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El Paso Streetcar Resumes Service Beginning Wednesday, May 31

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EL PASO, TX—Sun Metro will resume regular service for the El Paso Streetcar starting tomorrow, Wednesday, May 31, just in time for the summer months.

The Streetcar system route travels across 4.8 miles on two loops servicing El Paso's downtown and uptown. Regular hours are as follows:

- Wednesday through Saturday 3 to 10 p.m.
- Sunday Noon to 6 p.m.
- No service Monday and Tuesday

"The El Paso Streetcar is a great public transit service that supports the vibrancy of downtown and uptown, so we are looking forward to reactivating the service for the summer months when leisure outings and tourism tend to spike," Sun Metro Director Anthony DeKeyzer said.

Streetcar service was temporarily suspended in early May to accommodate the City's response to the humanitarian migrant crisis that impacted City services and downtown streets near Sacred Heart Church.

Streetcar rides are free, and all cars are equipped with ADA accessibility and modern amenities such as free WIFI, air conditioning, and bike racks.

Passengers can track the Streetcar with the free Ride Sun Metro App. The app is available for download on both Android and IOS systems and provides riders with contactless payment options. Passes, trip planning, and service updates are also available.

To learn more about the El Paso Streetcar visit sunmetro.net/streetcar, call (915) 212-3333, or follow the Streetcar's social media @elpasostreetcar on <u>Facebook</u> and <u>Instagram</u>.

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