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Pillar's Residence Inn El Paso Unveils Completed Renovation

El Paso, TX (August 22, 2012) The Pillar managed Residence Inn El Paso is pleased to announce the completion of their 6-year renovation. Renovations took place in the gatehouse, guestrooms, and outdoors.

The gatehouse received new flooring, furniture, and wall covering making the lobby an enticing area for guests to enjoy outside of their rooms. An updated front desk greets travelers as they enter the hotel, and a large granite breakfast buffet makes it easier to start the morning at the Residence Inn El Paso. A communal table was installed for groups to socialize, and study pods were added to allow guests work or relax in the new lobby. The new spacious and redesigned lobby makes the evening socials at the Residence Inn El Paso an enjoyable function for guests to attend. Complimentary dinner and drinks are served Monday through Thursday, and the ever-changing menu makes these socials a convenient component of this extended-stay property.

The Marriott branded "Possibilities" package was used to renovate each room, giving each room brand new artwork, lighting package, upholstered seating, bedding, and drapery. Each guest room's kitchen also received updated granite countertops and ceramic cook-tops. With a whole new look, feel, and ambiance guests practically have a brand new room to relax in during their extended stay.

One of the most exciting additions to the Residence Inn El Paso is the outdoor experience. "This area provides guests with a grill, lounge seating, and outdoor tables," said Project Manager Chris Chamblee. "It's great for extended stay travelers to have an area to relax outdoors." The stainless steel grill and new patio furniture is available to all guests, and creates a great atmosphere for outdoor dining.

General Manager of the Residence Inn, Jorge Leon stated, "Our guests love the renovation. They say the hotel looks outstanding. They love the colors, furniture, and the same friendly staff."

The Residence Inn El Paso is conveniently located minutes away from Boeing, Raytheon, Johnson Controls, and Scientific Atlanta. The superior hotel suites have full kitchens and separate living areas. The Residence Inn El Paso offers free breakfast each morning and fun evening socials with a light dinner. For more information on Residence Inn El Paso, please visit <http://www.marriott.com/ELPRI>.

About Pillar Hotels & Resorts Project Management Team:

Our experienced in-house project management, capital, expansion, and procurement team provides a plethora of experience to mitigate project hurdles, complications, and stress to provide maximum value. The team of dedicated members has completed over 350 combined major renovation projects throughout the past five years, and is responsible for the regular upkeep and maintenance of 346 hotels. For more information about Pillar Hotels & Resorts, please visit <http://www.pillarhotels.com/project-management.html>.

About Residence Inn:

With more than 620 hotels in North America, Europe and South America, Residence Inn, a Marriott power brand credited with introducing the extended-stay lodging segment 37 years ago, offers guests lower rates for longer stays. With a free hot breakfast offered every day that features a variety of quality items and healthy alternatives, Residence Inn helps guests prepare for the day ahead and maintain a healthy balance while on the road. In addition to the robust free hot breakfast offering, other valuable amenities include grocery delivery service, 24-hour market, fully functional kitchens in each suite, fitness room and guest laundry room. For reservations, go to www.residenceinn.com or contact a travel professional.