# NOTICE OF SPECIAL EVENTS COMMITTEE REGULAR MEETING CITY OF SOUTH PADRE ISLAND 

THURSDAY, JULY 14, 2022
2:00 PM AT THE MUNICIPAL BUILDING, CITY COUNCIL CHAMBERS, 2ND FLOOR
4601 PADRE BOULEVARD, SOUTH PADRE ISLAND, TEXAS
1.Call to order
2.Pledge of Allegiance
3.Public Comments and Announcements

This is an opportunity for citizens to speak to Council relating to agenda or non-agenda items. Speakers are required to address Council at the podium and give their name before addressing their concerns. [Note: State law will not permit the City Council to discuss, debate or consider items that are not on the agenda. Citizen comments may be referred to City Staff or may be placed on the agenda of a future City Council meeting]
4.Approve Consent Agenda
4.1. Approve the meeting minutes for the June 21, 2022 regular meeting. (Hasbun)
4.2. Approve the excused absences for Committee Members Sean Slovisky and Ryan Obryne for the June 21, 2022 meeting. (Hasbun)
4.3. Approve the Special Events Committee post-event reports for the following events: (Hasbun)

* American Junior Golf Association in June 2022
* Beach Bash Skate Jam in June 2022


## 5.Regular Agenda

5.1. Discussion and possible action to approve the funding request for Sandcastle Days in October 2022. (Brown)
5.2. Discussion and possible action to approve the funding request for Aurora Fest in September 2022. (Brown)
5.3. Discussion and possible action to approve the funding request for Concerts on the Greens in September/October 2022. (Brown)
5.4. Discussion and action concerning the new meeting date for August 2022. (Brown)

## 6.Adjourn

NOTE:
One or more members of the City of South Padre Island City Council may attend this meeting; if so, this statement satisfies the requirements of the OPEN MEETINGS ACT.

## DATED

Linette Hernandez, CVB Administrative
Assistant
I, THE UNDERSIGNED AUTHORITY, DO HEREBY CERTIFY THAT THE ABOVE NOTICE OF MEETING OF THE SPECIAL EVENTS COMMITTEE OF THE CITY OF SOUTH PADRE ISLAND, TEXAS IS A TRUE AND CORRECT COPY OF SAID NOTICE AND THAT I POSTED A TRUE AND CORRECT COPY OF SAID NOTICE ON THE BULLETIN BOARD AT CITY HALLMUNICIPAL BUILDING ON , AT/OR BEFORE 2:00 PM AND REMAINED SO POSTED CONTINUOUSLY FOR AT LEAST 72 HOURS PRECEDING THE SCHEDULED TIME OF SAID MEETING.

Linette Hernandez, CVB Administrative
Assistant
THIS FACILITY IS WHEELCHAIR ACCESSIBLE, AND ACCESSIBLE PARKING SPACES ARE AVAILABLE. REQUESTS FOR ACCOMMODATIONS OR INTERPRETIVE SERVICES MUST BE MADE 48 HOURS PRIOR TO THIS MEETING. PLEASE CONTACT BUILDING OFFICIAL, DAVID TRAVIS; ADA DESIGNATED RESPONSIBLE PARTY AT (956) 761-8103.

# CITY OF SOUTH PADRE ISLAND <br> SPECIAL EVENTS COMMITTEE AGENDA REQUEST FORM 

MEETING DATE: July 14, 2022

NAME \& TITLE: Silvia Sanchez

DEPARTMENT: Convention and Visitors Bureau

ITEM
Approve the meeting minutes for the June 21, 2022 regular meeting. (Hasbun)

ITEM BACKGROUND
N/A

BUDGET/FINANCIAL SUMMARY
N/A

COMPREHENSIVE PLAN GOAL
N/A

## LEGAL REVIEW

Sent to Legal: No
Approved by Legal: No

## RECOMMENDATIONS/COMMENTS:

# MEETING MINUTES SPECIAL EVENTS COMMITTEE REGULAR MEETING CITY OF SOUTH PADRE ISLAND 

## TUESDAY, JUNE 21, 2022

## I. CALL TO ORDER

The Special Events Committee of the City of South Padre Island, Texas, held a regular meeting on Tuesday, June 21, 2022, at the South Padre Island City Council Chambers, 2nd Floor, 4601 Padre Boulevard, South Padre Island, Texas. Chairman Christian Hasbun called the meeting to order at 2:00 pm. A quorum was present: Vice Chairwoman Lisa Graves, Committee Members Meg Clifton, Amy Salander and Cody Pace were present. Committee Members Sean Slovisky and Ryan Obryne were absent.

CVB staff members present were CVB Interim Director Lori Moore, Special Events Manager April Brown, Management Assistant Linette Hernandez, and Administrative Assistant Silvia Sanchez.

City officials present were: none

## II. PLEDGE OF ALLEGIANCE

SEC Chairman Christian Hasbun led the pledge of allegiance.

## III. PUBLIC COMMENTS AND ANNOUNCEMENTS

Interim CVB Director Lori Moore made an announcement regarding the new CVB director starting on June 27, 2022.

## IV. APPROVE CONSENT AGENDA

4.1. Approve the meeting minutes for the May 17, 2022 regular meeting. Committee Member Meg Clifton made a motion to approve, seconded by Committee Member Amy Salander. Motion carried unanimously.
4.2. Approve the excused absence for Vice Chairwoman Lisa Graves for the May 17, 2022 meeting. Committee Member Meg Clifton made a motion to approve, seconded by Committee Member Amy Salander. Motion carried unanimously.
4.3. Approve the Special Events Committee post-event reports for the following events:

* Run the Jailbreak in May 2022
* Splash in April 2022
* Shallow Sport Owners Fishing Tournament in May 2022

Committee Member Meg Clifton made a motion to approve, seconded by Committee Member Amy Salander. Motion carried unanimously.

## V. REGULAR AGENDA

5.1. Discussion and possible action to approve the funding request for The A Team/Dynamic Texas Entertainment LLC in July and September 2022. Special Events Manager April Brown introduced event promoter Nestor Garza, who presented at the podium and provided event details. Committee Member Meg Clifton made a motion to approve $\$ 7000$ in marketing for the Labor Day event only, seconded by Committee Member Amy Salander. Motion carried unanimously.
5.2. Discussion and possible action to approve the funding request for SPI Pride in October 2022. Special Events Manager April Brown introduced event promoter Jay Calsen, who presented at the podium and provided event details. Committee Member Amy Salander made a motion to approve $\$ 5,000$ in marketing, seconded by Committee Member Cody Pace. Motion carried unanimously.
5.3. Discussion and possible action to approve the funding request for Aurora Fest in September 2022. Special Events Manager April Brown introduced event promoter Art Rios, who presented at the podium and provided event details. Chairman Christian Hasbun made a motion to table this item, seconded by Committee Member Amy Salander. Motion carried unanimously.
5.4. Discussion and action concerning the new meeting date for July 2022. The next meeting was scheduled for July 14, 2022.

## VI. ADJOURN

The meeting was adjourned at $12: 54 \mathrm{pm}$.

[^0]Approved by:

Christian Hasbun, SEC Chairman

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NAME \& TITLE: Silvia Sanchez

DEPARTMENT: Convention and Visitors Bureau

ITEM
Approve the excused absences for Committee Members Sean Slovisky and Ryan Obryne for the June 21, 2022 meeting. (Hasbun)

## ITEM BACKGROUND

N/A

## BUDGET/FINANCIAL SUMMARY

N/A

COMPREHENSIVE PLAN GOAL
N/A

LEGAL REVIEW
Sent to Legal: No
Approved by Legal: No

## RECOMMENDATIONS/COMMENTS:

# CITY OF SOUTH PADRE ISLAND <br> SPECIAL EVENTS COMMITTEE AGENDA REQUEST FORM 

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NAME \& TITLE: Silvia Sanchez

DEPARTMENT: Convention and Visitors Bureau

ITEM
Approve the Special Events Committee post-event reports for the following events: (Hasbun)

* American Junior Golf Association in June 2022
* Beach Bash Skate Jam in June 2022

ITEM BACKGROUND
N/A

BUDGET/FINANCIAL SUMMARY
N/A

COMPREHENSIVE PLAN GOAL
N/A

LEGAL REVIEW
Sent to Legal: No
Approved by Legal: No

## RECOMMENDATIONS/COMMENTS:

SOUTH PADRE ISLAND EVENT FUNDING POST EVENT REPORT

Please complete all sections.

Date Report Submitted: $\qquad$
$6 / 27 / 22$

To be reimbursed, please submit the following within 10 days post event:

1. Number of participants calculated with backup documentation (ie., zip codes, team rosters, surveys)
2. Number of room nights tracked with backup documentation (i.e., third-party housing documentation or certified hotel pickup reports)

Please submit the following within $\mathbf{3 0}$ days post event:

1. Valid invoices) supporting reimbursable allowable expenses. Please submit only enough receipts to reach awarded grant amount.
2. Evidence of payment to support invoices paid from grantee to a third party (front and back copies of cleared checks) or detailed credit card/debit card receipts. For all media buys please provide tear sheets, copies of advertisements, schedules, and signed station affidavits.
3. Copies of marketing or advertising materials, and websites showing the South Padre Island CVB logo.

ORGANIZATION INFORMATION
Name of organization: American Junior Golf Association
Address: $\qquad$ 1980 Sports Club Drive

City, State, Zip: $\qquad$ Braselton, GA 30517

Full Name:
$\qquad$
Ty Kempf
Office Number:
$\qquad$

EMail:
tkempf@ajga.org
Cell Phone Number:
$\qquad$

## EVENT INFORMATION

Name of Event: South Padre Junior All-Star
Date (s) of Event:
Primary Location of the Event:
June 13-16, 2022
How many years have you held this event on South Padre Island? $\qquad$

## EVENT FUNDING INFORMATION

Please attach an actual event budget showing all revenues including sponsorships and expenses.

Amount Requested:
Total Amount to be Received:

Did the event charge admission? Was there a net profit from the event? If so, what was the amount and how is it being used?
$\qquad$ No - Budget attached

## EVENT ATTENDANCE INFORMATION

How many people did you predict would attend this event? (Number submitted in the application)?

## 300 people

What was the actual attendance at the event?
245

How many of the participants were from another city or county?
240
How many room nights did you predict in your application would be generated by attendees of this event?

55 nights
How many room nights were actually generated by attendees of this event? $\qquad$
30

If this event has been funded by hotel occupancy tax in the last three years, how many room nights were generated at South Padre Island hotels by attendees of this event?

This Year:


Two Years Ago:


What method did you use to determine the number of people who booked rooms at South Padre Island hotels \{e.g., room block usage information, a survey of hoteliers, total attendance formula, zip code Information, etc.)?
$\qquad$
Tournament registration survey

Was a room block established for this event at an area hotel (hotels), and if so, did the room block fill? If the room block did not fill, how many rooms were picked up?

Yes, 25 rooms
No, only 7 rooms filled most of the participants stayed
in Airbnb's.

## EVENT MARKETING INFORMATION

Please attach samples of documents showing how South Padre Island was recognized in your advertising/promotional campaign.

Please attach at least one sample of all forms of advertising/promoting used in your campaign. If the sample itself does not indicate the medium (radio, TV, print, or mail) used or where the advertising took place (e.g., a city's newspaper, or a radio spot that does not indicate the city where the spot was played), please include other information that would show location of the advertising and medium utilized.

Please list all efforts your organization used to promote the event and how much was spent in each category:

Print \$: $\qquad$

Radio \$: $\qquad$ _

TV \$: $\qquad$ $N / A$

Website \$:
$N / A$
Social Media $\$$ : $\mathrm{N} / \mathrm{A}$
Other Digital Advertising \$:
$N / A$

Did you include a link to the CVB or other source on your promotional handouts and in your website for booking hotel nights during this event?

What new marketing initiatives did you utilize to promote hotel and convention activity for this event?

We promoted the host hotel on our tournament website with a booking link as well.

ADDITIONAL EVENT INFORMATION
Please note any other success indicators of your event:
316,443 reach on twitter
$\qquad$

What South Padre island businesses did you utilize for food, supplies, printing, etc.?
Find the host facility at the South Padre Island Golf Club in Laguna Vista.

What was the weather like during the event?
$90+$ degrees with a heat index above 100 most days Winds blow $20+\mathrm{mph}$ with gusts above $30+\mathrm{mph}$

Were there any other factors that may have affected the event?
$\qquad$
$\qquad$

$\qquad$
Date

Print Name

## 2022 Tournament Budget (Committee Version)

Junior All-Star - South Central


| Last Name | Gender | AJGA Event: Campaign Name | Display City | DisplayState | Display Country | Other Zip/Postal Code |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Aerrabolu | Male | South Padre Junior All-Star | Plano | TX | United States | 75024 |
| Agarwal | Male | South Padre Junior All-Star | Saratoga | CA | United States | 95070 |
| Agarwal | Male | Qualifier - South Padre Junior All-Star | Saratoga | CA | United States | 95070 |
| Ahn | Female | South Padre Junior All-Star | Dallas | TX | United States | 75287 |
| Amour | Male | Qualifier - South Padre Junior All-Star | McAllen | TX | United States | 78504 |
| Anand | Male | South Padre Junior All-Star | Irving | TX | United States | 75063 |
| Arcella | Male | South Padre Junior All-Star | Henderson | NV | United States | 89012 |
| Arenkiel | Male | South Padre Junior All-Star | Pearland | TX | United States | 77584 |
| Arenkiel | Male | Qualifier - South Padre Junior All-Star | Pearland | TX | United States | 77584 |
| Ayres | Male | South Padre Junior All-Star | Dallas | TX | United States | 75229 |
| Ayres | Male | Qualifier - South Padre Junior All-Star | Dallas | TX | United States | 75229 |
| Baer | Male | South Padre Junior All-Star | Lantana | TX | United States | 76226 |
| Baer | Male | Qualifier - South Padre Junior All-Star | Lantana | TX | United States | 76226 |
| Beebe | Male | South Padre Junior All-Star | West Palm Beach | FL | United States | 33405 |
| Beebe | Male | Qualifier - South Padre Junior All-Star | West Palm Beach | FL | United States | 33405 |
| Bolado | Female | South Padre Junior All-Star | New Braunfels | TX | United States | 78130 |
| Bourgault | Female | South Padre Junior All-Star | Mont-Tremblant | QC | Canada | J8E 1C6 |
| Breuer | Male | South Padre Junior All-Star | Peoria | AZ | United States | 85383 |
| Browning | Male | South Padre Junior All-Star | Carlsbad | CA | United States | 92009 |
| Browning | Male | Qualifier - South Padre Junior All-Star | Carlsbad | CA | United States | 92009 |
| Caldera | Male | Qualifier - South Padre Junior All-Star | Weslaco | TX | United States | 78599 |
| Cannon | Female | South Padre Junior All-Star | Edmond | OK | United States | 73025 |
| Cannon | Female | Qualifier - South Padre Junior All-Star | Edmond | OK | United States | 73025 |
| Chiu | Male | South Padre Junior All-Star | Los Altos | CA | United States | 94022 |
| Cook | Male | South Padre Junior All-Star | Las Vegas | NV | United States | 89141 |
| De Marco | Female | South Padre Junior All-Star | Southlake | TX | United States | 76092 |
| De Marco | Female | Qualifier - South Padre Junior All-Star | Southlake | TX | United States | 76092 |
| Duggal | Male | South Padre Junior All-Star | The Woodlands | TX | United States | 77382 |
| Ellestad | Female | South Padre Junior All-Star | Houston | TX | United States | 77042 |
| Follmer | Male | South Padre Junior All-Star | Austin | TX | United States | 78738 |
| Follmer | Male | South Padre Junior All-Star | Austin | TX | United States | 78738 |
| Follmer | Male | Qualifier - South Padre Junior All-Star | Austin | TX | United States | 78738 |
| Follmer | Male | Qualifier - South Padre Junior All-Star | Austin | TX | United States | 78738 |
| Fukushima | Male | South Padre Junior All-Star | Irvine | CA | United States | 92618 |
| Ganiear | Male | South Padre Junior All-Star | Southlake | TX | United States | 76092 |
| Ganiear | Male | Qualifier - South Padre Junior All-Star | Southlake | TX | United States | 76092 |
| Garza | Male | South Padre Junior All-Star | Laguna Vista | TX | United States | 78578 |
| Garza | Male | Qualifier - South Padre Junior All-Star | Laguna Vista | TX | United States | 78578 |
| Glazer | Female | Qualifier - South Padre Junior All-Star | Dallas | TX | United States | 75209 |
| Hang | Female | South Padre Junior All-Star | Pleasanton | CA | United States | 94588 |
| Hang | Female | Qualifier - South Padre Junior All-Star | Pleasanton | CA | United States | 94588 |
| He | Male | Qualifier - South Padre Junior All-Star | The Woodlands | TX | United States | 77375 |
| Hooks | Male | South Padre Junior All-Star | Forest | VA | United States | 24551 |
| Hooks | Male | Qualifier - South Padre Junior All-Star | Forest | VA | United States | 24551 |
| Huang | Male | South Padre Junior All-Star | Austin | TX | United States | 78717 |
| Huang | Male | Qualifier - South Padre Junior All-Star | Austin | TX | United States | 78717 |
| Hughes | Male | South Padre Junior All-Star | Oklahoma City | OK | United States | 73142 |
| Hughes | Male | Qualifier - South Padre Junior All-Star | Oklahoma City | OK | United States | 73142 |
| Im | Female | South Padre Junior All-Star | Fontana | CA | United States | 92336 |
| Ju | Male | South Padre Junior All-Star | Buena Park | CA | United States | 90620 |
| Ju | Male | Qualifier - South Padre Junior All-Star | Buena Park | CA | United States | 90620 |
| Kandula | Male | South Padre Junior All-Star | Chesterfield | MO | United States | 63017 |
| Kandula | Male | South Padre Junior All-Star | Chesterfield | MO | United States | 63017 |
| Kandula | Male | Qualifier - South Padre Junior All-Star | Chesterfield | MO | United States | 63017 |
| Kandula | Male | Qualifier - South Padre Junior All-Star | Chesterfield | MO | United States | 63017 |
| Kendrick | Male | South Padre Junior All-Star | Tulsa | OK | United States | 74120 |
| Kendrick | Male | Qualifier - South Padre Junior All-Star | Tulsa | OK | United States | 74120 |
| Kim | Male | South Padre Junior All-Star | Lewisville | TX | United States | 75056 |
| Korn | Male | South Padre Junior All-Star | Scottsdale | AZ | United States | 85254 |
| Kwon | Female | South Padre Junior All-Star | Calabasas | CA | United States | 91302 |
| Kwon | Female | Qualifier - South Padre Junior All-Star | Calabasas | CA | United States | 91302 |
| Laklak | Male | South Padre Junior All-Star | Pinecrest | FL | United States | 33156 |
| Laklak | Male | Qualifier - South Padre Junior All-Star | Pinecrest | FL | United States | 33156 |
| Lane | Male | South Padre Junior All-Star | Benton | AR | United States | 72019 |
| Lee | Male | South Padre Junior All-Star | Plano | TX | United States | 75024 |
| Lee | Male | South Padre Junior All-Star | College Station | TX | United States | 77845 |
| Lee | Male | Qualifier - South Padre Junior All-Star | College Station | TX | United States | 77845 |
| Lee | Male | Qualifier - South Padre Junior All-Star | Plano | TX | United States | 75024 |
| Li | Male | South Padre Junior All-Star | Vancouver | BC | Canada | V6R2P1 |
| Lim | Female | South Padre Junior All-Star | Union City | CA | United States | 94587 |
| Lim | Male | South Padre Junior All-Star | Union City | CA | United States | 94587 |
| Lim | Male | Qualifier - South Padre Junior All-Star | Union City | CA | United States | 94587 |
| Luna | Male | South Padre Junior All-Star | Weslaco | TX | United States | 78596 |


| Luna | Male | Qualifier - South Padre Junior All-Star | Weslaco | TX | United States | 78596 |
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| Lyman | Male | South Padre Junior All-Star | Litchfield Park | AZ | United States | 85340 |
| Lyman | Male | Qualifier - South Padre Junior All-Star | Litchfield Park | AZ | United States | 85340 |
| Majma | Male | South Padre Junior All-Star | Edmond | OK | United States | 73025 |
| Mangione | Male | South Padre Junior All-Star | Austin | TX | United States | 78737 |
| Mangione | Male | Qualifier - South Padre Junior All-Star | Austin | TX | United States | 78737 |
| Marshall | Female | South Padre Junior All-Star | Temple | TX | United States | 76502 |
| Marshall | Female | Qualifier - South Padre Junior All-Star | Temple | TX | United States | 76502 |
| McGown | Male | South Padre Junior All-Star | Klein | TX | United States | 77375 |
| McGown | Male | Qualifier - South Padre Junior All-Star | Klein | TX | United States | 77375 |
| McLaughlin | Female | South Padre Junior All-Star | Saint Louis | MO | United States | 63141 |
| Miller | Male | South Padre Junior All-Star | Jackson | KY | United States | 41339 |
| Mulder | Male | South Padre Junior All-Star | Scottsdale | AZ | United States | 85255 |
| Nguyen | Male | South Padre Junior All-Star | Richmond | TX | United States | 77469 |
| Nguyen | Male | Qualifier - South Padre Junior All-Star | Richmond | TX | United States | 77469 |
| Osborne | Female | South Padre Junior All-Star | Austin | TX | United States | 78746 |
| Osborne | Female | Qualifier - South Padre Junior All-Star | Austin | TX | United States | 78746 |
| Padua | Male | South Padre Junior All-Star | Austin | TX | United States | 78613 |
| Padua | Male | Qualifier - South Padre Junior All-Star | Austin | TX | United States | 78613 |
| Papacharalambous | Male | South Padre Junior All-Star | Austin | TX | United States | 78738 |
| Papacharalambous | Male | Qualifier - South Padre Junior All-Star | Austin | TX | United States | 78738 |
| Park | Female | South Padre Junior All-Star | Everett | WA | United States | 98208 |
| Peterson | Male | South Padre Junior All-Star | Port St Lucie | FL | United States | 34987 |
| Peterson | Male | Qualifier - South Padre Junior All-Star | Port St Lucie | FL | United States | 34987 |
| Phillips | Male | South Padre Junior All-Star | New Orleans | LA | United States | 70115 |
| Phillips | Male | Qualifier - South Padre Junior All-Star | New Orleans | LA | United States | 70115 |
| Ramachandran | Female | South Padre Junior All-Star | San Jose | CA | United States | 95125 |
| Ramachandran | Female | Qualifier - South Padre Junior All-Star | San Jose | CA | United States | 95125 |
| Rivers | Male | South Padre Junior All-Star | Brampton | ON | Canada | L6W 1C2 |
| Rivers | Male | Qualifier - South Padre Junior All-Star | Brampton | ON | Canada | L6W 1C2 |
| Sarangdevot | Male | South Padre Junior All-Star | Mckinney | TX | United States | 75070 |
| Sarangdevot | Male | Qualifier - South Padre Junior All-Star | Mckinney | TX | United States | 75070 |
| Sirkin | Female | South Padre Junior All-Star | Colleyville | TX | United States | 76034 |
| Sirkin | Female | Qualifier - South Padre Junior All-Star | Colleyville | TX | United States | 76034 |
| Tarter | Male | South Padre Junior All-Star | Hanford | CA | United States | 93230 |
| Tarter | Male | Qualifier - South Padre Junior All-Star | Hanford | CA | United States | 93230 |
| Urrea | Female | South Padre Junior All-Star | Lima |  | Peru | 34786 |
| Urrea | Female | Qualifier - South Padre Junior All-Star | Lima |  | Peru | 34786 |
| Watters | Male | South Padre Junior All-Star | Austin | TX | United States | 78738 |
| Watters | Male | Qualifier - South Padre Junior All-Star | Austin | TX | United States | 78738 |
| Xu | Male | South Padre Junior All-Star | Houston | TX | United States | 77098 |
| Yang | Female | South Padre Junior All-Star | Santa Clara | CA | United States | 95054 |
| Yang | Female | Qualifier - South Padre Junior All-Star | Santa Clara | CA | United States | 95054 |
| Yao | Male | South Padre Junior All-Star | Whittier | CA | United States | 90605 |
| Yao | Male | Qualifier - South Padre Junior All-Star | Whittier | CA | United States | 90605 |
| Zhang | Male | South Padre Junior All-Star | Plano | TX | United States | 75024 |
| Zhang | Female | South Padre Junior All-Star | Katy | TX | United States | 77494 |
| Zhang | Female | South Padre Junior All-Star | Milpitas | CA | United States | 95035-8668 |
| Zhang | Male | Qualifier - South Padre Junior All-Star | Plano | TX | United States | 75024 |
| Zhang | Female | Qualifier - South Padre Junior All-Star | Milpitas | CA | United States | 95035-8668 |
| Zhao | Male | South Padre Junior All-Star | San Diego | CA | United States | 92129 |
| Zhao | Male | Qualifier - South Padre Junior All-Star | San Diego | CA | United States | 92129 |
| Zhou | Male | South Padre Junior All-Star | Sugar Land | TX | United States | 77479 |

# SOUTH PADRE ISLAND EVENT FUNDING POST EVENT REPORT 

Please complete all sections.

## Date Report Submitted:

07/07/2022

To be reimbursed, please submit the following within 10 days post event:

1. Number of participants calculated with backup documentation (i.e., zip codes, team rosters, surveys)
2. Number of room nights tracked with backup documentation (i.e., third-party housing documentation or certified hotel pickup reports)

## Please submit the following within $\mathbf{3 0}$ days post event:

1. Valid invoice(s) supporting reimbursable allowable expenses. Please submit only enough receipts to reach awarded grant amount.
2. Evidence of payment to support invoices paid from grantee to a third party (front and back copies of cleared check(s) or detailed credit card/debit card receipts. For all media buys please provide tear sheets, copies of advertisements, schedules, and signed station affidavits.
3. Copies of marketing or advertising materials, and websites showing the South Padre Island CVB logo.

## ORGANIZATION INFORMATION

Name of Organization:
Technology Created Arts
Address:
3740 San Jacinto Rd

City, State, Zip:
Brownsville, Tx 78521

Full Name:
Michael De La Fuente

Office Number:

E-Mail:
michael.delafuente@tcamediastudio.com

Cell Phone Number:
(956) 203-8246

## EVENT INFORMATION

## Name of Event: <br> Beach Bash Skate Jam

Date(s) of Event:
06-21-2022

Primary Location of the Event: John L Tompkins Park

How many years have you held this event on South Padre Island? 1

## EVENT FUNDING INFORMATION

Please attach an actual event budget showing all revenues including sponsorships and expenses.

Amount Requested: \$2,000
Total Amount to be Received: $\$ 1,523$

Did the event charge admission? Was there a net profit from the event? If so, what was the amount and how is it being used?
We did not charge admission. We did have sponsor packages for sponsors, which amounted to a total
Of $\$ 1,500$. This cash was used to meet city guidelines and permits, so no profit was made.

## EVENT ATTENDANCE INFORMATION

How many people did you predict would attend this event? (Number submitted in the application)?
100-200

What was the actual attendance at the event?
150

How many of the participants were from another city or county?
100
How many room nights did you predict in your application would be generated by attendees of this event?
We did not predict any rooms to be booked for the one day event.

If this event has been funded by hotel occupancy tax in the last three years, how many room nights were generated at South Padre Island hotels by attendees of this event?

This Year:

Last Year:
$\qquad$
$\qquad$

Two Years Ago:
Three Years Ago:
$\qquad$
$\qquad$

What method did you use to determine the number of people who booked rooms at South Padre Island hotels \{e.g., room block usage information, a survey of hoteliers, total attendance formula, zip code Information, etc.)?
We did not calculate how many people stayed at South Padre Island.

Was a room block established for this event at an area hotel (hotels), and if so, did the room block fill? If the room block did not fill, how many rooms were picked up? No

## EVENT MARKETING INFORMATION

Please attach samples of documents showing how South Padre Island was recognized in your advertising/promotional campaign.

Please attach at least one sample of all forms of advertising/promoting used in your campaign. If the sample itself does not indicate the medium (radio, TV, print, or mail) used or where the advertising took place (e.g., a city's newspaper, or a radio spot that does not indicate the city where the spot was played), please include other information that would show location of the advertising and medium utilized.

Please list all efforts your organization used to promote the event and how much was spent in each category:

Print \$:
\$1,738

Radio \$: $\qquad$
$\qquad$
$\qquad$

Did you include a link to the CVB or other source on your promotional handouts and in your website for booking hotel nights during this event?

What new marketing initiatives did you utilize to promote hotel and convention activity for this event?

Consistent interaction with attendants on social media. Word of mouth with all businesses at SPI.
We promoted the event at every skatepark in the Rio Grande Valley.

## ADDITIONAL EVENT INFORMATION

Please note any other success indicators of your event:
For a small skate park we were amazed on the amount of contestants the competition had.
Businesses have reached out to thank us on at least a $75 \%$ increase on social media and store traffic.

What South Padre Island businesses did you utilize for food, supplies, printing, etc.? 77 Surf , The Painted Marlin, Hopper Has

What was the weather like during the event?
Sunny from 12-2, Drizzeled from 2:00-2:05, Sunny from 2:05-6:00

Were there any other factors that may have affected the event?
No


Authorized Signature

## Ruby hame

07/05/2022
Date

## (2)

## Receipt

Invoice for
Michael De La Fuente
3740 San Jacinto Rd
Brownsville, Tx 78521

Invoice \#
1

Project
Payed on
Beach Bash Skate Jam 6/18/2022

| Description | Qty | Unit price | Total price |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| BLK MED T-SHIRT | 3 | $\$ 18.00$ | $\$ 54.00$ |
| FRONT \& BACK DESIGN | 3 | $\$ 2.00$ | $\$ 6.00$ |
| BLK LG T-SHIRT | 3 | $\$ 18.00$ | $\$ 54.00$ |
| FRONT \& BACK DESIGN | 3 | $\$ 2.00$ | $\$ 6.00$ |
| BLK XL T-SHIRT | 3 | $\$ 18.00$ | $\$ 54.00$ |
| FRONT \& BACK DESIGN | 3 | $\$ 2.00$ | $\$ 6.00$ |
| BLK TOTE BAG x LOGO | 9 | $\$ 12.00$ | $\$ 108.00$ |
| 12x12 STICKERS | 5 | $\$ 10.00$ | $\$ 50.00$ |
| 1x2 STICKERS | 9 | $\$ 2.00$ | $\$ 18.00$ |
| DELIVERY FEE: SPI |  | $\$ 20.00$ | $\$ 20.00$ |
| EXPRESS FEE |  | $\$ 30.00$ | $\$ 30.00$ |



# Nochy's PRINT SHOP 

## NICKY'S PRINT SHOP

315 KINGS HWY STE 5
BROWNSVILLE, TX. 78521

## INVOICE

DATE: 6/16/2022
INVOICE 00544
956-336-1102
Bill to: MICHAEL DE LA FUENTE

| QUANTITY | DESCRIPTION | PRICE |
| :--- | :--- | :--- |
| 3 | 6X3FT BANNER | $\$ 165.00$ |
| 6 | FLAGS WITH METALS | $\$ 750.00$ |
|  |  |  |
|  |  |  |
|  |  |  |
|  |  |  |
|  |  | Total |
|  |  | $\$ 915.00$ |
|  |  |  |
|  |  |  |

Please make check payable to Nicky's Print Shop
Thank You for Your Business!
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$\qquad$

## TECHNOLOGY CREATED ARTS

TCA MEDIA STUDIO
Bill To
Ruby Gamez

Invoice \# 621

| Invoice Date | $06 / 12 / 2022$ |
| :--- | :--- |
| Due Date | $06 / 12 / 2022$ |


| Qty | Description | Unit Price | Amount |
| :---: | :--- | ---: | ---: |
| 1 | Graphic Logo + Flyer / Poster Graphic | 100.00 | 100.00 |
| 1 | Promotional Graphic Banner 3' $\times 6^{\prime}$ | 60.00 | 60.00 |
| 3 | Promotional Flag Grapics (Custom) | 20.00 | 60.00 |
| 1 | Online / web promotional graphics | 52.00 | 52.00 |
|  |  |  | $\$ 272.00$ |
| Total |  |  |  |



## TCAHOSTS



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TOMPKINS PARK
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SOUTHPADRETISUAND.

## SKAITE JAMO cisHPRIEES



# CITY OF SOUTH PADRE ISLAND <br> SPECIAL EVENTS COMMITTEE AGENDA REQUEST FORM 

MEETING DATE: July 14, 2022

NAME \& TITLE: Silvia Sanchez

DEPARTMENT: Convention and Visitors Bureau

ITEM
Discussion and possible action to approve the funding request for Sandcastle Days in October 2022. (Brown)

## ITEM BACKGROUND

Approved funding requests:
2021:40,000
2019: 35,000
2018:35,000

## BUDGET/FINANCIAL SUMMARY

02-593-8099

COMPREHENSIVE PLAN GOAL
N/A

LEGAL REVIEW
Sent to Legal: No
Approved by Legal: No

## RECOMMENDATIONS/COMMENTS:

## SOUTH PADRE ISLAND EVENT FUNDING APPLICATION

## To apply for funding please complete all questions.

## ORGANIZATION INFORMATION

Date Application Submitted: July 7, 2022
Name of Organization: Sandcastle Days
Address: $\quad 6900$ Padre Blvd. or mailing address: PO Box 2344
City, State, Zip:
South Padre Island, TX 78597
Full Name: E-Mail:

Sandcastle Days / Clayton Brashear
Office Number:
n/a

Website for Event or Sponsoring Entity:
Non-Profit or For-Profit Status:
claytonsbeachbar@aol.com
Cell Phone Number:
Clayton 956.455.8436 or Adolfo 956.371.1591
sandcastledays.com
Tax ID \#:
467-31-8779

Primary Purpose of Organization:
To promote tourism and preserve a long established event for over 32 years.

## EVENT INFORMATION

Name of Event: Sandcastle Days 2022

## Date(s) of Event:

10/6/2022-10/9/2022

Primary Location of the Event:
Clayton's Resort 6900 Padre Blvd

Amount Requested: $\quad \$ 40,000.00$

If greater than previous year funded (if applicable), please explain the increase being requested:
n/a
Primary Purpose of Event:
To promote tourism and preserve a long established event on South Padre
Island for over 32 years.

How will the hotel tax funds be used? Please attach a list of the hotel tax funded expenditures.

## Please see attached budget for Sandcastle Days 2022

Are you asking for any cost reductions for city facility rentals or city services? Please quantify and explain.
Yes, the city every year provides in-kind services in regards to beach
sand and hauling.

## AMOUNT REQUESTED UNDER EACH CATEGORY

Advertising, Solicitations, Promotional programs to attract tourists and convention delegates or registrants to the municipality or its vicinity. Amount requested under this category:
\$: $16,000.00$

Expenses including promotional expenses, directly related to a sporting event in which the majority of participants are tourists. The event must substantially increase economic activity at hotels within the city or its vicinity. Amount requested under this category:
\$: n/a

## QUESTIONS FOR ALL FUNDING REQUEST CATEGORIES

How many years have you held this event?
Attendance for previous year (if applicable):

10 years (Clayton took over management of Sandcastle Days in 2012)
see attached 2019 UTRGV Report

How many of the attendees are expected to be from more than 75 miles away? 80\%

How many people attending the event will use South Padre Island lodging establishments? see attached 2019 UTRGV Report

How many nights do you anticipate the majority of the tourists will stay?
2-4

Will you reserve a room block for this event at area hotel(s)?

Where and how many rooms will be blocked? n/a

List other years (over the last three years) that you have hosted your event, please include the amount of assistance given from HOT funding and the number of hotel rooms used:

| Month/Year Held <br> $10 / 2021$ | Assistance Amount <br> $10 / 2019$ | 40,000.00 <br> $10 / 2018$ |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |

How will you measure the impact of your event on area hotel activity (e.g.; room block usage information, a survey of hoteliers, etc.)?

## Survey of hoteliers

Please list other sponsors, organizations, and grants that have offered financial support to your event:
none

Will the event charge admission? If so, what is the cost per person/group? No

Do you anticipate a net profit from the event? If so, what is the anticipated amount and how will it be used?
No

Please list all promotion efforts your organization is planning and the amount estimated for each media outlet. Please attach a detailed marketing budget.

Print \$: 2,000.00
Radio \$: 5,000.00
TV \$: 6,000.00

Website \$: $1,200.00$ Social Media \$: $1,800.00$

Other Digital Advertising \$:
$\qquad$

A link to the CVB must be included on your promotional handouts and on your website for booking hotel nights during this event.

What other marketing initiatives are you planning to promote hotel and convention activity for this event?
$\qquad$
$\qquad$
Who is your target audience?

What geographic region(s) are you marketing to?

## Mostly Texas

Have you obtained the insurance required and who is the carrier?
Yes, Mount Vernon Fire Insurance Company

[^1]
## SOUTH PADRE ISLAND EVENT FUNDING CHECKLIST

## 

## Name of Event: <br> Sandcastle Days 2022

$\sqrt{ }$
Received and understood the separate Special Events Policy (REQUIRED)

$\sqrt{ }$Received and understood the separate HOT Funding Guidelines (REQUIRED)

Completed the South Padre Island Event Funding Application form (REQUIRED)


Enclosed a description of all planned activities or schedule of events (REQUIRED)
Enclosed a complete detailed budget (REQUIRED)
Enclosed an advertising/marketing and promotion plan (REQUIRED)
In Room night projections, with back-up, for the Funded Event (REQUIRED)
*Please see UTRGV 2019 Sandcastle Days Survey*


I agree: Any marketing for the event must be consistent with the brand image for South Padre Island and all such marketing pieces that are funded with hotel tax must be in accordance. (REQUIRED)

I agree: The SPICVB will require access to event participant database information that will show zip code data to measure likely impact from the funded event. (REQUIRED)

$\square$
Enclosed a sponsor list (categorized by "confirmed" and "pending")
$\square$ Enclosed a vendor/exhibitor list (categorized by "confirmed" and "pending)
Enclosed an event mapEnclosed security/safety plans
Enclosed copies of promotional materials (if available)

Enclosed a summary of previous special event experience of organizers)
$\square$ Enclosed a history of event (if previously produced)
Indicated the types) of assistance requested
Indicated the amount of financial support (if requested)

Clayton Brachear
Authorized Signature Clayton Brashear

Date

[^2]Lodging Festival Schedule of Events Contact Us Vendor Application

Wednesday, October 5th

## Wodnesday, Sopt 29th

Doors Open: 9:00 am

- Masters of Sand carve as a group build Sponsors Sculptures. See them work their magic on the group sandcastle.


## Thursday, October 6th <br> Thursday, Sept 30th

Doors Open: 9:00 am

- Official start Masters of Sand Competition
- Join the Masters, listen to music and watch them create Unforgettable Sand Art


## Friday, October 7th

Friday, Octeber Idt

Doors Open: 9:00 am

- Masters of Sand continue sculpting
- Registration Open - Amateur competition includes: Kids, Family, Groups, and Singles $1 \mathrm{pm}-5 \mathrm{pm}$
- T-Shirt Sales Open
- Sandcastle Days Mercado
- Live Bands on Stage At Clayton's


## Saturday, Octeber 2nd

Saturday, October 8th
Doors Open 9:00 am

- Sandcamp - Free Sandcastle Lessons begging at 8:00 am
- Master Sand Sculpting competition final day!
- Sandcastle Days Mercado Open 10:00 am to Close
- Children Water Slides, Bouncer \& Bull Riding Open
- Amateur Registration open 8:00 am
- Amateur competition begins at 9:00 am, ends at $3: 00 \mathrm{pm} /$ Kids, Family, Group or Singles Castle welcome
- Unlitter Campaign 10th Annual Trashion Show "Straw Wars Theme" at 4:00 pm
- Judging for Amateur and Masters Divisions
- Awards Ceremony for Amateur and Masters Divisions at 4:30 pm
- Live Bands on Stage at Clayton's


## Sinday Octobor 3rd <br> Sunday, October 9th

Doors Open: 9:00 am

- Sandcamp - Free Sandcastle Lessons begin at 10:00 am
- Sandcastle Days Mercado
- Children Water Slides, Bouncer \& Bull Riding Open
- Enjoy the Sand Monuments, Listen to music and play the day away
- Spread The Word Family Fun For All Ages
- People's Choice Awards at $3: 00 \mathrm{pm}$


## 2022 SANDCASTLE DAYS BUDGET:

## INCOME:

| CVB Sponsorship | $\$$ | $40,000.00$ |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
| Sponsorships Other | $\$$ | $6,000.00$ |
| Vendors | $\$$ | $6,000.00$ |
| Amateur Sand Sculptors | $\$$ | 100.00 |

Total Budgeted Income:
\$
52,100.00

## EVENT EXPENSES:

Advertising Digital Marketing \$
Advertising Print \$
Advertising Radio \$
Advertising TV
$\$ \quad 3,000.00$
$\$ \quad 2,000.00$
$\$ \quad 5,000.00$
$\$ \quad 6,000.00$

Total Budgeted Advertising:
$\$$
$16,000.00$

Kiddie Rides and Tents
Materials and Supplies
Event MC
Security
Event Staff Management
Event Staff Sand Sculptors
Event Staff Sand Sculptors Assistants
Sand Sculptors Travel Expense
Sand Sculptors Lodging Expense
Sculptors Awards

In-Kind Venue Costs
In-Kind Outside Food


## Sandcastle Days 2022 <br> Marketing Plan

For the past 10 years Sandcastle days has proved to be the most successful fall event on South Padre Island.

We plan to enhance the event by adding additional sculptors and family games to make the event more exciting for all.

The target marketing is Texas and beyond with a majority focus on San Antonio, Austin, Houston and Dallas using social media. The other large market is the 1.5 million persons within 100 miles of South Padre Island. This market will not only be through social media but with added visual advertisements through local TV media stations.

## UTRGV Business \& Tourism Research Center

## 2019 Sandcastle Days

# \$35,000 \$1,340,695 3,731 CVB Investment Total Spending at SPI Net RO 

\$377
spending per household


## City tax share

## Event

## Attendance

12,268 estimated attendees
3,557 unduplicated households
2,145 room nights
$17.1 \%$ change in Occupancy 3.0\% change in ADR 20.8\% change in RevPAR


## DEMOGRAPHICS

Average age 48
Average Income: 62.3\%
$\$ 50,000$ or more

## Executive Summary and Survey Highlights

This report details the measured economic impact of the $32^{\text {nd }}$ annual South Padre Island Sandcastle Days event held at Clayton's Beach-Bar \& Grill on October 3-6 ${ }^{\text {th }}$, 2019. The event was organized by Clayton, Brashear (Clayton's Resort) "to demonstrate the magical sculpting qualities of South Padre Island sand AND the critical importance of protecting our beautiful coastal shores." The event was expected to attract more than 10,000 people. To examine the spending of SANDCASTLE DAYS attendees on SPI, a short survey incentivized with the opportunity to enter a drawing to win two nights at Schlitterbahn Beach Resort was conducted by the UTRGV survey team on Saturday and Sunday, the days of the event. The survey was administered onsite for 652 completed questionnaires resulting in 471 useable responses from unique households on the Island specifically for the event.

On average, event study respondents were predominantly married (65.9\%) females ( $67.5 \%$ ), had an average age of 48 years, had at least some type of college degree ( $54.2 \%$ ), worked full-time ( $62.1 \%$ ), were primarily Hispanic ( $65.8 \%$ ) and White (29.3\%) and ( $62.3 \%$ ) had an average annual income above $\$ 50,000$. Survey respondents were primarily from the US ( $98.2 \%$ ) with $1.8 \%$ from Mexico. On average, household participants traveled an average of 136.17 miles with an average of 3.45 people and spent 1.38 nights on SPI during the event. Most survey respondents are considered promoters of the Island ( $91.5 \%$ ), resulting in an excellent net promoter score of 90 . Most respondents are somewhat or very satisfied with the Island experience (99.1\%) and the event ( $98.2 \%$ ) and are likely or very likely to return to SPI for a future vacation (97.4\%).

Importantly, the survey analysis found that 3,557 household groups attend SANDCASTLE DAYS and spent an estimated weighted average of $\$ 377$ per household while on the Island for a total spending of $\$ 1,340,695$. Of this spending, lodging is the highest per household expenditure category with $58.7 \%$ of study respondents spending at least one night on the Island in paid lodging and staying an average of 1.38 nights. This resulted in about 2,145 total room nights, most of which were spent in hotels.
With the average weighted lodging expenditure of $\$ 377$ per household that spent the night on the Island, a total of $\$ 475,537$ was spent on lodging. Of this amount, $17 \%$ or $\$ 69,095$ was for the Hotel Occupancy Tax (HOT), and $10.5 \%$, or about $\$ 42,676$, is the City's share of the HOT. We discuss more on tax benefits in the upcoming sections, also see table 2 for a complete tax breakdown.

## Summary of Key Performance Indicators (KPI)

| KPI | Result | DESCRIPTION OF KPI |
| :---: | :---: | :---: |
| CVB investment | \$35,000 | Amount of funding provided by CVB to event PROMOTER |
| Total spending | \$1,340,695 | Total spent by event households |
| ESTIMATED NET ROI | 3731\% | return on cvb investment considering total SPENDING AT SPI DURING THE EVENT |
| Average spent per household | \$377 | Weighted average spent per household |
| Number of households | 3,557 | Number of households at event |
| Number in household | 3.45 | Number of people in household group at event |
| Nights on SPI | 1.38 | Average number of nights spent on SpI |
| Lodging tax | \$42,676 | City share of hot revenue: $10.5 \%$ of $17 \%$ Hot |
| F\&B sales tax | \$6,557 | CITY SHARE OF TOTAL TAX COLLECTED FROM F\&B SPENDING: 2\% OF 8.25\% OF TOTAL SALES TAX |
| Other sales tax | \$9,428 | City share of total sales tax revenue |
| total City tax share | \$58,611 | total City tax revenue from event |
| Total tax ROI | 67.6\% | Return on CVB investment considering all taxes |
| LOdGing only roi | 21.9\% | Return on CVB investment considering hot ONLY |
| Net Promoter Score | 90 | Measure of customer loyalty; calculated as IDENTIFIED PROMOTERS LESS DETRACTORS |
| Likely to return | 97.4\% | Percent somewhat or extremely likely to return to SPI |
| Satisfied with the SPI | 99.1\% | Percent satisfied with the SPI experience |
| Satisfied with event | 98.2\% | Percent satisfied with event |

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## SANDCASTLE DAYS 2019

## Introduction

This report details the measured economic impact of the $32^{\text {nd }}$ annual South Padre Island Sandcastle Days event held at Clayton's Beach-Bar \& Grill on October 3-6th, 2019. The event was organized by Clayton, Brashear (Clayton's Resort) "to demonstrate the magical sculpting qualities of South Padre Island sand AND the critical importance of protecting our beautiful coastal shores." The event was expected to attract more than 10,000 people with about $17.4 \%$ of the total attendees staying in South Padre Island lodging for three or more nights.

Activities are scheduled daily as follows:

## SCHEDULE OF MAIN ACTIVITIES

- WED OCT - $2^{\text {nd }}$ Carving day for Master sculptors
- THU OCT $3^{\text {rd }}$ Start of sandcastle competition
- FRI OCT $4^{\text {th }}$ More sculpting, Amateur competition begins
- SAT OCT $5^{\text {th }}$ Sandcastle Days Full Day 1
- SUN OCT $6^{\text {th }}$ Sandcastle Days Full Day 2

The South Padre Island Convention and Visitors Bureau provided SANDCASTLE DAYS with $\$ 35,000$ in funding. According to the application for the funding, the event sponsor initially planned to use $\$ 35,000$ to cover the cost of the event. Ultimately, the amount did reach the amount of $\$ 35,000$ as informed by CVB. According to the HOT funding application, the sponsor planned to spend $\$ 12,500$ on TV advertisements, $\$ 1,000$ on website and social media, and $\$ 1,000$ in newspaper, and $\$ 0$ in radio and $\$ 400$ in other paid Advertising.

## Research Methodology

## Interviews

To estimate the economic impact of the 2019 SANDCASTLE DAYS, UTRGV interviewers administered a survey (see Appendix A) to event attendees as follows:

- Saturday, October $5^{\text {th }}, 7: 30 \mathrm{am}-4: 30 \mathrm{pm}$ : UTRGV survey team.
- Sunday, October $6^{\text {th }}, 11: 30 \mathrm{am}-4: 30 \mathrm{pm}$ : UTRGV survey team.

On Saturday and Sunday. The days of the event, the UTRGV survey team and project manager were onsite to administer surveys. All survey participants were offered a chance to win two nights at Schlitterbahn Beach Resort as an incentive to help recruit respondents.

On Saturday and Sunday of the event, the UTRGV survey team interviewers collected 652 surveys. The survey team, wearing bright orange t-shirts and visors, randomly approached potential respondents in a professional manner and administered paper surveys on clipboards with the data to be entered into an online link later by the team. Although interviews yielded 652 completed responses; 181 responses were eliminated because of the following reasons:

- were completed by another household member
- were from respondents not on the Island for the event
- Live or reside within 10 miles or less from the island
- were outliers

The result is 471 useable questionnaires for analysis. According to the SPI survey team surveys, drone technology (See Appendix D), and clicker counter of 9,588 total people on Saturday and Sunday we estimated the total attendee number for the five Sandcastle Days to be 12,268 people. Assuming that 355 people attended the event on Wednesday, 595 people attended the event on Thursday, 1316 people attended the event on Friday, and 10,000 people attended the event on Saturday and Sunday. Thus, we estimated the response rate by dividing the new total of 12,268 by the total completed surveys (652), so the response rate was $5.3 \%$. Picture evidence was taken (See Appendix C) of the SPI survey Team while approaching event attendees and collecting surveys.

## CLICKER COUNTER PER DAY

| TIME | SATURDAY | Column 1 |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
|  | Adults | Children |
| $9: 20-10: 20$ | 206 | 55 |
| $10: 20-11: 20$ | 494 | 105 |
| $11: 20-12: 20$ | 476 | 144 |
| $12: 20-1: 20$ | 303 | 90 |
| $1: 20-2: 20$ | 586 | 279 |
| $2: 20-3: 20$ | 486 | 188 |
| $3: 20-4: 20$ | 551 | 189 |
| Totals | 3,102 | 1,050 |


| TIME | SUNDAY | Column1 |
| :--- | ---: | ---: |
|  | Adults | Children |
| $9: 50-10: 50$ | 545 | 173 |
| 10:50-11:50 | 761 | 324 |
| 11:50-12:30 | 701 | 259 |
| 12:50-1:50 | 807 | 342 |
| $1: 50-2: 50$ | 752 | 344 |
| $2: 50-3: 20$ | 301 | 127 |
| Totals | 3,867 | 1,569 |

## OUTLIERS BY CATEGORY

The following are survey reported values by Sandcastle Days attendees that are considered outliers. These values were not considered for the economic impact analysis, but still mentioned in the surveys.

Traveled Miles Food expenditure

- 8,000
- \$1,000
- 4,500
- \$4,500
- $\$ 1,400$
- \$1,200
Parking fees
Lodging expenditure
- \$1,000
- $\$ 1,500$

> - $\$ 1,500$
> - $\$ 2,600$
> - $\$ 2,000$
> Local stuff
> expenditure
> - $\$ 500$
> Retail expenditure
> - $\$ 1,000$
> $\begin{aligned} & \text { Transportation } \\ & \text { expenditure }\end{aligned}$

- $\$ 2,000$
- 20

Nights spent at SPI

- 20
- 31
- 30
- 31
- 30
- 19

Night club expenditure

- $\$ 1,000$
- \$1,000
- $\$ 70$

Admission fees

- $\$ 100$

Clothing expenditure

- $\$ 1,000$

Groceries
expenditure

- $\$ 1,500$

Other

- $\$ 5,800$
- $\$ 2,500$


## Estimated attendance

Knowing the number of people attending any event is crucial to estimating the economic impact of the event. According to our study, approximately 12,268 people

## EVENTS ATTENDED



## Figure 1. Events attended

attended the five-day event. However, to better understand household attendance and duplication of attendance over multiple days, respondents were asked to indicate which of the multiple-days' activities they attended. A total of 617 respondents indicated attending 957 events suggesting that each household respondent attended an average of 1.55 days of events. Figure 1 shows that the most attended days were the Saturday (52\%) and Sunday (25.3\%).

The appropriate unit of analysis of spending impact is 'the household' since spending questions are asked about household expenditures rather than individual expenditures. To determine the number of households at the event, the total number of estimated attendees $(12,268)$ is divided by the average household size $(3.45)$ as found in the survey (see Figure 3) to determine that 3,557 households were at the event over the five-day event.

## Results

## Survey participants travel, and SPI stay characteristics

In all, 471useable surveys were completed by people specifically at Clayton's for the 2019 SANDCASTLE DAYS. Survey respondents were first asked to indicate their role or participation type in the event. Figure 2 shows that by far, most of the respondents surveyed were spectators ( $88.6 \%$ ).

Next, respondents indicated how many people were in their household while at the event, the number of nights spent, and the number of miles traveled to the event. The number of people reported in the household for the event ranged from 1 to 15 for an average of 3.45 as seen in Figure 3. Data featured in Figure 3 also shows that, on average, study participants traveled 136.17 miles to attend the event, although distances traveled ranged from 10 to 1,600 miles and spent an average of 1.38 nights on

Figure 2. Participation type

## Number in household, nights

 spent and miles traveled136.17

Figure 3. Average miles traveled, group size and NIGHTS SPENT

SPI for the event with a range of 0 to 12 nights spent on SPI.

## Percent by nights spent on SPI

Figure 4 breaks down the ${ }^{41.3 \%}$ percent of


1
7.3\%

3


4

## 4.4\%

5 or More respondents by number Figure 4. Percentage spending the night on SPI of nights spent on SPI and shows that $41.3 \%$ of respondents did not spend the night on SPI. Of those spending the night, most respondents spent one night (21.8\%) or two nights (19.6\%). Lastly, (10\%) spent more than three nights on SPI for the event.

## Lodging type



## Figure 5. Type of lodging

Figure 5 shows the types of lodging used. While most event attenders reported not spending the night on the Island (37.3\%), of those who did, $35 \%$ spent the night in a hotel/motel room, $14.5 \%$ rented a condominium or beach house, $2.8 \%$ stayed with family or friends.

With 43.7\% (Table 1, p6) of the estimated 3,557 households spending an average of 1.38 nights (Figure 3, p5) on the Island, the SANDCASTLE DAYS event should have resulted in 2,145 room nights. In addition, a total of 143 people indicated staying at one of the 35 hotels/motels/condos shown below.

## Estimated spending

Study respondents were asked to indicate how much money they spent in various expenditure categories. All reported expenditure amounts were assumed to include sales taxes except that lodging was assumed to be stated without HOT so was adjusted upward by $17 \%$, the HOT rate. The total average reported expenditure by category was then multiplied times the percentage of respondents who reported spending in that expense category to arrive at the average weighted spending per expense category.

Results in Table 1 indicate the average amount spent on lodging of $\$ 306$ with a weighted average of $\$ 133.68$ considering that $43.7 \%$ of respondents spent money on lodging for a total of $\$ 475,537$. In total, 3,557 event households spent a weighted average of $\$ 377$ for a total SPI spending of $\$ 1,340,695$.

TABLE 1. TOTAL AVERAGE WEIGHTED SPENDING

| Expenditure category | Total <br> average | \% spending <br> in category | Weighted <br> spending <br> per HH | Total <br> spending <br> per HH |
| :--- | ---: | ---: | ---: | ---: |
| Food \& Beverages | $\$ 123$ | $80.9 \%$ | $\$ 99.76$ | $\$ 354,888$ |
| Night life | $\$ 75$ | $32.9 \%$ | $\$ 24.54$ | $\$ 87,278$ |
| Lodging | $\$ 306$ | $43.7 \%$ | $\$ 133.68$ | $\$ 475,537$ |
| Attraction entertainment | $\$ 64$ | $22.3 \%$ | $\$ 14.20$ | $\$ 50,512$ |
| Retail | $\$ 68$ | $42.0 \%$ | $\$ 28.63$ | $\$ 101,862$ |
| Transportation | $\$ 58$ | $57.7 \%$ | $\$ 33.28$ | $\$ 118,394$ |
| Parking | $\$ 7$ | $15.7 \%$ | $\$ 1.08$ | $\$ 3,829$ |
| Adrmission fees | $\$ 4$ | $11.7 \%$ | $\$ 0.48$ | $\$ 1,699$ |
| Clothing | $\$ 38$ | $21.7 \%$ | $\$ 8.24$ | $\$ 29,319$ |
| Groceries | $\$ 62$ | $30.8 \%$ | $\$ 18.95$ | $\$ 67,403$ |
| Other | $\$ 83$ | $17.0 \%$ | $\$ 14.05$ | $\$ 49,975$ |
| Total | $\$ 886$ |  | $\$ 377$ | $\$ 1,340,695$ |

The estimated direct spending on South Padre Island as attributed to the 2019 SANDCASTLE DAYS is $\$ 1,340,695$, within a $3.73 \%$ confidence interval of plus or minus $\$ 50,008$ given the assumptions of a random sample selection.

## Tax benefits of spending during event

To calculate the tax revenue accruing from event attendee spending, the following tax rates are assumed:

- $17 \%$ hotel occupancy tax rate;
- $10.50 \%$ City's share of the hotel occupancy tax rate;
- $8.25 \%$ sales tax on all non-lodging spending;
- $2 \%$ is the City's share of non-lodging sales tax.

The spending reported in Table 1 should result in the tax revenues shown in Table 2. Altogether, the tax revenue should be $\$ 135,031$ with $\$ 58,661$ the City's share. The gain from the City's share of the hotel tax alone on the $\$ 35,000$ invested in the event is $21.9 \%$ and is $67.6 \%$ considering the City's share of all the tax revenue.

Table 2. Spending, tax revenue and ROI

| Spending category | Amount spent | Total HOT | Total sales tax | $\begin{gathered} \text { City's } \\ \% \\ \text { share } \end{gathered}$ | City's \$ share | ROI |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Lodging | \$475,537 | 17\% | \$69,095 | 10.50\% | \$42,676 | 21.9\% |
| Food \& Beverage | \$354,888 | 8.25\% | \$27,047 | 2\% | \$6,557 |  |
| All nonlodging | \$510,271 | 8.25\% | \$38,889 | 2\% | \$9,428 |  |
| Totals | \$1,340,695 |  | \$135,031 |  | \$58,661 | 67.6\% |

## The SPI Experience

The next section of the survey asked SANDCASTLE DAYS attendees about their stay on SPI. In this section, the "net promoter" question was used to determine how likely survey respondents are to recommend SPI as a place to visit to friends or colleagues.

Recommendation likelihood Net promoter score


Figure 6. Net promoter score

The results, shown in Figure 6, indicate that most study respondents (91.5\%) are promoters of SPI while (1.1\%) are detractors. This yields a net promoter score (NPS) of 90, which is excellent. For example, the hotel industry has an NPS of 39 (www.netpromoter.com/compare).

Respondents were asked how likely they are to return to SPI and how satisfied they were with the event. As seen in Figure 7, by far most respondents ( $97.4 \%$ ) are extremely and somewhat likely to return to the Island at some time in the future.

Likelihood of returning to SPI


Figure 7. Likelihood of returning to SPI in the FUTURE

Respondents were also asked to indicate their satisfaction with the SPI experience and with the event. Result shown in Figure 8 indicate that 99.1\% were satisfied with the SPI experience and that $0.4 \%$ were extremely and somewhat dissatisfied with SPI.

Satisfaction with SPI experience


Figure 8. Satisfaction with SPI experience

# Satisfaction with event 



Figure 9. Satisfaction with event
Most respondents (98.2\%) were also satisfied with the event and only $1.3 \%$ reported being dissatisfied with the event as seen in Figure 9.

## NOTE: Respondents were asked to provide suggestions for improving their stay on SPI. The unedited comments are as follows:

- Make the event longer
- AdVERTISE THIS TO THE VALLEY MORE
- Keeping the beach CLEAN - NO TRASH!
- Free shade, dog

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- Where to get paid for seating
- More shade available, CANOPY WITH
WATER/MORE FANS
- LONGER SANDCASTLE DAYS! 2 WEEKS!
- Chalrs
- More food bar ran OUT OF FOOD
- More polite security
- Larger sandcastle DAYS
- Televisions
- More areas to SANDCASTLES
- More Sandcastles
- IMPROVE PARKING ARRANGEMENTS
- Better parking
- Better parking more SHOWERS AND BATHROOMS
- Other local vendors, MORE SANDCASTLE exhibit, kid events, ENCOURAGE FAMILY EVENTS
- More shade
- More drinking water ON THE BEACH
- More staff to clean UP; MORE BATHROOMS
- More side walks
- Good place to come to
- Parking bad
- More parking
- Larger area for SCULPTURES
- ShUTtLE/TRANSPORT SERVICE FROM PARKING LOT TO BEACH; GOLF CARTS, ACCESSIBILITY, ETC.
- More sandcastles
- WORK ON ISLAND beautification. Comb

THE BEACHES EVERY MORNING. PLANT COCO PALM TREES LIKE THE ones in Florida. The AREA LOOKS TOO DEAD. The last time to plant A TREE WAS 40 YEARS AGO BUT... IT'S NEVER TOO LATE TO START. Have more shade for the sculptors. Also, be ABLE TO BRING YOUR OWN DRINKS TO THE BEACH AREA.

- IMPROVEMENTS: PAVE PARKING LOT, MORE SANDCASTLES, BE CLEAR ON VOTING FOR PEOPLE'S CHOICE, MORE FOOD VENDORS
- Free umbrellas/space
- NO DRUNKS OR INAPPROPRIATE MUSIC AS THIS IS A FAMILYORIENTED EVENT
- More music and WAITRESSES AT CLAYTON'S
- More music
- SETUP THIS YEAR IS BETTER
- More parking
- More Parking
- More parking
- Include face painting FOR KIDS
- Bring back the free CHAIRS
- COOLER TEMPS
- NeEDS TO GROW
- More shade
- More shade
- BIGGER PRIZES
- More space
- To see the name of the SCULPTURE
- More castles
- Parking
- Bigger!
- Great organization CLAYTONS IS GOOD LOOK FORWARD TO NEXT YEAR
- BIO INFO FROM MASTER COMPETITORS
- Spread the COMPETITION OUT DOWN THE BEACH- UNDERSTAND TIDE \& WEATHER CONCERNS BUT IT'S JUST NOT SO ENJOYABLE WITH IT BEING SO CRAMPED
- PARKING
- More events on the SIDE
- Live entertainment, BUFFET BREAKFAST, DJ, RUNNING EVENT, LUNCH BUFFET, CARNIVAL, LIGHTS AT NIGHT, MORE ADVERTISEMENTS WITH RADIOS TO BRING IN MORE PEOPLE NEARBY AND FAR
- More money for SCULPTURES
- "MORE MONEY FOR COMPETITION
- Need to know that it is PET FRIENDLY"


## Respondent Demographics

The remainder of the study assessed respondent demographic characteristics.
Targeted survey respondents were those $18+$ years and the average age of all respondents was 48 years-of-age with ages ranging from 18 to 89 .

Most respondents were female (67.5\%), a majority were married (65.9\%) and most had some type of college degree (54.2\%) as shown in Figures 10 through 12, respectively.


Figure 11. Gender
Figure 12. Marital status

## Educational attainment



Figure 10. Educational attainment

## Employment status



Figure 13. Employment status

Most study respondents work full-time (62.1\%), although 8.7\% work part-time and $21.6 \%$ are retired as seen in Figure 13.

## Household income level



Figure 14. Household income level

Most SANDCASTLE DAYS study participants reported having a higher-than-average household income level: $62.3 \%$ indicated an annual household income above $\$ 50,000$ (Figure 14).

## Ethnicity



Figure 15. Ethnicity

Respondents were also asked to indicate their ethnicity but could select as many ethnicities as appropriate. Results in Figure 15 show that $65.8 \%$ of respondents considered themselves Hispanic while 29.3\% indicated being White.

Finally, respondents were asked to indicate their home country and current residence zip/postal code. Most respondents reported the United States as their home country (98.2\%) and 1.8\% indicated being from Mexico as shown in Figure 16.

## Home country



Mexico
$0.0 \%$

Canada

## Figure 16. Home country

Specific zip or postal codes maps of study respondents and of study participants are shown in Appendix B.

## STR Report

Additional data to provide evidence about the impact of an event on the SPI economy comes from the STR Destination Report provided to the SPI CVB. STR is a "global data benchmarking, analytics and marketplace insights" firm that gathers, analyzes and reports data from hotel owners/operators for benchmarking purposes. The Report includes data regarding hotel occupancy, average daily rate (ADR), revenue per available room (RevPAR), supply, demand, and revenue as provided by reporting SPI hotel owner/operators for last year as compared to this year. This data may be viewed in two ways. One way is to examine trends over the month to determine whether the hotel metrics changed because of an event as compared to the rest of the month and the other way is to compare metrics during the event time to those of the same time period in the previous year.

Occupancy trends by day and by year


Figure 17. STR occupancy rates by day and year

Sandcastle Days was held on Oct 3-6th. This means that event attendees could have spent a total of four nights on SPI. The following figures show the hotel metrics for the event period (the month trend) for this year and for the same period as last year (the year trend).

The occupancy rate for the four-night period this year was 65.5\%, as compared to 58.3\% last year, which is $17.1 \%$ above the same day-period last year. This year's event period was above the week average ( $56.6 \%$ ) as well as the 28 -day rate of $59.1 \%$ as seen in Figure 17.

Average daily rate trends by day and by year
140.00
120.00 100.00 80.00 60.00 40.00 20.00 0.00


Thas This Year Last Year

Figure 18. Average daily rate

The average daily rate (ADR) of rooms for this year's event period was $\$ 95,3 \%$ above room rates compared to $\$ 92$, the same time last year. The average room rate for this year's event period was also higher than the rate for the week (\$92.95) and almost the same as the 28-day period ( $\$ 95.32$ ) as shown in Figure 18.

Figure 19 shows the revenue per available room (RevPAR) for the same year/monthlong time period. The average RevPAR for the four nights of the event was $\$ 63$, which is $20.8 \%$ above last year's same-period average of $\$ 55$. This year's RevPAR was also above the average week rate (52.61) and this year's 28 day-period rate of 56.31.

Revenue per available room trends by day and year


Figure 19. STR RevPar by day and year

Demand trends by day and year


Figure 20. STR demand trends by day and year

The demand trend in Figure 20 shows an increase this year over last year. Room demand for this year's event period was 1,780 rooms as compared to last year's same four-day period average of 1,585 rooms, an increase of $17.1 \%$. Room demand during event night. It was also was above the daily average demand for the month $(1,606)$ and for the week $(1,538)$.

Total lodging revenue for this year's event-period was also higher than last years by 20.9\%. This year's SANDCASTLE DAYS four-night revenue averaged $\$ 171,507$ whereas last year's same-day revenue was $\$ 150,644$ as seen in Figure 21. The average revenue is also higher than this year's month average revenue $(\$ 153,043)$ and for the week (\$142,983).

Revenue trends by day and year
400,000
300,000
200,000
100,000


Figure 21. STR revenue trends by day and year

## STR hotel trend data Comparison of same day this year to last



Figure 22. STR hotel trend data 4-day comparison
Finally, Figure 22 summarizes the average percent change in hotel occupancy, ADR, RevPAR, Demand, and Revenue for the final nights of that SANDCASTLE DAYS attendees would have spent the night on the Island were positive.

The STR data suggests that SANDCASTLE DAYS could have resulted in an increase in lodging occupancy and rates over the week or month period as compared to the same four-day period as last year. In addition, other events held during the same four-day period this year or last year may have resulted differences in STR metrics.

Note: The STR data is derived from 11 hotel owner/operator reporting data for this year and last year. This represents $35.5 \%$ of the census of 31 open hotels listed in the STR Census and $31.4 \%$ of the hotel rooms listed, thus all results should be interpreted accordingly without a high degree of assurances of generalizability.

## Sandcastle Days 2019

This survey is to understand your household experience and spending during Sandcastle 2019. The one person, older than 18, best able to report on spending for all people in your household at the event should complete this survey. Responses are very important to planning future events, As a thank you, you may enter a drawing for a 2 -night stay at the Schlitterbahn Beach Resort. Responses are confidential and individual information will not be included in survey results or shared with others.

1. Have you or someone else in your household already completed 11. On a scale from 0-10, how likely are you to recommend South
this survey? DYes $\square$ No If yes, return this survey.
2. Did you come to South Padre Island specifically for Sandcastle Days? DYes No
3. **About how many miles did you travel to attend this event?
4. Which of the following best describes your participation at this event? (Check all that apply)

- Registrant/Sandcastle Competitor

| Spectator | Event volunteer/staff |
| :--- | :--- |
| Event sponsor/vendor |  |
| Did not attend |  |
| Other | (write in answer) |

Other $\qquad$ (write in answer)
5. *Including yourself, how many people from your household attended the event? $\qquad$ Number in household
6. How many nights did you (or will you) spend on South Padre Island while attending this event? $\square$
7.**Where are you staying (or did stay) while on South Padre island for this event?
$\square$ Hotel/motel Rented condo/beach house Campground/RV park
$\square$ Rented a room $\square$ My own SPl residence Friend/family residence (unpaid) $\square$ Not spending the night Other (please specify)
8. *if Hotel/Motel selected, provide name
9. Which Sandcastle days did you attend and/or will you attend? (check all that apply)
WED OCT $2^{\text {nd }}$
THU OCT $3^{\text {rd }}$
FRI OCT $4^{\text {th }}$
SAT OCT $5^{\text {h }}$
SUN OCT $6^{\text {th }}$
10. **Please give your best estimate of the total amount you and your houschold spent (or will spend) during your entire time in South Padre Island for Sandcastle.
(List only total dollar amounts spent on SPl)
Food \& beverages (restaurants, concessions,

## snacks, etc.)

Night clubs, lounges \& bars (cover charges, drinks, etc.)

Lodging expenses (hotel, motel, condo, room)
Local attractions \& entertainment
(fishing, snorkeling, kayaking, etc.)
Retail shopping (souvenirs, gifts, film, etc.)
Transportation (gas, oil, taxi, etc.)
Parking fees \$
SPI Admission fees $\$$
Clathing or accessories . \$
Groceries
Other (please specify)

## Padre Island as a place to visit to a friend or colleague?

Not at all likely $\begin{array}{llllllllllll}0 & 1 & 2 & 3 & 4 & 5 & 6 & 7 & 8 & 9 & 10 & \text { Extremely likely }\end{array}$
12. How likely are you to return to South Padre Island for a vacation at some time in the future?
Dextremely likely Somewhat likely Neutral QSomewhat unlikely Extremely unlikely
13. How satisfied are you with your overall South Padre Island experience?
$\square$ Extremely satisfied Somewhat satisfied Neutral $\square$ Somewhat dissatisfied Extremely dissatisfied
14. How satisfied are you with the event?
$\square$ Extremely satisfied Somewhat satisfied Neutral $\square$ Somewhat dissatisfied Extremely dissatisfied
15.**What suggestions do you have for improving Sandcastle Days or your stay in South Padre Island? (write on back)
16. What is your hame zip or postal code? $\qquad$
17. What is vour home country?

ロUS Mexico Canada DOther $\qquad$
18. What is your age? $\qquad$ (years of age)
19. What is your gender? Male $\square$ Female $\square$ Gender diverse Prefer not to answer
20. What is your marital status? $\square$ Married $\square$ Single $\square$ Widowed DDivorced/separated
21. What is your highest educational attainment?

Lless than high school DAssociate's degree
$\square$ Bigh school graduate Bachelor's degree $\square$ Some college, no degree DGraduate/professional degree
22. What is your current employment status?

| $\square$ Work full-time | Retired within past year |
| :--- | :--- |
| Work part-time | Retired more than 1 year | Dunemployed (loaking for a job) DOther (Please specify)

23. What is your combined annual household income?

Dless than $\$ 20,000 \square \mathbf{~} \quad$ 60K- $\$ 69,999$

- $\$ 20 \mathrm{~K}-\$ 29,999 \quad$ 口 $\$ 70 \mathrm{~K}-\$ 79,999$
- 

■ $\$ 40 K-\$ 49,999$ - $\$ 100 K-\$ 149,999$

- $\$ 50 \mathrm{~K}$ - $\$ 59,999$ - $\$ 150,000$ or more

24. What is your ethnicity? (Select all that apply) $\square$ White Hispanic Mixed $\square$ Black DAsian Other
Enter the drawing for a 2-night stay al the Schlitterbahn Beach Resort. Contact information is confidential and will be deleted after the drasing. Name
Phone number:
Email:
Winners will be notified no later than 1 week after event.

## Appendix B: Zip code map

The following showcases the Sandcastle Sculptors zip codes and names provided by the 2019 Sandcastle Days sponsor.

2019 Master Sculptors:
ZIP CODES OR COUNTRY:

| Abe Waterman | 94122 |
| :---: | :---: |
| Andrew Daily | 34231 |
| Bruce Q Peck | 34212 |
| Christy Atkinson | 77856 |
| Edith Van De Wetering | Hoofdstraat 6 g 9968 AB Pieterburen, Holland |
| Emerson Schreiner | 49506 |
| Greg J Grady | 03038 |
| John Joaquin Cortez | 76446 |
| Lucinda Wierenga | 78597 |
| Ludo Roders | 3022 RE Rotterdam, Holland |
| Walter C McDonald | 78597 |
| Wilifred Stijger | Hoofdstraat 6 g 9968 AB Pieterburen, Holland |
| 2019 Amateau Sculptors: | Zip Codes: |
| Magic Tables Mamas/J Schmidt | 79414 |
| Los Morrocoyos/M Mendoza | 78665 |
| Phrank's Phun/F Elkins | 74131 |
| Sand Pitty/S Nagy | 76513 |
|  | 78578 |
| Sand Camp/M Milier | 78728 |
| Sandbaggers/A Lucio | 78566 |
| Beach Bum/B Reynolds | 78666 |
| San Marcos Suns/M Foster | 78155 |
| Suns of San Marcos/C Martin |  |

The following showcases the zip codes gathered by the SPI Survey Team at Sandcastle Days 2019.

SURVEYS ZIPCODES





SURVEYS ZIPCODES


[^3]Appendix C: Survey Picture Evidence




## Sandcastle Days 2019 Drone Picture Analysis



Beginning of the event for the day. 131 people pictured.


People are arriving to see the almost finished products. 143 people pictured.


In just 1 hour, the amount more than doubles. Sandcastles are nearing completion. 344 people pictured.


Crowd remains steady. Influx has slowed down. 345 people present.


Crowd picks up once again. Some of the sand artworks are completed. Sandcastle building class also attracts a small crowd. 445 people pictured.


People keep pouring in to see the finished products. There are still some incomplete, but most are now done. 553 people pictured.


More people are still arriving. Announcement is made that a local band will perform shortly, so some head to the stage area. 568 people pictured.


Spectators are still arriving to admire the sandcastles. Most are complete. Local band is also performing. 547 people pictured.


People still continue to pour in to the event. Local band continues to perform along with a pause for an environmental awareness show. 696 people pictured.


Beginning of the event for the day. 113 people pictured.


Crowd sized almost triples as people come to view the finished products. 301 people pictured.


Crowd increases steadily as more people arrive to view the artwork. 355 people pictured.


Crowd continues to grow and announcement is made that the bar is once again open. 406 people present.


Local band shows up once again. Announcement to support local vendors is made. Crowd shifts back toward the stage area. 348 people pictured.


Saturday Oct. 6, 2019, 2:30 pm: Crowd once again picks up to see the finished sandcastles as well as the music entertainment. 394 people pictured.


Crowd dwindles as event is nearing closure. 278 people pictured.

Drone videos and on the ground interview evidence were also recorded at the event on Saturday Oct $5^{\text {th }}$ and Sunday Oct $6^{\text {th }}$. They will be provided to the CVB team in the upcoming weeks.

Videos will be finally posted on the Business and Tourism Research Center at the University of Texas Rio Grande Valley YouTube account. Click the link to stay alert for the latest videos.
https://www.youtube.com/channel/UCmhzTG8c4y5iiB-RDacRPCw

# CITY OF SOUTH PADRE ISLAND <br> SPECIAL EVENTS COMMITTEE AGENDA REQUEST FORM 

MEETING DATE: July 14, 2022

NAME \& TITLE: Linette Hernandez, Management Assistant

DEPARTMENT: Special Events Committee

ITEM
Discussion and possible action to approve the funding request for Aurora Fest in September 2022. (Brown)

ITEM BACKGROUND
First time event requesting $\$ 49,000$ for 2022

BUDGET/FINANCIAL SUMMARY
02-593-8099

COMPREHENSIVE PLAN GOAL
N/A

## LEGAL REVIEW

Sent to Legal: No
Approved by Legal: No

## RECOMMENDATIONS/COMMENTS:

## SOUTH PADRE ISLAND EVENT FUNDING APPLICATION

To apply for funding please complete all questions.

## ORGANIZATION INFORMATION

Date Application Submitted: June 07, 2022
Name of Organization: A-Town Productions
Address: 16630 Martinez-Losoya Rd
City, State, Zip: San Antonio, texas 78221

Full Name:
Arturo Rios
Office Number:
210-574-1299

Website for Event or Sponsoring Entity:
Non-Profit or For-Profit Status:
$\qquad$
Primary Purpose of Organization:
Music \& Family Event

E-Mail:
abcc.rios7@gmail.com
Cell Phone Number:
210-574-1299

Tax ID \#:
356661103

## EVENT INFORMATION

Name of Event: "Aurora Festival" - Show of Stars and Lights

Date(s) of Event:
Sept. 24, 2022

Primary Location of the Event:
Cameron County Amphitheater

If greater than previous year funded (if applicable), please explain the increase being requested:

## Primary Purpose of Event:

To have an annual Music and Family event during off peak periods in South Padre Island

How will the hotel tax funds be used? Please attach a list of the hotel tax funded expenditures.
Marketing purposes, Radio spots, TV Ads, Flyers, Banners, Web-Site, Social Media DJ's, and Social Media.

Are you asking for any cost reductions for city facility rentals or city services? Please quantify and explain.

## AMOUNT REQUESTED UNDER EACH CATEGORY

Advertising, Solicitations, Promotional programs to attract tourists and convention delegates or registrants to the municipality or its vicinity. Amount requested under this category:

## \$: \$49,000.00

Expenses including promotional expenses, directly related to a sporting event in which the majority of participants are tourists. The event must substantially increase economic activity at hotels within the city or its vicinity. Amount requested under this category:
$\$ 0$

## QUESTIONS FOR ALL FUNDING REQUEST CATEGORIES

How many years have you held this event?

## will be 1st

Attendance for previous year (if applicable):
How many of the attendees are expected to be from more than 75 miles away?
1,500
How many people attending the event will use South Padre Island lodging establishments?
1,500-2,500
How many nights do you anticipate the majority of the tourists will stay?
2-nights
Will you reserve a room block for this event at area hotel(s)? yes
Where and how many rooms will be blocked?

## 40 Rooms @ Ramada, 50 Rooms @ Padre South, <br> 40 Rooms @ Holiday Inn, 20 Rooms @ Light House

List other years (over the last three years) that you have hosted your event, please include the amount of assistance given from HOT funding and the number of hotel rooms used:

Month/Year Held Assistance Amount \# of Hotels Used

How will you measure the impact of your event on area hotel activity (e.g.; room block usage information, a survey of hoteliers, etc.!?
Cameron County Box Office, On-Line ticket sales, and Web-site, Room Block Package.
Please list other sponsors, organizations, and grants that have offered financial support to your event:

Will the event charge admission? If so, what is the cost per person/group?

## General Admission \$25, - VIP \$75, \$55, and \$45.

Do you anticipate a net profit from the event? If so. what is the anticipated amount and how will it be used?

If profit it established, we would use $\$ 20 \%$, for next event to continue to bring persons to Island for Music events during off-peak periods.

Please list all promotion efforts your organization is planning and the amount estimated for each media outlet. Please attach a detailed marketing budget.


| Website $\$:$ | $\frac{\$ 4,000.00}{\text { Social Media }} \$: \frac{\$ 2,500.00}{\$ 2,500.00}$ |
| ---: | :--- |

Other Digital Advertising \$:
\$2,500.00

A link to the CVB must be included on your promotional handouts and on your website for booking hotel nights during this event.

What other marketing initiatives are you planning to promote hotel and convention activity for this event?
Sponsers, Bill Boards, TV Ads, - Texas and Mexico Markets

Who is your target audience?
State of Texas, Dallas, Austin, San Antonio, Corpus Christi, Valley and Mexico
What geographic region(s) are you marketing to?
North Texas, Central Texas, South Texas Valley and Mexico
Have you obtained the insurance required and who is the carrier?
\$3,000.00 - Eventsured
During the term of this agreement, the event organizer shall procure and keep in force insurance with limits of $\$ 1,000,000$ per occurrence and 2,000,000 general aggregate. The policy must contain a policy endorsement that names "The City of South Padre Island, it's elected officials, representatives, employees or agents" as additionally insured. Applicant must provide a copy of the actual endorsement.

## SOUTH PADRE ISLAND EVENT FUNDING CHECKLIST

To apply for funding please provide all the required documents.

## Name of Event:

## On the Island October Super Music Fest



Received and understood the separate Special Events Policy (REQUIRED)
Received and understood the separate HOT Funding Guidelines (REQUIRED)
Completed the South Padre Island Event Funding Application form (REQUIRED)
Enclosed a description of all planned activities or schedule of events (REQUIRED)
Enclosed a complete detailed budget (REQUIRED)
Enclosed an advertising/marketing and promotion plan (REQUIRED)
In Room night projections, with back-up, for the Funded Event (REQUIRED)
I agree: Any marketing for the event must be consistent with the brand image for South Padre Island and all such marketing pieces that are funded with hotel tax must be in accordance. (REQUIRED)

I agree: The SPICVB will require access to event participant database information that will show zip code data to measure likely impact from the funded event. (REQUIRED)

Enclosed a sponsor list (categorized by "confirmed" and "pending")
Enclosed a vendor/exhibitor list (categorized by "confirmed" and "pending)
Enclosed an event map
Enclosed security/safety plans
Enclosed copies of promotional materials (if available)
Enclosed a summary of previous special event experience of organizer(s)
Enclosed a history of event (if previously produced)


Indicated the type(s) of assistance requested
Indicated the amount of financial support (if requested)

## Authorized Signature

## Date

## A-Town Productions

| ARTIST - Kingz One - Michael Salgado, - | SCALING 78 tickets @ \$ \$ 75 |
| :---: | :---: |
| La Sombra | 182 _ tickets @ \$ \$ 55 |
| Date(s) of Show September 24, 2022 | 536 _ tickets @ \$ \$ \$45 |
| VENUE Cameron County Amphitheater | 4044 _tickets @ \$ \$ 30 |
| Venue Address 53550 Dolphin Cove | 50 Artist Comps |
| South Padre Island Texas 78597 | 100 Venue Comps |
| Venue Manager__ Arturo Rios | 100 Media Comps |
| Venue Phone___ 210-574-1299 | 5,000 _Total Capacity |
| Venue Website |  |
| Show Schedule | Day of Show Ticket Price __ \$25 |
| Door Time 6:00pm | Artist Billing (circle) Headline OR Support |
| Support 1 Name L_ La Sombra | Show Time $\quad 7: 30 \mathrm{pm}$ |
| Support 2 Name __ Michael Salgado | Show Time _ 9:00pm |
| Headliner Name _ Kingz One | Show Time _ 10:30pm |

## PAYMENT TERMS

\$
Plus OR Versus (circle) $\qquad$ \% OVER \$ guarantee

Additional terms as discussed with Agent (meals, hotels, airfare/travel, backline, etc.) $\qquad$

## MISC. DEAL NOTES (Please fill out completely)

Describe the event _Family Music Super Fest

| Age Limit +18 | Indoor OR Outdoor Show (circle) |
| :---: | :---: |
| If outdoor, will the stage be covered? YES Is | Is this a Rain or Shine event? NO |
| Venue History (Previous Acts that have performed at Venue) | e) No |
| Production Contact (Name / Contact numbers/Email -) First Born ProductionsAdolf Garcia 956-346-8626 |  |
|  |  |
| Ticket Counts Contact (Name / Contact numbers/Email) Cameron County Amphitheater |  |
| Radio (List call letters) KLMO (San Antonio, Houston, Victoria, Austin) - Super Tejano 102.1 (Valley), - Latino (Austin) 102.7- La Mega 105.9 XHNA (Matamoros) $\qquad$ |  |
| Stage Size 91 feet $\times 50$ feet $\quad$ Number of Dre | ressing Rooms 4 |
| Ticket Purchase (Location(s)/Website) Cameron County Amp | mphitheater Box office and Website |

## A-Town Productions

## BUYER INFORMATION

Buyer Company $\qquad$
Contract Signatory $\qquad$
Fax $\qquad$
Address $\qquad$

All A-Town Productions clients require a 20\% deposit due upon receiving contracts unless otherwise agreed to.

All merchandise rates are $100 \%$ to Artist unless otherwise agreed to.
Purchaser to provide and pay for sound, lights and Artist rider as required by Artist.
Purchaser to provide ticket counts to A-Town Productions on Mondays and Thursdays. Counts should be called in to 210-574-1299 or e-mailed to abcc.rios77@gmail.com by 12:00 Noon CST on ticket count days.

Sponsorships including radio station and/or "Presents" must be approved in writing by Artist's management.

By my signature below, I represent and warrant that I have the right and authority to submit this offer on behalf of my company or client. I understand that this offer is binding upon verbal confirmation of Artist.

## A-Town Productions

Keturn completed form to Arturo Rios (210) 574-1299 or e-mail docc.rios7@gmail.com A-Town Productions EXPENSES

| TYPE | Amount (USD) | Per Ticket (USD) | Percent | Budget Max Amount (USD) |
| :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: | :---: |
| Advertising | \$49,000.00 |  |  | \$100,000.00 |
| ASCAP/BMI / SESAC |  |  |  |  |
| Backline | \$ |  |  |  |
| Barricades |  |  |  |  |
| Box Office |  |  |  |  |
| Catering |  |  |  |  |
| Cleanup | \$2,000.00 |  |  |  |
| Credit Cards |  |  |  |  |
| Equip. Rental |  |  |  |  |
| Forklift |  |  |  |  |
| Hotels | \$3,500.00 |  |  |  |
| House Expense |  |  |  |  |
| Insurance | \$3,000.00 |  |  |  |
| Licenses/Permits |  |  |  |  |
| Loaders |  |  |  |  |
| Medical |  |  |  |  |
| Monitors |  |  |  |  |
| Parking |  |  |  |  |
| Phone |  |  |  |  |
| Police | \$4,000.00 |  |  |  |
| Power |  |  |  |  |
| Production Mgr. | \$2,500.00 |  |  |  |
| Production | \$16,000.00 |  |  |  |
| Rent | \$10,000.00 |  |  |  |
| Riggers |  |  |  |  |
| Runners |  |  |  |  |
| Security |  |  |  |  |
| Security T- Shirt | \$2,500.00 |  |  |  |
| Setup |  |  |  |  |
| Sound \& Lights |  |  |  |  |
| Staffing | \$1,000.00 |  |  |  |
| Stage |  |  |  |  |
| Stagehands |  |  |  |  |
| Support |  |  |  |  |
| Ticket Printing |  |  |  |  |
| Ticket Takers |  |  |  |  |
| Towels |  |  |  |  |
| Transportation | \$1,000.00 |  |  |  |
| Travel | \$1,000.00 |  |  |  |
| Ushers | \$1,000.00 |  |  |  |
| EMS | \$1,000.00 |  |  |  |
| Artist Fees | \$37,500.00 |  |  |  |
| Total | \$135,000.00 |  |  | \$100,000.00 |









## DRESSING ROOMS

There is a total of 3 trailers that a e provided as dressing rooms. These trailers come with all the amenities needed for any/all artitt.

NOTE: Additional trailers will be provided upon request.

## INTERNET ACCESS

WIFI
Throughout V nue/Backstage

## BACKSTAGE \& LOADING DOđK ACCESS

The access road to backstage is locat d approximately $700^{\prime}$ south of Isla Blanca Park main entrance on 33174 State Park Rd 100. The road is pccessible to trailers up to $53^{\prime}$ in length. Due to space limitations, Semis need to come in and be staged before buses arrive. There is one loading dock and is at stage level with a 50 ' straight push onto stage right.



# CITY OF SOUTH PADRE ISLAND <br> SPECIAL EVENTS COMMITTEE AGENDA REQUEST FORM 

MEETING DATE: July 14, 2022

NAME \& TITLE: Linette Hernandez, Management Assistant

DEPARTMENT: Convention and Visitors Bureau

## ITEM

Discussion and possible action to approve the funding request for Concerts on the Greens in September/October 2022. (Brown)

## ITEM BACKGROUND

First time event requesting

BUDGET/FINANCIAL SUMMARY
02-593-8099

COMPREHENSIVE PLAN GOAL
N/A

## LEGAL REVIEW

Sent to Legal: No
Approved by Legal: No

## RECOMMENDATIONS/COMMENTS:

# CITY OF SOUTH PADRE ISLAND <br> SPECIAL EVENTS COMMITTEE AGENDA REQUEST FORM 

MEETING DATE: July 14, 2022

NAME \& TITLE: Silvia Sanchez

DEPARTMENT: Convention and Visitors Bureau

## ITEM

Discussion and action concerning the new meeting date for August 2022. (Brown)

ITEM BACKGROUND
N/A

## BUDGET/FINANCIAL SUMMARY

N/A

COMPREHENSIVE PLAN GOAL
N/A

## LEGAL REVIEW

Sent to Legal: No
Approved by Legal: No
RECOMMENDATIONS/COMMENTS:


[^0]:    Linette Hernandez, CVB Management Assistant

[^1]:    During the term of this agreement, the event organizer shall procure and keep in force insurance with limits of $\$ 1,000,000$ per occurrence and 2,000,000 general aggregate. The policy must contain a policy endorsement that names "The City of South Padre Island, it's elected officials, representatives, employees or agents" as additionally insured. Applicant must provide a copy of the actual endorsement.

[^2]:    Print Name

[^3]:    

