

ORO VALLEY MARKETPLACE

PEDESTRIAN & BICYCLE TRAIL COMPLETION CEREMONY TO MARK A NEW MILESTONE

ORO VALLEY, ARIZ. November 13, 2008 - Vestar Development Co.'s Oro Valley Marketplace will celebrate the completion of a new 1.6-mile pedestrian and bicycle trail on Thursday, November 13.

The 9:00 a.m. ribbon cutting ceremony will include Oro Valley Mayor Paul Loomis, other dignitaries and Vestar executives.

The new trail will link the open space and riparian areas of the Oro Valley Marketplace to a new pedestrian bridge under construction over the Canada del Oro Wash and will provide connectivity to other area trails in Pima County. At a width of 12 feet, the paved, multi-use path will integrate native landscaping and will be located at the south end of Oro Valley Marketplace.

Vestar donated \$80,000 to the Town of Oro Valley to complete the pedestrian trail and tie it in with the pedestrian bridge trail over the Canada del Oro Wash. The bridge, which is currently under construction, is part of ADOT's Oracle Road widening project.

A new transit center equipped with restrooms, benches and shade structures is now accessible via the new pedestrian trail.

Known for its conscientious approach to developing environmentally sensitive and culturally significant properties, Vestar has established new benchmarks for working with neighborhood groups, communities and municipalities to address community needs and foster goodwill on all levels.

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