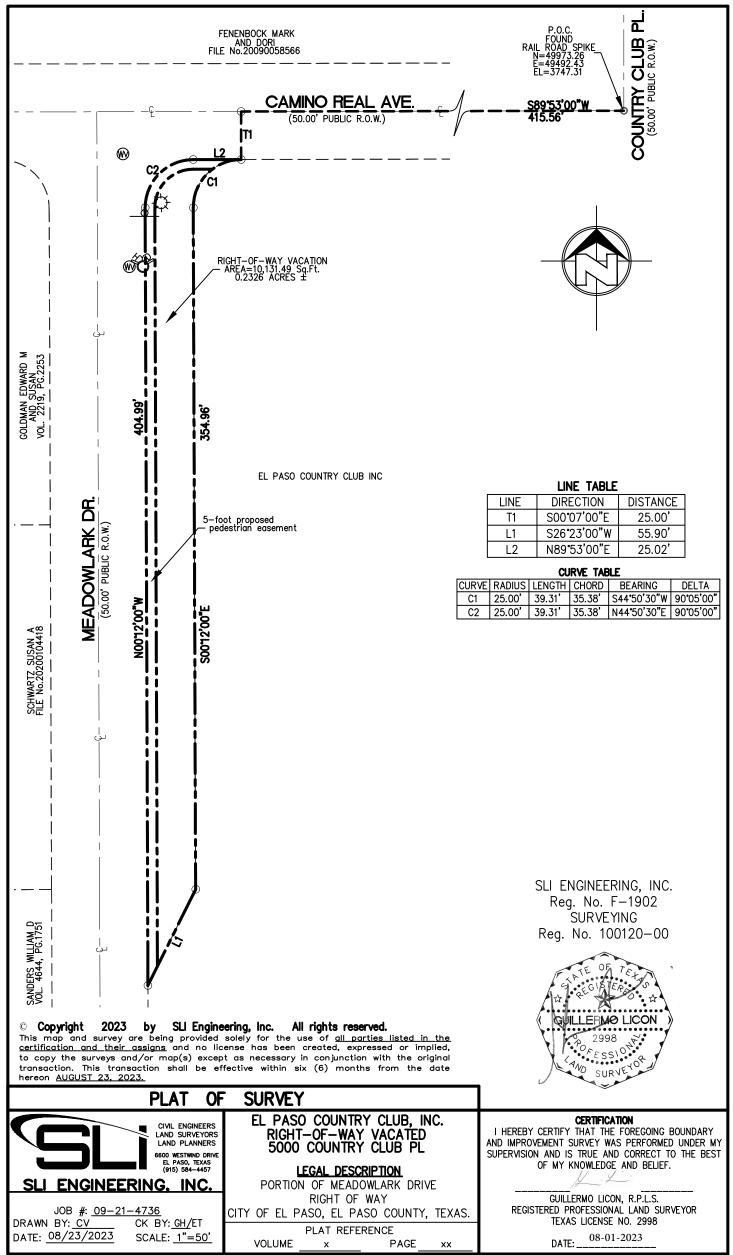
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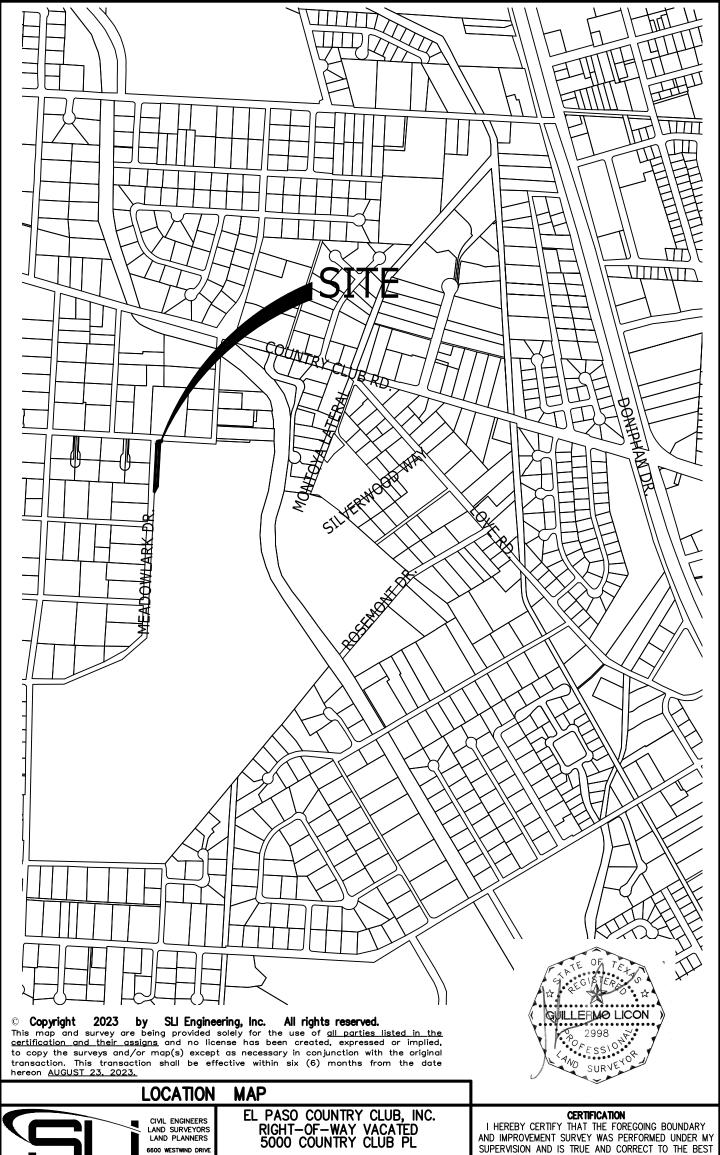
### CERTIFICATION

I HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE FOREGOING BOUNDARY AND IMPROVEMENT SURVEY WAS PERFORMED UNDER MY SUPERVISION AND IS TRUE AND CORRECT TO THE BEST OF MY KNOWLEDGE AND BELIEF.

GUILLERMO LICON, R.P.L.S.
REGISTERED PROFESSIONAL LAND SURVEYOR TEXAS LICENSE NO. 2998

DATE: <u>08-01-2023</u>





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JOB #: <u>09-21-4736</u> DRAWN BY: <u>CV</u> CK B CK BY: GH/ET DATE: 08/23/2023 SCALE: <u>1"=800</u>'

### LEGAL DESCRIPTION

PORTION OF TRACT 18-A, BLOCK 4, UPPER VALLEY CITY OF EL PASO, EL PASO COUNTY, TEXAS.

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### Meadowlark ROW Vacation

City Plan Commission — February 23, 2023

CASE NUMBER/TYPE: SURW23-00002 - RIGHT-OF-WAY VACATION

CASE MANAGER: Juan C. Naranjo, (915) 212-1604, NaranjoJC@elpasotexas.gov

**PROPERTY OWNER:** El Paso County Club **REPRESENTATIVE:** SLI Engineering, Inc.

LOCATION: East of Montoya Dr. and South of Country Club Rd. (District 1)

**PROPERTY AREA:** 0.2326 acres

**ZONING DISTRICT(S):** R-1

**PUBLIC INPUT:** No opposition received as of 2/14/2023

**SUMMARY OF RECOMMENDATION:** Staff recommends **APPROVAL** of the Meadowlark Right-of-Way (ROW) Vacation subject to the following conditions:

• That a five (5) foot pedestrian easement be retained.

• That an anchor easement be retained for the existing fire hydrant.



Figure A: Proposed plat with surrounding area

**DESCRIPTION OF REQUEST:** The applicant proposes to vacate a portion of Meadowlark Dr located on the north-east side of Meadowlark Drive at the intersection with Camino Real Avenue. The area requested to be vacated is 0.23 acres in size and consists of unimproved land. The applicant is requesting to vacate ROW in order to address existing El Paso Country Club Tennis Courts encroaching into the ROW.

### **CASE HISTORY/RELATED APPLICATIONS: "N/A"**

**NEIGHBORHOOD CHARACTER:** Surrounding neighborhood characteristics are identified in the following table.

Surrounding Zoning	and Use
North	R-1 / Residential development)
South	R-1 / Residential development)
East	R-1 / Residential development)
West	R-1 / Residential development)
Nearest Public Facili	ty and Distance
Park	White Spur Park (0.8 mi.)
School	Don Haskins Middle School (0.75 mi.)
Plan El Paso Designa	tion
G-3, Post-War	
Impact Fee Service A	rea
N/A	

**PUBLIC COMMENT:** Notices of the proposed right-of-way vacation were sent on February 5, 2023 to all property owners within 200 feet of the subject property. As of February 14, 2023, staff has not received any communication regarding this request.

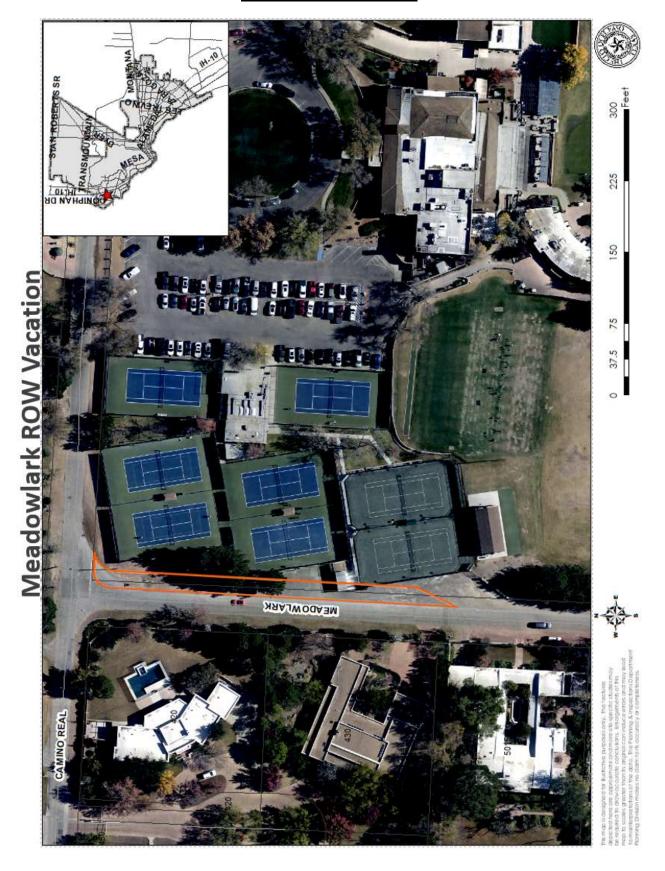
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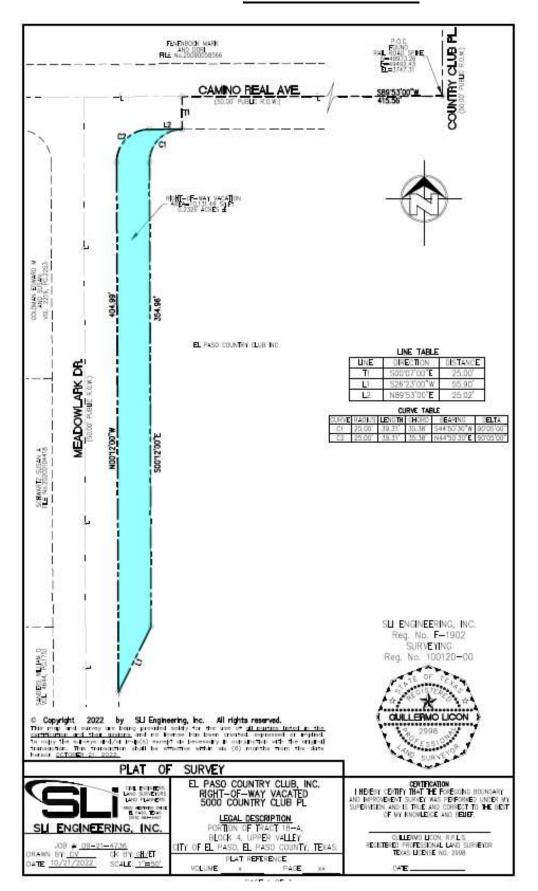
The City Plan Commission (CPC) has the authority to advise City Council on right-of-way vacation requests. When a request is brought forward to the CPC for review, the Commission may take any of the following actions:

- 1. **Recommend Approval**: The CPC finds that the proposed vacation request is in conformance with all applicable requirements of Title 19 of the El Paso City Code. (Staff Recommendation)
- 2. **Recommend Approval with Conditions:** The CPC may recommend that City Council impose additional conditions on approval of the request that bring the request into conformance with all applicable requirements of Title 19 of the El Paso City Code.
- 3. **Recommend Denial:** The CPC finds that the proposed request is not in conformance with all applicable requirements of Title 19 of the El Paso City Code.

### **ATTACHMENTS:**

- 1. Aerial Map
- 2. Survey
- 3. Metes and Bounds Description
- 4. Application
- 5. Department Comments





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Date: 12-01-2022	File No.	
APPLICANTS NAME SL PASO COUNTRY CLU	8	
ADDRESS 5000 COUNTRY CLUB ROAD	ZIP CODE 78812 TELEPHON	Б
Request is hereby made to vacate the fol	lowing; (check one)	
Street Alloy Hasement	Other	
Street Name(s) MEADOWLARK	Subdivision Name UPPER VALLEY	
Abutting Blocks 4	Abutting Lots TRACTS 16 A	
Reason for vacation request: TEMHS COUR	TB ENGROACHWENT	
reason for vacasion request.		
Surface Improvements located in subjec	t property to be vacated:	
None Paving Curb & Gutter	Power Lines/Poles Fences/Walls	Structures Other
Underground Improvements located in t		rain Other
Future use of the vacated right-of-way:		
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Related Applications which are pending		000000000
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	rties which abut the property to be vacated mu intion of the properties they own (use addition	
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Signature	Legal Description	7/5-637-46
/ my/at	Ceneral Manufar / Co tract 16 A Block 4	7/5-051-15
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The undersigned Owner/Applicant/Agent un	derstands that the processing of this Application wil	be handled in accordance with the
fee. It is further understood that acceptance	no action on processing will be taken without paym of this application and fee in no way obligates the C	ity to grant the Vacution. I/We
further understand that the fee, if the Vacatio must be presented before the request will be	n is granted will be determined by the City of El Par recommended for Council action.	so and a Certified or Cashier's Chec
The undersigned acknowledges that he or she	e is authorized to do so, and upon the City's request	will provide evidence satisfactory to
the City confirming these representations.		
any applicable City ordinances	ne construed to be a waiver of or an approval of any	violation of any of the provisions of
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REPRESENTATIVE (PHONE): 815 268 7277		
REPRESENTATIVE (E-MAIL): ###00#####	ngineering com	
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### Planning and Inspections Department- Planning Division

Staff recommend approval with the following conditions:

- 1. That a five (5) foot pedestrian easement be retained.
- 2. That an anchor easement be retained for the existing fire hydrant.

### Planning and Inspections Department-Land Development Division

No objections to proposed ROW vacation.

### **Parks and Recreation Department**

We have reviewed <u>Meadowlark Easement Vacation Request</u>, a survey map and on behalf of Parks & Recreation Department, we offer "No" objections to this proposed street vacation request.

### **El Paso Water**

El Paso Water (EPWater) requests to retain an anchor easement between the Meadowlark Dr. right-of-way and the portion of land to be vacated to accommodate the Fire Hydrant located in the corner with Camino Real Ave.

### Water:

There is an existing 12-inch diameter water main that extends along Meadowlark Dr., located approximately 35-feet west of the eastern right-of-way line. This main is available for service.

There is an existing 12-inch diameter water main that extends along Camino Real Ave., located approximately 13-feet south of the northern right-of-way line. This main is available for service. Previous water pressure from fire hydrant #00429, located on the southeast corner of the intersection of Meadowlark Dr. and Camino Real Ave., has yielded a static pressure of 170 pounds per square inch (psi), a residual pressure of 62 (psi), and a discharge of 822 gallons per minute.

#### **Sanitary Sewer:**

There is an existing 8-inch diameter sanitary sewer main that extends along Meadowlark Dr., located approximately 14 feet east of the western right-of-way line. This main dead-ends 347 feet north of Linda Ave. This main is available for service.

There is an existing 8-inch diameter sanitary sewer main that extends along Camino Real Ave., located approximately 10 feet north of the southern right-of-way line. This main is available for service.

### General:

EPWater requires a new service application to provide service to the property. New service applications are available at 1154 Hawkins, 3rd floor and should be made 6 to 8 weeks in advance of construction to ensure water for construction work. A site plan, utility plan, grading and drainage plans, landscaping plan, the legal description of the property and a certificate-of-compliance are required at the time of application. Service will be provided in accordance with the current EPWater – PSB Rules and Regulations. The applicant is responsible for the costs of any necessary on-site and off-site extensions, relocations or adjustments of water and sanitary sewer lines and appurtenances.

### **Sun Metro**

Sun Metro does not have any issues or exceptions.

### **Streets and Maintenance Department**

No objections.

### **Fire Department**

No comments received.

### **Capital Improvement Department**

No comments received.

### **Texas Gas**

No comments received.

### **El Paso Electric**

No comments received.

### **El Paso County 911 District**

No comments received.

### **Texas Department of Transportation**

No comments received.

### **El Paso County**

No comments received.

### El Paso County Water Improvement District #1

No comments received.