

Traffic plan for the Annual SPI Christmas parade

South Padre Island, TX, Dec. 5, 2025: The City of South Padre Island Parks & Keep SPI Beautiful Committee will host its annual SPI Christmas Parade on Dec. 5 at 6 p.m. The parade will begin at <u>Mars Lane and end at Acapulco Street, traveling south along Padre Boulevard.</u>

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

Partial closure of Padre Boulevard will run from 4:30 p.m. to 6 p.m. for southbound traffic beginning at Polaris Drive with a detour to Laguna Boulevard. For northbound traffic, the partial closure will begin at Venus Lane with a detour to Gulf Boulevard. The partial closure will allow parade participants to line up.

Once participants are lined up, the following full closure will be in place. The full parade route closure for Padre Boulevard will run from 6 p.m. to 10 p.m. for southbound traffic beginning at Polaris Drive with a detour to Laguna Boulevard and for northbound traffic beginning at Kingfish Street with a detour to Gulf Boulevard.

"We invite everyone to attend this family-friendly event," said Randy Smith, City Manager. "Help us kick off the holiday season and attend the many events we have planned this weekend."