

For Your Safety

and to help preserve this important natural habitat:

- STAY ON MARKED PATHS
- LEAVE PLANTS AND ANIMALS UNDISTURBED
- DISPOSE OF TRASH PROPERLY

South Padre Island and the surrounding waters host an amazing array of plants and animals. The island serves as a place where migrating birds, butterflies, and dragonflies can rest and eat, as well as a nursery for young fish and shellfish, and home to many unique species.





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The Problems with Trash and Pollution

Winds and currents bring trash and pollutants onto the Texas coast from boats, offshore oil platforms, rivers, and sewer run-off. Aquatic animals are hurt or killed when they eat or become tangled in the debris or are exposed to pollutants in the water. To keep our beaches and wetlands safe for people and wildlife, we must all work together to properly dispose of trash, chemicals, and sewage.





