

ISLAND VIBES

the Official Newsletter for the City of South Padre Island

UPCOMING EVENTS

Saturday Recycling

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

Chamber of Commerce Grand Opening: Art Sea Gallery Goods

Date: January 16th
 Starts: 5:00 p.m.
 Where: 5200 Padre Blvd.
[Click here](#) for event details.

SPI Market Days

Date: January 24th - 26th
 Starts: 9:00 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.
 Where: 7355 Padre Blvd.
[Click here](#) for event details.

Pickleball on Padre Tournament

Indoor: January 27th - 30th
 Outdoor: Jan. 30th - Feb. 2nd
 Where: 7355 Padre Blvd.
[Click here](#) for event details.

Winter Wildlife Expo

Date: February 6th - 8th
 Where: 7010 Padre Blvd.
[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 • January 14th

2:00 PM • Shoreline Task Force

Wednesday • January 15th

9:00 AM • Parks and Keep SPI Beautiful Committee
 5:00 PM • Substandard Structure Review Board
 5:30 PM • City Council Regular meeting

Thursday • January 16th

3:00 PM • Planning & Zoning

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



Calling all Gardeners!

You can now start submitting applications for the Community Garden Plots at Butterfly Park. You can adopt a plot from Feb. 2025 to Jul. 2025. The deadline to submit is Wed., Feb. 12th. Interested gardeners can contact Parks & Recreation Manager, Debbie Huffman, at 956-761-8168 or by emailing Dhuffman@myspi.org.



A New Career Path Awaits

Interested in finding a new career path? Save the date for the South Padre Island 2025 Job Fair! Want to be a part of Team SPI? [Apply](#) here!
 When: Friday, February 5th, 2025 from 9:00 a.m. to noon.
 Where: South Padre Island Convention Center at 7355 Padre Boulevard, South Padre Island

Pet of the Week



Paulie is loving, friendly, neutered, and gets along with cats and humans. Meet all the animals at FOAR, on 4908 Padre Blvd., from 10:00 a.m.- 5:00 p.m. Complete the adoption app [here](#).

Austin Football Club

Join us for the Austin Football Club press conference! Giveaways, coffee, and pastries will be available.
 Date: January 16th at 10:00 a.m.
 Location: South Padre Island Convention Center at 7355 Padre Blvd.



Common Utility Contacts

Utility questions? Check out the most common utility provider info below!

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| American Electric Power (AEP) 1 (800) 423-7316 AEPTexas.com | Laguna Madre Water District (LMWD) (956) 943-2626 LMWD.org |
| Spectrum Cable & Internet Provider (833) 267-6094 Spectrum.com | Republic Services Recycling & Disposal 1 (866) 223-8508 RepublicServices.com |

Night Time Milling

[Nighttime milling and paving work](#) is still progressing and will end around February 14, 2025.

Valentine's Fireworks

Take this as a Valen-sign to go with your Valentine to the South Padre Island Valentine's Day Fireworks!
 Date: February 14th at 7:30 p.m.
 Location: The best views will be around the Entertainment District.