



## Press Release

# *Westside Sports Complex Grand Opening*

*6:00 p.m. on September 8, 2009*

**Who:** El Paso Parks and Recreation Department

**What:** Westside Sports Complex Phase I Opening

**When:** September 8, 2009

**Where:** Westside Sports Complex

The Westside Sports Complex (Phase I), 201 Isela Rubalcava will have a grand opening celebration of the 35 acre Complex at 6:00 p.m. on September 8, 2009.

Mayor John Cook will be guest speaker and master of ceremonies will be Nanette Smejkal, Parks and Recreation Director. League play at the complex will start on September 12.

The complex was funded through the Year 2000 Quality of Life Bond Issue at a cost of almost six million dollars. The eight soccer/multi-use fields cover 20 acres of turf, and two of the fields are lighted.

The complex was started in December, 2006 and has approximately 140 trees and an extensive irrigation system. There is an adjacent parking lot, concessions area, playground area, scoreboard and perimeter lighting.

The Phase 2 part of the complex is expected to begin next year adding 12 more acres of turf and five new soccer/multi-use fields at a cost of 2.8 million.

**For more information call Paula Powell at (915) 351-1320.**



Tuesday, August 25, 2009

**Mayor**  
John F. Cook

**City Council**

*District 1*  
Ann Morgan Lilly

*District 2*  
Susie Byrd

*District 3*  
Emma Acosta

*District 4*  
Carl L. Robinson

*District 5*  
Rachel Quintana

*District 6*  
Eddie Holguin Jr.

*District 7*  
Steve Ortega

*District 8*  
Beto O'Rourke

**City Manager**  
Joyce A. Wilson