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VENUE TAX WORKSHOP SCHEDULED

South Padre Island, TX, Jan. 13, 2017: The City of South Padre Island will host the first workshop regarding the two percent Venue Tax passed by voters in November 2016. The workshop is scheduled for Wednesday, Jan. 18, 2017 at 1 p.m. on the South Padre Island City Hall Council Chamber, located on 4601 Padre Boulevard.

This workshop is intended to provide an opportunity for stakeholders and staff to prioritize the highest and best use for these expected revenues. The itinerary will include presentations about each project.

The ballot measure passed authorized the City of South Padre Island to provide for the planning, design, development, acquisition, renovation and construction of a convention center annex, Padre Boulevard medians and improvements, amphitheaters(s), improvements for sports and community venue projects and related land purchase, automobile parking facility and related land purchase or on land or facilities owned by the City of South Padre Island; and to impose a hotel occupancy tax at the rate of 2% for the purpose of financing the venue project.

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