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## **NEWS RELEASE**

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## City of El Paso Fire Department Hosts September 11th Memorial Ceremony

What: 9/11 Memorial Ceremony

When: 10 a.m. Monday, September 11, 2023

Where: El Paso Fire Department Station 18

7901 San Jose Rd.

The City of El Paso Fire Department will host a memorial ceremony in commemoration of those who lost their lives during the terrorist attacks on September 11, 2001.

Twenty-two years ago, our nation suffered the single deadliest extremist attacks on American soil in U.S. history. Four planes were hijacked and flown into the World Trade Center towers in New York City, the Pentagon, and one crashed into a field in Shanksville, Pennsylvania.

Two thousand nine hundred and seventy-seven people lost their lives that day, among them 343 firefighters and 72 law enforcement officers.

It was also the single deadliest incident for firefighters and law enforcement officers in the history of the United States.

Twenty-two years ago, we promised we would never forget.

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