ISLAND VIBES

the Official Newsletter for the City of South Padre Island

UPCOMING MEETINGS

Tuesday • June 9th
3:00 PM · Shoreline Task Force

View upcoming meetings, live stream in session, & watch archived meetings here.

UPCOMING EVENTS

Saturday Recycling
Date: Every Saturday
Time: 8:00 a.m. to 11:00 a.m.
Where: 4501 Padre Blvd
Click here for event details.

South Padre Island Birding, Nature Center & Alligator Sanctuary Wild Reads at the Wetlands
Date: June 6th, 13th, 20th, 27th
Time: 12:45 p.m. - 1:25 p.m.
Where: 6801 Padre Boulevard
Click here for event details.

Silver Clay Jewelry Workshop
Date: June 6th
Time: 11:00 a.m.
Where: Art Business Incubator
Click here for event details.

There's no shortage of events happening on South Padre Island! Click here to join the fun and see what's happening.

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Pet of the Week

Lucky is a senior cat that has lived with other cats. Lucky was one of four cats brought in when an Island resident could no longer care for them. He is affectionate and loving. Meet your future fur friend at Friends of Animal Rescue at 4908 Padre Blvd. Complete the adoption application here.

COUNCIL HIGHLIGHTS

Below are highlights from the June 3, 2026 Regular City Council Meeting!

- Approval of Resolution No. 2026-08 supporting the designation of the Sabal Palm as the Official State Palm of Texas.
- Approval of $11,394 budget amendment for additional lighting at John L. Tompkins Park to extend the hours of operation.
- Approval of the first reading of Ordinance No. 26-14 amending Chapter 25 Parks, Recreation, and Beautification of the Code of Ordinances of the City of South Padre Island as recommended by the Ad Hoc Committee, City Attorney, and City Staff.

To watch this meeting online click or scan the QR code.

The Island Metro's Newest Amenity

The City of South Padre Island is proud to announce the Island Metro's newest amenity. 16 new universal electric vehicle superchargers will be installed at the Island Metro Multi-Modal Park and Ride facility located at 321 Padre Boulevard. Click here to learn more!

Welcome to South Padre Island!

The City of South Padre Island would like to welcome the **South Padre Athletic Training Seminar** to the South Padre Island Convention Center! From June 5th through June 7th, the South Padre Athletic Training Seminar will bring approximately 360 attendees to the Island! Local businesses keep an eye out for all the foot traffic!

Hurricane Preparedness

Need some help preparing for hurricane season? Don't wait until a storm is approaching; planning what to do in advance is an important part of being prepared. Use our handy list to get started on your preparations! Click here to view the list.

Top 10 Best Beach

South Padre Island's Beach at Isla Blanca has been voted the Best Beach in Texas by **USA TODAY 10Best** for the third year in a row! This recognition belongs to everyone who loves South Padre Island, from our visitors and community members to the local businesses and partners who help make this destination so special. Read more here!