

ISLAND VIBES

the Official Newsletter for the City of South Padre Island

UPCOMING EVENTS

Saturday Recycling

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

Camp Kindness - FOAR

Date: Every Saturday from June 29th - July 20th
 Time: 1:30 PM - 3:00 PM
 Where: 4501 Padre Blvd
[Click here](#) for event details.

Native Landscapes

Date: June 29th
 Time: 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM
 Where: Art Business Incubator
[Click here](#) for event details.

Open Table Paint and Create

Date: July 1st
 Time: 11:00 AM - 5:00 PM
 Where: Art Business Incubator
[Click here](#) for event details.

First Friday Art Walk

Date: July 5th
 Time: 6:00 PM - 9:00 PM
 Where: Art Business Incubator
[Click here](#) for event details.

Ron Hoover Fishing Tournament

Date: July 12th - 13th
 Registration: 5:00 PM - 8:00 PM
 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.

UPCOMING MEETINGS

Monday • July 1st

5:30 PM • Convention and Visitors Advisory Board

Wednesday • July 3rd

5:30 PM • City Council Regular Meeting

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



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SPI Hurricane Preparedness Meeting

Join us for our hurricane preparedness meeting on Monday, July 1st! The South Padre Island Fire Department, Cameron County, and more will be there to talk about evacuation plans, awareness, and the upcoming hurricane season.



Where: SPI Convention Center
 7355 Padre Blvd.



Date: July 1st, 2024
 Time: 10:00 AM - 12:00 PM

Pet of the Week

Petey's days on the streets are over. He was brought into Friends of Animal Rescue when he jumped into the lap of a tourist. He has been vetted and is ready for his FUR-ever home. Meet all the animals at FOAR, on 4908 Padre Blvd, between 10:00 AM - 5:00 PM. Complete the online adoption application [here](#).



Celebrate Freedom with Fun!

Annual Fourth of July Parade



Line-Up Starts: 9:00 AM
 Starting location: Beach Access
 #8 White Cap Circle



Fourth of July Fireworks



Starts: 9:15 PM
 Location: Entertainment District



Ladies King Fish Tournament

As LKT comes near the SPI Chamber of Commerce is casting a wide net to gather some spectacular bucket raffle items.

What they're fishing for:

- Gift certificates that'll make jaws drop
- Merchandise that's off the hook
- Services that'll reel 'em in
- Or any other goodies that you think are the catch of the day!

How to contribute? Simply drop us a line at jeanette@spichamber.com or anchor down a time to chat at 956-761-4412.

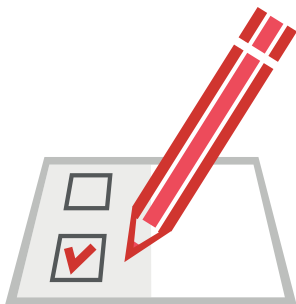


Welcome TCMA!

Thank you Texas City Management Association (TCMA) for hosting your annual conference here on South Padre Island! This great event brought over 500 attendees to have a sandtastic 4 days navigating their horizon on our island paradise.



November General Election



The General Election will be held in the City of South Padre Island, Texas on Nov. 5, 2024, to elect two Council Members, Place 3 and Place 5.

Candidate applications for a place on the general election ballot can be filed with the City Secretary between Monday, July 22, 2024, through Monday, Aug. 19, 2024.

The deadline to file in the general election is Monday, Aug. 19, 2024, by 5 p.m.

For additional information, please contact Angelique Soto, City Secretary, at (956) 761-8109 or via e-mail at nsoto@myspi.org.

Bulk Trash Pick up

You can place bulky items in the right-of-way for Republic Service to pick up until June 30th.

Acceptable bulk trash:



Unacceptable bulk trash:



Public Works Cares

To report any issues or other concerns with streets, parks, and green spaces please email us at pwcares@myspi.org.

Donate, Save Lives

The City of South Padre Island is hosting a blood drive with Vitalant! You can save up to 3 lives with a single donation!

Additional details are available [here](#). Register to donate [here](#).

- When: Tuesday, July 9th from 9:00 AM to 12:00 PM
- Where: SPI Community Center - 4501 Padre Blvd.



Yard of the Month Nominations

The Parks and Keep SPI Beautiful Committee would like to recognize a business or residence that takes pride in their yards and/or landscaping.

Send your favorite nominations to: dhuffman@myspi.org or call (956) 761-8168. The deadline is the 10th of the month.