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SPI issues traffic management plan for Ride for Rotary

South Padre Island, TX, Oct. 9, 2017: South Padre Island is excited to welcome the Ride for Rotary, which is scheduled for Sunday, Oct. 15, 2017.

The South Padre Island Police Department, along with other City departments, will be working together to manage crowds and traffic control. Barrels and cones will be placed in areas to enhance the flow of traffic.

“Public Safety is our primary focus,” said Randy Smith, police chief. “Our goal is to ensure everyone stays safe and has a great time.”

Expect traffic delays before and after the event. The event will begin at 8 a.m. and will start at the Brownsville Event Center. Participants will travel eastbound from Port Isabel and will continue across the Queen Isabella Memorial Causeway, and end the ride at [2305 Laguna Blvd.](#) The tail-escort emergency vehicle will be available until the end of the event.

The City will place traffic control barrels/cones on the roadway to direct traffic movement and to minimize delays.

Vehicles

1. All eastbound traffic will merge into the left lane beginning at State Hwy. 100 and Tarnava Street in Port Isabel and continue to travel east across the Queen Isabella Memorial Causeway.
2. Traffic cones/barrels and traffic personnel will be directing all motor vehicles to the inside lane.
3. Westbound traffic crossing the Queen Isabella Memorial Causeway traffic will be unobstructed.
4. Estimated time for the temporary lane closure: 10 a.m. to noon.
5. A tail-escort of emergency vehicles will be available until the end of the event.

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