ORDINANCE NO. 13-03A

AN ORDINANCE OF THE CITY OF SOUTH PADRE ISLAND, TEXAS, AMENDING SECTION 18-19.2 OF CHAPTER 18 OF THE CODE OF ORDINANCES TO PROHIBIT OVERNIGHT PARKING IN OR ON A CUL-DE-SAC EAST OF THE EAST RIGHT-OF-WAY LINE OF GULF BOULEVARD FROM MARCH 1 TO SEPTEMBER 15 BETWEEN THE HOURS OF 12:01 A.M. AND 6:00 A.M. EXCEPT AURORA CIRCLE, SURF CIRCLE AND HARBOR CIRCLE. THE PROHIBITED HOURS ARE BETWEEN 2:01 A.M. AND 6:00 A.M.; PROVIDING FOR A PENALTY FOR VIOLATION NOT TO EXCEED FIVE HUNDRED DOLLARS ($500.00); PROVIDING FOR SEVERABILITY; AND AUTHORIZING PUBLICATION IN CAPTION FORM.

WHEREAS, Section 18-19.1 of the Code of Ordinances restricts parking on residential side streets from March 1 to September 15; and

WHEREAS, currently overnight parking is prohibited year-round on the cul-de-sacs east of Gulf Boulevard with the exception of Aurora, Surf and Harbor Circles where the prohibition begins at 2:01 am; and

WHEREAS, to lessen confusion the cul-de-sac overnight prohibition should correlate with the residential side streets dates of restriction.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SOUTH PADRE ISLAND, TEXAS:

Section 1. Sec. 18-19.2 of Chapter 18 of the Code of Ordinances of the City of South Padre Island is hereby amended to read as follows:

“Sec. 18-19.2 Over Night Parking Prohibited on Cul-de-Sacs east of Gulf Blvd.

No person shall stop, stand or park a vehicle in or on a cul-de-sac east of the east Right-of-way line of Gulf Boulevard from March 1 to September 15 between the hours of 12:01 A.M. and 6:00 A.M., except Aurora Circle, Surf Circle and Harbor Circle. The prohibited hours are between 2:01 A.M. and 6:00 A.M.”

Section 2. This Ordinance repeals all portions of any prior ordinances or parts of ordinances of the Code of Ordinances in conflict herewith.

Section 3. Any violation of this Ordinance may be punished by a fine not to exceed Five Hundred Dollars ($500.00) for each offense or for each day such offense shall continue and the penalty provisions of Section 21-1 of the Code of Ordinances is hereby adopted and incorporated for all purposes.

Section 4. If for any reason any section, paragraph, subdivision, clause, phrase, word or provision of this Ordinance shall be held invalid or unconstitutional by final judgment of a court of competent jurisdiction, it shall not affect any other section, paragraph, subdivision, clause, phrase, word or provision of this Ordinance for it is the definite intent of this City Council that
every section, paragraph, subdivision, clause, phrase, word or provision hereof be given full force and effect for its purpose.

Section 5. This Ordinance shall become effective when published in summary form or by publishing its caption.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED on First Reading, this 6th day of March 2013.

PASSED, APPROVED AND ADOPTED on Second Reading, this 20th day of March 2013.

ATTEST:

Susan Hill, CITY SECRETARY

CITY OF SOUTH PADRE ISLAND, TEXAS

ROBERT N. PINKERTON, JR., MAYOR