

# City of South Padre Island

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## Service Plan

For Areas to be Annexed

2017

# I. Introduction

This service plan has been prepared in accordance with the Texas Local Government Code (LGC), Sections 43.065 and 43.056(b)-(o) under the authority of home-rule power given by LGC Section 43.021.

This service plan has been prepared for certain waterways and submerged lands belong to the State of Texas, lying and being situated to the east of Lots 16 and 17 Padre Beach Estate Subdivision and Contran Subdivision Lot 2, out of Gulf of Mexico, and a 10-foot width southernmost pieces of the Andy Bowie Park in Cameron County, Texas, that are total 6.61 acres. The boundaries can be found at the Exhibit "A" and are roughly described as follows:

**COMMENCING** at a one-half inch iron pin found at the intersection of the East Right-of-Way line of Padre Boulevard (Texas State Park Road No. 100) with the North boundary line of Tract 17, and being the Southwest corner of Lot 2, Contran Subdivision (Cabinet 1, Slot 1416-A, Map Record);

**THENCE**, North 90 Deg. East, **a distance of** 1,569 feet to the East jurisdictional boundary line of the City of South Padre Island, TX, for the **POINT OF BEGINNING**;

**THENCE**, along the East jurisdictional boundary line of the City of South Padre Island, TX, North 5 Deg. 44 Min. 27 Sec. West, **A distance of** 557.8 feet;

**THENCE**, along the North jurisdictional boundary line of the City of South Padre Island, TX, South 89 Deg. 28 Min. 12 Sec. West, **A distance of** 1,549.71 feet to the East Right-of-Way line of Padre Boulevard (Texas State Park Road No. 100);

**THENCE**, along the East Right-of-Way line of Padre Boulevard (Texas State Park Road No. 100) and, at the same time, the East jurisdictional boundary line of the City of South Padre Island, North 4 Deg. 00 Min. 00 Sec. West, **A distance of** 10.05 feet;

**THENCE**, North 89 Deg. 28 Min. 12 Sec. East, **A distance of** 1,559.71 feet;

**THENCE**, South 5 Deg. 44 Min. 27 Sec. East, **A distance of** 371.02 feet;

**THENCE**, North 90 Deg. 00 Min. 00 Sec. East, **A distance of** 690 feet;

**THENCE**, South 0 Deg. 00 Min. 00 Sec. West, **A distance of** 395 feet;

**THENCE**, South 90 Deg. 00 Min. 00 Sec. West, **A distance of** 660.7 feet to the East jurisdictional boundary line of the City of South Padre Island, TX;

**THENCE**, along the East jurisdictional boundary line of the City of South Padre Island, TX, North 5 Deg. 44 Min. 27 Sec. West, **A distance of** 200.61 feet to the **POINT OF BEGINNING**;

**CONTAINING**, 6.61 Ac. More or less;

**NOT A BOUNDARY SURVEY.**

**Owner(s):**

**State of Texas**

**Administrative Agency:**

**General Land Office**

**State of Texas  
1700 N. Congress Ave.  
Austin, TX 78701-1495**

**PO Box 12873  
Austin, TX 78711-2873**

**Cameron County**

**Cameron County Clerk Administration  
964 E Harrison St.  
Brownsville, TX 78520**

Full municipal services will be provided to the annexed areas within the time provided in the LGC Section 43.056(b). For the purpose of this plan, “full municipal services” means services provided by the annexing municipality within its full-purpose boundaries, which does not include water, wastewater, gas and electrical services.

Per LGC Sec. 43.056(f), this service plan does not:

- Require the creation of another political subdivision;
  - Require a landowner in the area to fund the capital improvements necessary to provide municipal services in a manner inconsistent with Chapter 395, Texas Local Government Code unless otherwise agreed to by the landowner;
  - Provide services in the area in a manner that would have the effect of reducing by more than a negligible amount the level of fire and police protection and emergency medical services provided within the corporate boundaries of the City before annexation;
  - Provide services in the area in a manner that would have the effect of reducing by more than a negligible amount the level of fire and police protection and emergency medical services provided within the area before annexation; or
  - Cause a reduction in fire and police protection and emergency medical services within the area to be annexed below that of area within the corporate boundaries of the City with similar topography, land use, and population density.
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General Statement

## II. General Statement

It is the intent that this service plan provides the annexed area with a level of services, infrastructure, and infrastructure maintenance that is comparable to the level of services, infrastructure, and infrastructure maintenance available in other parts of the City with topography, land use, and population density similar to those reasonably contemplated or projected in the area. (LGC Sec. 43.056(g))

This service plan shall be valid for a term of ten (10) years. Renewal of the service plan shall be at the discretion of the City Council. (LGC Sec. 43.056(l))

The service plan may be amended if the City Council determines at a public hearing that changed conditions or subsequent occurrences make this service plan unworkable or obsolete. The City Council may amend the service plan to conform to the changed conditions or subsequent occurrences pursuant to the LGC Sec. 43.056.

### III. The Service Plan

As used in this service plan, the term ‘providing services’ includes having services provided by any method or means by which the City may extend municipal services to any other area of the City, including the City’s infrastructure extension policies, service provider’s capital improvement plan, and developer/owner participation in accordance with applicable law.

All of the annexation area is part of the waters of the Gulf of Mexico, which is again part of the State Waterway System, and therefore the service will be limited to those options available for such areas.

#### A. Police Protection

The South Padre Island Police Department will provide protection and law enforcement services in the annexation area commencing on the effective date of annexation. The services will include:

- Normal patrols and responses to calls for service;
- Handling of offense and incident reports;
- Emergency Management;
- Special units, such as traffic enforcement, criminal investigations, narcotics law enforcement; and
- Gang suppression, and crime response team deployment when required.

These services are provided on a citywide basis and the area will be combined with existing Police Reporting Areas.

#### B. Fire Protection

The South Padre Island Fire Department will provide fire protection services with existing personnel and equipment, and such services will be provided to the annexed area commencing on the effective date of the annexation. These services include:

- 911 Emergency Response
- Fire suppression and rescue;
- Hazardous materials mitigation and regulation;
- Dive rescue;
- Technical rescue;
- Aircraft/rescue/firefighting;
- Patrol/ Life Guard protection;
- Disaster Preparedness Activities;
- Fire Investigation; and
- Mobile Intensive Care Unit (MICU) and 1st responder emergency medical services.

These services are provided on a citywide basis.

#### C. Emergency Medical Services

MICU and 1st responder emergency medical services by existing personnel and equipment of the South Padre Island Fire Department will be provided to the annexed area commencing on the effective date of the full-purpose annexation. Each Fire Department ambulance, engine, ladder truck, and boat in coordination with the police department is capable of providing EMS, including defibrillation, medical administration, IV therapy, advanced airway management, and initial treatment of injuries.

#### D. Other Operations and Services

All other applicable municipal services will be provided to the area in accordance with the City of South Padre Island’s established policies governing extension of municipal services to newly annexed areas.

## IV. Capital Improvements

In general, other City functions and services, and additional services described above can be provided for the annexation area by utilization of existing facilities. It is estimated that any additional capital improvements are not necessary to provide services to the annexed area this time.

EXHIBIT "A"

