

# Island Vibes

City of South Padre Island official newsletter

## UPCOMING MEETINGS

Tuesday, January 22nd

- 3 PM - Shoreline Task Force

Wednesday, January 26th

- 9 AM - Convention & Visitors Advisory Board

View upcoming meetings, live stream meetings in session, and watch archived meetings [here](#).

## COMMUNITY CENTER WINTER CALENDAR

Monday, January 24th

- 9:30 AM - Zumba
- 12 PM - Bridge
- 12 PM - Chair Yoga

Tuesday, January 25th

- 1 PM - Mahjong

Wednesday, January 26th

- 8:30 AM - Line Dance
- 9:30 AM - Adv. Line Dance
- 12 PM - Chair Yoga
- 12 PM - Bridge

Thursday, January 27th

- 9:30 AM - Zumba

Friday, January 28th

- 12 PM - Bridge
- 12 PM - Chair Yoga

For a complete list of community center events, click [here](#)!

## REMINDERS

Saturday, January 22nd

- Recycling will be held at the SPI Community Center from 8-11 AM.
- The Island Metro Multimodal Facility **cancelled** its scheduled power outage. Facilities will remain open and Metro buses will operate as normal.

## City Council Highlights

In this weeks City Council meeting, held on Wednesday, January 19th, Council approved an extension to the City's Disaster Declaration due to the COVID-19 Epidemic. The declaration now expires February 25, 2022 at 11:59 PM.

Additionally, Council appointed the following applicants to committees, task force, and boards:

- **Board of Adjustments & Appeals:** Cain Mahan, Lindsey Millner, David Hickey, Abbie Mahan.
- **Board of Ethics:** Christiana Dijkman, Jeron Berman, Bill Best, William "Bill" George.
- **Convention & Visitors Advisory Board:** Tom Goodman, Daniel Salazar. One hotelier position remains open.
- **Development Standards Review Task Force:** Charles Fox, Alex Avalos.
- **Economic Development Corporation:** Thomas Bainter, Ken Medders, Jr., Joni Montover, Tamara McLaughlin.
- **Parks & Keep SPI Beautiful Committee:** Gail Gardner, Lori Coker, Sandra Tarpey.
- **Planning & Zoning Commission:** Howard Avery, Chris Huffman, Joe Praster, James Gaughran.
- **Shoreline Task Force:** Norma Trevino, Carol Bolstad, Todd Williams.
- **Special Events Committee:** Lisa Graves, Amy Salander, Meg Clifton, Cody Pace

Click or scan the QR Code to view the entire meeting.



## Market Days are Here!



Come out and enjoy this years SPI Market Days! Visit the SPI Convention Centre on the 21st-23rd from 9AM-5PM and Sunday from 10AM-4PM. Enjoy live music and unique treasures from local vendors.

# Yard of the Quarter

The Parks & Keep SPI Beautiful Committee would like to recognize a business or residence that takes pride in the yard and/or landscaping! This is a quarterly award held every March, June, September and December.

Show someone you noticed their hard work and nominate them today!

submit your nominations to [dhuffman@myspi.org](mailto:dhuffman@myspi.org)

## Friends of Animal Rescue: Pet of the Week

Shep is the newest Pet of the Week! He is a 1-2 year old Shepherd/Heeler mix. He's well behaved and a favorite at the shelter. He keeps his kennel dry, walks well on a leash, and loves humans as well as other dogs. If you are looking for a furry friend please consider Shep. If interested adopting please complete an online application with Friends of Animal Rescue by clicking [HERE](#) or call 956-772-1171 to schedule a meeting with Shep or any of his other furry friends.



Shep is always willing to help in the office!

## Island Careers

The City of South Padre Island is hiring!

- **Sales Manager:** (Full-Time)
- **Dispatcher:** (Part-Time)
- **Fire Fighter/Paramedic:** (Full & Part-Time available)
- **Firefighter/EMT-B:** (Part-Time)
- **Code Enforcement:** (Part-Time)
- **Maintenance:** (Full, Seasonal & Part-Time available)
- **Information Counselor:** (Full-Time)
- **Police Officer:** (Seasonal)
- **Traffic Control:** (Seasonal)
- **Vehicle Operator:** (Part-Time)

Click [HERE](#) to view more job openings, descriptions, and more!



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