

38TH ANNUAL  
**RUN FOR THE ZOO**

MAY THE FOURTH • 2025 • ALBUQUERQUE, NM

**Sunday, May 4, 2025**

# PARKING SERVICES & HAPPENINGS

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## FREE PARK & RIDE SERVICE

Be at ease with FREE Park & Ride Shuttle Service! Park at the **Civic Center Underground Parking Garage**, then take a shuttle back after the event!

## Park & Shuttle

Allow at least **one hour** before your event starts! Spaces are limited. Lots will close when full and parking ordinances will be enforced. Please arrive at the start line at least 15 minutes prior to the start of your event.

**Civic Center Underground Parking Garage Service Begins: 6 a.m.** Park your car at 328 Marquette Ave. NW. Drop-off is 5th Street & Iron (Coronado Elementary), and then it's a short "warm-up" walk to the Start Line at 8th and Atlantic.

**Parking Instructions:** Take a ticket upon entry to the garage. When exiting, *scan your QR code (available on social media and various locations on Race Day)*. **The QR code will waive your parking fee.**

## Return Service Ends: 4 p.m. SHARP!

Pick up location is 5th & Iron (Coronado Elementary, where you were dropped off) to return to the **Civic Center Underground Parking Garage**. Final return service pick-up is 4 p.m. **SHARP!** NO Exceptions!

## Participant Drop Off

Drop offs can be made at 5th & Iron or Downtown outside the course. Large groups should plan a designated meeting area. **Do NOT drop off participants at Park & Ride.**

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## Downtown Parking Options

Utilize Downtown parking options! Street parking and lots are best for the Timed races. Race start times are as follows: 7a.m. Half Marathon, 8 a.m. 10K Timed Race, 9:30 a.m. 5K Timed Race, 10:15 a.m. 5K Fitness, 11 a.m. 1 Mile.

Enter Downtown area from Central using streets east of 8th St.

**Absolutely NO PARKING inside the course!**

**Parking meters are FREE on Sundays!  
Free & Pay Lots are less than 1 Mile from the Start Line.**

## FREE Lots:

NE corner: 5th & Lead - Behind PNM building  
SW corner: 5th & Silver - Across from Bernalillo County building  
NE corner: 3rd & Roma - Wells Fargo building  
National Hispanic Cultural Center: 1701 4th St. SW

## PAY Lots:\*

SW corner: 4th & Coal  
NW corner: 6th & Central  
NE corner : 7th & Gold (behind El Ray Theatre)  
NW corner: 7th & Gold (dirt lot)  
SE corner: 7th & Gold (SafeHouse)  
\*prices subject to change by lot owner

Observe parking ordinances. Do not block driveways & watch for No Parking Zones. Parking violators will be ticketed and/or towed at owner's expense. Vehicle owner assumes all risk and/or liability. Pay lot fees subject to change. Please refer to pay lot rules and signage.

## EVENT DAY HAPPENINGS

Participants will be greeted with a variety of post-event happenings, refreshments, giveaways, and other surprises at the Waterstone Mortgage Finish Line Sponsor Expo in the Zoo lot! Join the celebration!

- Enjoy refreshments like fruit, bagels, sport drinks & more! (While supplies last)
- Visit with our vendors, get free swag, and register to win prizes!
- Purchase limited edition 2025 *Run for the Zoo* apparel, hats, art posters & so much more in our merchandise tent!