# Enterprise's need for multiple County facilities

Enterprise requires multiple community centers, seniors' facilities, aquatic facilities, parks and trails due to rapidly increasing population, significant connectivity barriers and physical size.

## **Rapidly Increasing Population**

- There are 209,000+ citizens in Enterprise.
  - Enterprise population in 2000 was approximately 14,000
  - Enterprise population in 2010 was approximately 108,000
- Enterprise covers 67 sq. miles.
- Residential uses are increasing rapidly.
  - More higher density multifamily projects are being built or planned.
  - Lower density land use is being replaced with higher density land use.

#### Significant connectivity barriers

- Interstate 15 limits east/west access.
- 4 Major Projects, 3 are active (Southern Highlands, Mountain's Edge and Rhodes Ranch), one failed (Pinnacle Peaks).
  - Arterial and collector roads have been removed from the transportation grid.
  - Enclosed subdivisions have vacated local roads for more homes.
  - Major projects' plans have not added sufficient facilities to serve the public.
- South of CC 215, only three east/west arterials are available, two are not fully built out from I-15 to Fort Apache Rd.
  - UPRR tracks block or inhibit arterial and collector road development.
  - Geographic features, 12% or greater slopes block arterial and collector road development.
- Local roads are being vacated to build enclosed subdivisions.
- The connectivity barriers significantly increase travel time to county facilities currently planned for western Enterprise.
  - The planned regional park facilities in Mountain's Edge are not centrally located in Enterprise.
  - Individuals east of I-15 most likely will not use those facilities.

#### Other factors

- If the BLM disposal boundary is expanded, Enterprise will have 4 to 5 additional square miles available for development.
- BLM reservations are being released and sold, significantly decreasing land available for needed county facilities.

# Budget Requests by Category The requested priority is listed within each category

# **County Major Facilities**

## Priority #1: Enterprise Community Center

- o There are no recreational centers and/or aquatic facilities for the 209,000+ people living in Enterprise.
- The recreational center and aquatic facility for Mountain's Edge should be moved up on the priority list and funded with a cost estimate of \$23,715,000.
- o Reserve property for a second community center in eastern Enterprise.
- There is not currently another recreation center identified on the CIP list. Identify and add to the CIP list for a second recreation center adjacent or east of I-15.

## • Priority #2: Enterprise Senior Center

- o Fund a senior center in Mountain's Edge Regional Park or other west Enterprise location.
- Mountain's Edge Regional Park is too far west in Enterprise to accommodate seniors in eastern Enterprise.
  - Lack of effective public transportation.
  - Traffic density higher than seniors desire to drive in.
- o A senior center is needed east of I-15
  - Reserve property for a senior center east of I-15.
  - Add an eastern Enterprise senior center to CIP list and fund.

#### Priority #3: Aquatic Facility

- There are no aquatic facilities for the 209,000+ people living in Enterprise.
- o Reserve property for two aquatic facilities
- Add aquatic facilities to funding list.
- Aquatic facilities are needed in Enterprise eastern and western locations.
- Mountain's Edge Regional Park is too far west to accommodate individuals in eastern Enterprise.
  - Lack of effective east/west public transportation.
  - Drive time is too long from east of I-15 for a western only aquatic facility.
- o Mountain's Edge Aquatic Center project is unfunded with no cost estimate assigned. Fund this project.
- There is not currently a second aquatic facility identified on the CIP list.
- o Identify and add to the CIP list for a second aquatic facility east of I-15.

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## **Public Works**

## Priority #1: Connect Cactus Ave. from Buffalo Drive to Durango

- o Currently programmed for Design 2018, Construction mid 2021
- This project should be developed as rapidly as possible.
- South of CC 215, there are only three roads that could provide full east/west travel routes.
- o Currently, only one east/west road, south of CC 215 is built out (Blue Diamond Rd).
- South of CC 215, significant residential development west of Fort Apache Rd. will require an alternate route(s) to Blue Diamond Rd for east/west traffic flow.

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## Priority #2: Widen Warm Springs Rd. from Dean Martin Dr. to Decatur Blvd.

- o Warm Springs Rd. is a two-lane road from Dean Martin Dr. to Decatur Blvd.
- South of CC 215, there are only three roads that could provide full east/west travel routes
- Traffic is significantly increasing on Warm Springs Rd.
- Currently, only one east/west road south of CC 215 is built out.
- South CC 215, significant development west of Fort Apache Rd. will require an alternate route(s) to Blue Diamond Rd for east/west traffic flow.
- o Finish Western Trails Park by constructing a signalized horse crossing on Warm Springs Rd.

## Priority #3: Build S island medium at Blue Diamond Rd/Torrey Pines and Blue Diamond/ Lindell Rd.

- Per the design submitted to Public Works by NDOT.
- Traffic is increasing on Blue Diamond Rd. making north/south travel and left turns on both collectors increasingly dangerous.
- Traffic lights at these intersections would slow the traffic flow along Blue Diamond Rd. and cause additional congestion.
- O Current rush hour traffic backup on Blue Diamond Rd. can exceed ½ mile.
- o An individual vehicle requires 2 to 3 signal changes to clear a single intersection.
- Completion of a church and a charter school on Pebble Rd. has significantly increased peak traffic at Blue Diamond Rd/Torrey Pines.

#### Priority #4: Install S island at Silverton southeast entry/exit on Dean Martin Dr.

- o Dean Martin Dr. has downgraded to collector road status.
- O Valley View Blvd will serve as the area's arterial road.
- As the Silverton Casino grows, traffic into the RNP-1 has increased.

#### Priority #5: Build full off-sites for Wigwam Ave. from Rainbow Blvd to Montessouri St.

- This area needs to be studied to help mitigate school traffic congestion.
- Legacy Charter School has applied to increase student enrollment (approximately 300 additional students).
- Need to accommodate the traffic flow being generated by the high school and approved charter school.
- Traffic flow on Rainbow Blvd. is being hindered by school traffic.
- The current local/collector roads cannot accommodate the peak traffic.

# Priority #6: Build full off-sites for Cougar Ave. from Rainbow Blvd to Montessouri St.

- This area needs to be studied to help mitigate school traffic congestion.
- Legacy Charter School has applied to increase student enrollment (approximately 300 additional students).
- Need to accommodate the traffic flow being generated by the high school and approved charter school.
- o Traffic flow on Rainbow Blvd. is being hindered by school traffic.
- The current local/collector roads cannot accommodate the peak traffic.

# Priority #7: Study how to mitigate traffic on Dean Martin Dr. between the Silverton Casino and Silverado Ranch Blvd.

- Study what traffic calming devices can be employed to mitigate traffic speed.
- o Cut through traffic is using Dean Martin Dr. to reach Silverado Ranch Blvd.
- Dean Martin Dr. has downgraded to collector road status.
- Valley View Blvd will serve as the area's arterial road.

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# Parks/RPM

- Priority #1: Fund one neighborhood park in Park District 4 at Cactus and Torrey Pines, Le Baron and Rainbow, Pyle and Jones, or Pyle and Lindell.
  - Enterprise population is growing rapidly.
    - Enterprise and Spring Valley towns are combined into the Southwest park plan area.
    - This combination makes the ratio of citizens to parks look better than it really is in Enterprise.
  - o Current Enterprise population requires 836+ acres of developed parks (2.5 acres per 1000 resident).
  - At a growth rate of 10,000 resident per year, 25 acres of new parks is needed to meet the County standard.
  - o Each year the ratio of park acres per 1,000 population is declining in Enterprise.
  - o Park District 4 parks identified on the Neighborhood Parks CIP list include:
    - Valley View and Pyle 10 acres, \$12,399,940 estimate ranked #13
    - Cactus and Torrey Pines 10 acres, \$9,079,645 estimate ranked #21
  - Add park to the funding list at APN 17624201045
  - o All projects are unfunded.
  - Fund at least two parks.
  - Priority #2: Study and develop a plan to use electrical transmission easement for multi-modal trail system.
    - o 60 to 100 ft electrical transmission easements exist throughout Enterprise.
    - Many areas of Enterprise are connected via the electrical transmission easements.
    - o Identify funding sources for the multi-modal trail system.

#### **Administrative Services**

- Priority #1: Provide presentation system for the Enterprise TAB.
  - o The plans and charts presented cannot be seen by the public or the board members.
  - The lack of presentation systems detracts from the public's ability to participate in the TAB hearings.
  - o The number of individuals attending the TAB meetings is increasing.
  - The Enterprise TAB moved from the Enterprise Library to the Windmill Library to obtain a larger meeting room.
  - The meeting flow in often interrupted as individuals from the back of the room come forward to see what the applicant is presenting.