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National Guard agents place a barbed wire wall on the banks of the Rio Grande in El Paso, Texas, on the border with Ciudad Juarez, Chihuahua State, Mexico, on March 8, 2023.

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Immigrants gather outside a migrant shelter on Jan. 6, 2023 in El Paso, Texas.

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Migrants, many awaiting shelter, sit behind an alley outside the Opportunity Center for the Homeless in El Paso, Texas on April 26, 2023.

Migrants, many awaiting shelter, sit behind an alley outside the Opportunity Center for the Homeless in El Paso, Texas, on Wednesday.

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