

# ISLAND VIBES

the Official Newsletter for the City of South Padre Island

## STAY IN THE KNOW 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.

### Coastal Nature Camp

Date: June 27th-30th  
Time: 9:00 AM - 1:00 PM  
Where: SPI Birding, Nature Center & Alligator Sanctuary  
[Click here](#) for event details.

### Bay Access Open House

Date: June 20th  
Time: 4:00 PM - 7:00 PM  
Where: 4601 Padre Boulevard. City Hall  
[Click here](#) for Bay Access Survey link.

### SPI Beach Bash Skate Jam

Date: June 21st-22nd  
Time: 11:00 AM to 5:00 PM  
Where: John L Tompkins Park  
[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

### Tuesday • June 20th

9:00 AM • Economic Development Corporation  
2:00 PM • Special Events Committee

### Wednesday • June 21st

9:00 AM • Parks & Keep SPI Beautiful Committee  
5:30 PM • City Council Regular Meeting

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



## RISK MANAGEMENT

The National Safety Council chose June as National Safety Month. Each week had a weekly topic that organizations focused on from emergency preparedness to hazard recognition. One of the topics was heat-related illness. This week Southern Texas faced temperatures as high as 102°. Although South Padre Island has the benefit of a sea breeze Safety Committee Chairman, Wendy Saldaña, and Claims Coordinator, Hilda Delgado, wanted to take action. Hilda and Wendy decided to pass out bolis and water to all Boots in the Sand staff to



Safety Committee Chairman, Wendy Saldaña, in red, Claims Coordinator, Hilda Delgado, in black, and Lifeguard Joey Saldaña.



Claims Coordinator, Hilda Delgado, in black, with the Public Works Maintenance Technicians. From left to right Javier Guajardo, Nicolas Bañales, Pablo Sanchez, and Nestor Juarez.

keep them hydrated. With the assistance of Shoreline Operations Manager, Oscar Grisham III, Hilda and Wendy spent two hours going up and down the Island looking for city staff. From the Fire Department to Public Works everyone was able to enjoy a refreshing snack this past Tuesday.

## Fireworks Capital of Texas

Check out these amazing Firework Shows to see why South Padre Island is the Fireworks Capital of Texas!

- **Fireworks over the Bay at Louie's Backyard**
  - Every Tuesday & Friday at 9:15 PM
- **Fireworks on the Beach at The Isla Grand**
  - Every Thursday at 9:15 PM
- **Fireworks on the Pier at Clayton's Beach Bar**
  - Friday and Saturday at 9:15 PM
- **4th of July Fireworks**
  - Location: Entertainment District
  - Time: 9:15 pm

## SPI Beach Parade

Are you excited for the annual SPI Beach Parade? So are we! Join us this 4th of July for some watermelon, giveaways, and fun! This year we will have a new route.

- **Start at Whitecap Circle Beach Access #8**
  - Between East Swordfish street and East Redsnapper Street
  - Line up at 9:00 am
  - Start at 9:30 am
- **Finish at Beach Circle Beach Access #4**
  - Between East Sheephead street and East Pompano street

REMINDER: If you lose your pet or find an animal needing assistance, call FOAR's 24/7 hotline at (956) 772-1171.