

Bi-National Internet Mapping for El Paso/Ciudad Juarez

The U.S. Department of the Interior, U.S. Geological Survey (USGS), in cooperation with the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) and the Instituto Nacional de Estadística, Geografía, e Informática (INEGI) has created an Internet-based Geographic Information System (GIS) application for El Paso and Ciudad Juarez. A major focus of the application is to provide Web-based planning tools for estimating infrastructure development costs for the

colonias. The application includes the integration of existing geospatial, statistical, and demographic data, as well as geographic analysis tools that will enhance the decision-making process of the city and county planning departments. Local government and non-profit agencies can employ this system to facilitate applying for grants to improve living conditions in the colonias and other poverty stricken areas.



URL: <http://rockys20.cr.usgs.gov/el Paso/initialpg.html>

Data Layers



- Current digital aerial photos
- Landsat Satellite Imagery
- Colonias database
- U.S. Census data
- Public Facilities
- Transportation network
- Hydrography data
- Boundaries—Federal, State, and local
- Geographic Names

Additional Partners

- City of El Paso
- El Paso County
- Paso del Norte Mapa
- University of Texas, El Paso
- Texas Attorney General
- Instituto Municipal de Investigación y Planeación, Juarez
- Secretaría de Desarrollo Social, Mexico

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