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Summer Alcohol Ban at Chamizal National Memorial Begins June 1

DATELINE –

Superintendent F. Gus Sanchez reminds those planning to visit Chamizal National Memorial in the coming months of our summer alcohol ban. The ban is in effect from June 1 – August 31 of each year, traditionally our hottest months in the northern Chihuahuan Desert, for visitor safety and to promote family-oriented park experiences. For these reasons, no outside alcohol is permitted on the Memorial grounds at any time during these months; during Music Under the Stars concerts in July, it will be available for purchase from the vendor operating under a park permit.

In 2016, Chamizal National Memorial will have a two-layer birthday cake. The National Park Service will celebrate 100 years of our country's history and culture and Chamizal will celebrate 50 years of our community's history and culture. Be sure to check our website for special events to commemorate these historic milestones, www.nps.gov/cham. Chamizal National Memorial: El Paso's national park, where history and culture come to life.

For questions or more information, please contact the park at 915-532-7273 or see our website, www.nps.gov/cham.

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