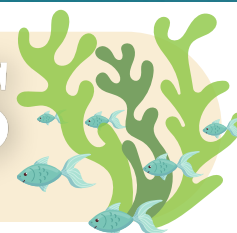


ISLAND VIBES

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UPCOMING EVENTS

Saturday Recycling

Date: Every Saturday
Time: 8:00 AM to 11:00 AM
Where: 4501 Padre Blvd
South Padre Island, TX 78597
[Click here](#) for event details.

Happy and Healthy Pets

Date: November 18th
Time: 12:00 PM - 2:00 PM
Where: Isla Blanca Park
[Click here](#) for event details.

Craft Beer & Wings Festival

Date: November 18th
Time: 3:00 PM
Where: SPI Convention Center
[Click here](#) for event details.

Watercolor Basics - Color Theory

Date: November 30th
Time: 4:00 PM - 5:30 PM
Where: Art Business Incubator
[Click here](#) for event details.

SPI Tree Lighting

Date: November 30th
Time: 5:30 PM
Where: 321 Padre Boulevard
[Click here](#) for event details.

Winter Wonderland

Date: December 2nd
Time: 5:00 PM - 10:00 PM
Where: 2601 Laguna Boulevard
[Click here](#) for event details.

Breakfast with Santa

Date: December 3rd
Time: 9:00 AM - 11:00 AM
Where: SPI Convention Center
[Click here](#) for event details.

There's no shortage of events happening on South Padre Island [Click here](#) to join the fun and see what's happening.

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



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COUNCIL HIGHLIGHTS

Here are some highlights from the November 15th City Council Regular Meeting!

A proclamation was dedicated to the South Padre Island Municipal Court Department to recognize November 6th

through the 10th as Municipal Courts Week! The municipal courts play a significant role in preserving public safety and promoting quality of life in Texas and more people come in contact with municipal courts than all other Texas courts combined.

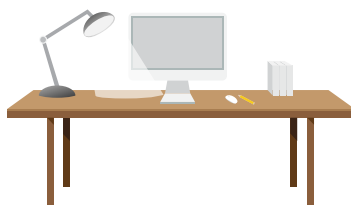
City of South Padre Island is committed to the notion that our legal system is based on the principle that an independent, fair, and competent judiciary will interpret and apply the laws that govern us.



The Mayor also recognized Hilda Delgado, Claims Coordinator, for winning the Rising Star award at this year's Texas Public Risk Management Association Conference (PRIMA). Hilda has implemented many new tools and programs for the City to minimize the claims and losses for the City of South Padre Island and to reduce workplace injuries.

Below are more highlights from this week's agenda.

- Approval of the first reading of Ordinance 23-13 by enacting new Chapter 10, Article II Sections 10-10 through 10-33, with Exhibits A and B, related to Food Services and Mobiles Food Units, and repealing current sections 10-10 through 10-33.
- Approval of changing the name from South Padre Island Convention and Visitors Bureau to Visit South Padre Island.
- Approval of resolution No. 2023-25 canvassing the returns and declaring the results of the November 7, 2023 General Elections.











To watch this meeting online click or scan the QR code.



Who to Contact for Utilities Services

Utility questions or concerns? Check out the most common utility provider information below!

<p>Laguna Madre Water District (LMWD)</p> <p> (956) 943-2626</p> <p> LMWD.org</p>	<p>American Electric Power (AEP)</p> <p> 1 (800) 423-7316</p> <p> AEPTexas.com</p>	<p>Spectrum Cable and Internet Provider</p> <p> (833) 267-6094</p> <p> Spectrum.com</p>	<p>Republic Services Recycling & Disposal</p> <p> 1 (866) 223-8508</p> <p> RepublicServices.com</p>
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Pet of the Week

Amelia is good with other cats, warms up to humans who give her attention and loves to play. She is an independent young lady who prefers to keep four paws on the ground, is spayed, is up to date on her vaccinations, microchipped, and knows how to use the litter box. Meet all the adoptable animals at FOAR, 4908 Padre Blvd, between 10:00 AM - 5:00 PM. Ready to adopt? Complete the online application [here](#).



Chamber Member

Do you have a business on South Padre Island or plan to start one? By become a member of the South Padre Island Chamber of Commerce you will receive a variety of benefits that include networking opportunities, referral service, advertising opportunities, a web presence and of course a professional and friendly staff promoting your business. [Click here](#) to view the application.

Important Links!

- Use this [link](#) to access the STEARS registry.
- Here is our [RAVE link](#) so that you can sign up for the emergency notification system.
- Use this [link](#) to access the City of South Padre Island emergency management page.

#JOIN TEAM SPI

The City of SPI is hiring! The City offers great benefits like medical, vision, and dental coverage, vacation leave, competitive pay, and retirement through Texas Municipal Retirement System, plus more. [Apply](#) to become a part of our team today!

Promote your Sandtastic Event!!

Are you hosting an event on South Padre Island and would like to see it on the SoPadre website? Use this [link](#) to submit your event.

If you would like to see more of SPI follow the Visit South Padre Island social media accounts.



Save the Date!

 <p>South Padre Island Tree Lighting</p> <p> November 30, 2023 at 5:30 PM</p> <p> 321 Padre Boulevard</p>	 <p>South Padre Island Christmas Parade</p> <p> December 1, 2023 at 6:00 PM</p> <p> From Mars St. to Acapulco St.</p>	 <p>South Padre Island Lighted Boat Parade</p> <p> December 2, 2023 at 6:00 PM</p> <p> Entertainment District</p>
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