

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 22nd - July 20th
Time: 1:30 PM - 3:00 PM
Where: 4501 Padre Blvd
[Click here](#) for event details.

Indigo Dyeing Workshop

Date: June 25th
Time: 3:00 PM - 5:00 PM
Where: Art Business Incubator
[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.

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

Tuesday • June 25th

3:00 PM • Shoreline Task Force

Wednesday • June 26th

9:00 AM • Convention & Visitors Advisory Board

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



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COUNCIL HIGHLIGHTS

Here are some highlights from the June 19th City Council Regular Meeting!

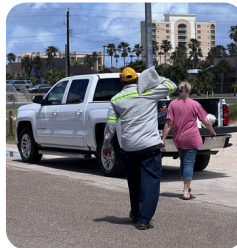
- Presentation of the FY 2024-25 Proposed Budget.
- Review of the draft Capital Improvement Plan 2024-28.
- Presentation highlighting the Visit South Padre Island's April 2024 Tourism economic impact.
- Approval of the RESTORE Act award.



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

Thank you Public Works!

Thank you to the Public Works Crew for helping prepare the sand for the sandbag distributions and to all the community members who came out on Monday and Tuesday! These sandbags can be reused throughout the hurricane season. Hurricane season lasts from June to November.

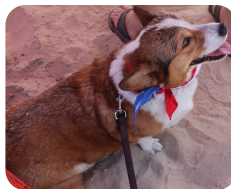


Celebrate Freedom with Fun!

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



Paw Print Pet of the Week

In April, Christi was found on the Island in a box with two littermates at just 4 weeks of age. Today, Christi is a playful, healthy, strong girl who loves attention, and is good with other cats. Meet all the animals at FOAR, on 4908 Padre Blvd, between 10:00 AM - 5:00 PM. Complete the online adoption application [here](#).



Milkweed Plot Update

Back in March community members notified the City of some milkweed plants found near an area under construction. The parks maintenance crew relocated them to the City's Butterfly Garden. To the right is the milkweed plot after two months of love and nourishment from the Park's Crew.




The milkweed from March.




The milkweed in June.

Raise the Ruff

Interested in the new FOAR building? View the plans and ask the architect at their open house!

 **Tues., June 25th, 2024 from 9:00 AM - 10:30 AM**
4501 Padre Blvd., SPI

Bring the fun to the Friends of Animal Rescue's (FOAR) Raise the Ruff fundraiser! Proceeds will go towards FOAR's building fund.

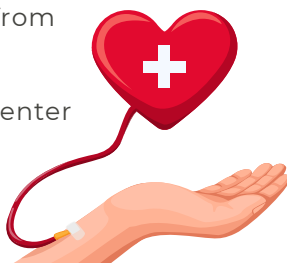
 **Wed., June 26th, 2024 from 6:00 PM - 8:00 PM**
Laguna Bob at 2401 Laguna St., SPI

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.



Important Safety Links

The City is encouraging individuals who require special assistance during emergencies to enroll in its Special Needs Registry.



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Sign up for "RAVE" the City's Emergency Notification System to stay up to date during emergencies. Use the QR code to view more.



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As a resident, you can provide details on your properties, pets, bicycles, at-risk residents, and more that will be directed to your local law enforcement!

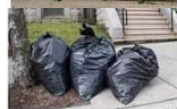


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Bulk Trash Pick up

On June 25th you can place bulky items in the right-of-way for Republic Service to pick up.

Acceptable bulk trash:



Unacceptable bulk trash:



Yard of the Month

121 W. Esperanza!

Send your nominations to Debbie Huffman at dhuffman@myspi.org by the 10th day of the month. A home or business is awarded every month.

