

AGENDA COMBINED BOARD MEETING Bay County Tourist Development Council Panama City Beach Convention & Visitors Bureau, Inc. Panama City Beach 9:00 a.m.

Tuesday, November 8, 2022

Council Room, PCB City Hall

I. CALL MEETING TO ORDER

II. ROLL CALL

- A. Invocation
- B. Pledge of Allegiance
- C. Approve October 11, September 6, & September 21, 2022 Minutes

III. REQUESTS TO ADDRESS THE BOARD ON AGENDA ITEMS (3 Minutes)

IV. CONSENT AGENDA

A. Acknowledge Receipt of the September 2022 Tourist Development Tax Collection Report

V. PRESENTATIONS

A. Quarterly Visitor Research Update, Mr. Berkeley Young

VI. PRESIDENTS REPORT

VII. CHAIRMAN'S REPORT

- VIII. AUDIENCE PARTICIPATION
- IX. ADJOURNMENT

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MOTIONS PASSED AT THE SPECIAL CALLED BOARD MEETING, Tuesday, September 6, 2022

Approved Action Item A Mr. Phillips/Mr. Griffitts

SPECIAL CALLED BOARD MEETING Bay County Tourist Development Council Panama City Beach Convention & Visitors Bureau, Inc. Panama City Beach

Tuesday, September 6, 2022

9:00 a.m.

Council Room, PCB City Hall

I. CALL MEETING TO ORDER

Chairman Chester called the meeting to order at 9:00 a.m.

II. ROLL CALL

Five Members Present Four Absent: Mr. Jansen, Mr. Patronis, Mr. Walsingham, Mr. Wilkes A. Invocation

Mr. Chester gave the Invocation.B. Pledge of Allegiance

Ms. Pease led the Pledge of Allegiance.

III. REQUESTS TO ADDRESS THE BOARD ON AGENDA ITEMS (3 Minutes) None

IV. ACTION ITEM

A. Discuss and consider for approval a recommendation to the BOCC for Architecture Design Firm for the Western Region Resiliency Center, Project DR-4399-133-R (RFQ No. 22-51), Mr. Dan Rowe

Mr. Rowe stated that this is the portion of the Indoor Sports Center that has FEMA funding. Upon approval, this will then go to the County Commission for approval. Then at the next TDC/CVB board meeting, we will address the RFQ for the rest of the indoor sports center build. He then asked for a motion to approve the vendor rankings as the committee has outlined.

Mr. Phillips moved; seconded by Mr. Griffitts to approve. Motion passed unanimously

- V. PRESIDENTS REPORT NONE
- VI. AUDIENCE PARTICIPATION NONE
- VII. ADJOURNMENT

Respectfully submitted, Sharon Cook, Recording Secretary

TDC/CVB Special Called Board Meeting

MOTIONS PASSED AT THE COMBINED BOARD MEETING, Tuesday, September 21, 2022

Approve April 2022 and August 2022 Minutes Ms. Pease/Mr. Chester

Approved Consent Agenda Ms. Pease/Mr. Walsingham

Approved Action Item A Mr. Walsingham / Ms. Pease

Approved Action Item B Ms. Pease/Mr. Walsingham

TDC/CVB Combined Board Meeting

COMBINED BOARD MEETING Bay County Tourist Development Council Panama City Beach Convention & Visitors Bureau, Inc. Panama City Beach

Tuesday, September 21, 2022

9:00 a.m.

Council Room, PCB City Hall

I. CALL MEETING TO ORDER

Chairman Bailey called the meeting to order at 9:00 a.m.

II. ROLL CALL

Five Members Present Four Absent: Mr. Casto, Mr. Griffitts, Mr. Phillips, and Mr. Wilkes A. Invocation

Mr. Chester gave the Invocation.

- B. Pledge of Allegiance
 - Ms. Pease led the Pledge of Allegiance.
- C. Approve April 2022 and August 2022 Minutes

Ms. Pease moved; seconded by Mr. Chester to approve the minutes

Motion passed unanimously

III. REQUESTS TO ADDRESS THE BOARD ON AGENDA ITEMS (3 Minutes) None

IV. CONSENT AGENDA

Mr. Rowe read the Consent Agenda into the record.

A. Acknowledge Receipt of the July 2022 Tourist Development Tax Collection Report Ms. Pease moved; seconded by Mr. Walsingham to approve the Consent Agenda. Motion passed unanimously

V. ACTION ITEMS

A. Discuss and consider for approval RFQ 22-65 winning bid, Lose Design, to provide design services for the SABRE Center Project, Mr. Dan Rowe.

Mr. Rowe stated this is for the non-FEMA related construction at the sports complex. And, as requested by the TDC Board, the BOCC approved Lose Design for the FEMA related construction. Mr. Rowe then asked the board to accept the recommendation from selection committee of the overall ranking which makes Lose Design the highest-ranking vendor. This would mean the same design company would be doing the entire project.

Mr. Walsingham moved; seconded by Ms. Pease to approve Motion passed unanimously

B. Discuss and consider for approval the FY 2023 CVB/TDC Public Relations and Marketing/Media Plan, Ms. Jayna Leach, Ms. Gina Stouffer (LHG), Ms. Melonie Sturm, (Watauga) and Ms. Kelsey Anderson (Luckie).

Ms. Leach introduced the staff and team involved and asked several of them to give a review of the FY2023 PR and Marketing media plan.

Mr. Rowe highlighted that LHG Agency was instrumental during the aftermath of Hurricane Michael. Their support and guidance was a major factor in the success of telling our story post storm.

LHG, Watauga, and Luckie staff gave a summary of their plans for this year as well as new initiatives and remaining flexible with digital media.

The board discussed the aspects of the PR and Marketing plan. Mr. Rowe discussed the concept of "Competitive Conquesting" and how it is being intergraded as part of this year's strategy.

Ms. Leach then asked for a motion to approve the FY2023 plans. Ms. Pease moved; seconded by Mr. Walsingham to approve Motion passed unanimously

VI. PRESIDENTS REPORT

Mr. Rowe updated the board on his recent medical absence and praised the CVB staff for not missing a beat while he was out. He also stated that the FY23 Budgets and Programs of Work were all approved by the BOCC. He also said that included in the budget is Instagramable locations around the destination as well as a greater social media presence.

VII. CHAIRMAN'S REPORT NONE

VIII. AUDIENCE PARTICIPATION NONE

IX. ADJOURNMENT

Respectfully submitted, Sharon Cook, Recording Secretary

MOTIONS PASSED AT THE COMBINED BOARD MEETING, Tuesday, October 11, 2022

Approved Consent Agenda Mr. Patronis/Mr. Griffitts

Approved Purchase via Public Safety Funds Mr. Griffitts/Ms. Pease

COMBINED BOARD MEETING Bay County Tourist Development Council Panama City Beach Convention & Visitors Bureau, Inc. Panama City Beach

Tuesday, October 11, 2022

9:00 a.m.

Council Room, PCB City Hall

I. CALL MEETING TO ORDER

Chairman Bailey called the meeting to order at 9:00 a.m.

II. ROLL CALL

Six Members Present Three Absent: Mr. Casto, Mr. Jansen and Mr. Wilkes A. Invocation

- Mr. Chester gave the Invocation.
- B. Pledge of AllegianceMs. Pease led the Pledge of Allegiance.

III. REQUESTS TO ADDRESS THE BOARD ON AGENDA ITEMS (3 Minutes)

None

IV. CONSENT AGENDA

Mr. Rowe read the Consent Agenda into the record.

A. Acknowledge Receipt of the August 2022 Tourist Development Tax Collection Report

Mr. Patronis moved; seconded by Mr. Griffitts to approve the Consent Agenda.

Motion passed unanimously

V. PRESENTATIONS

A. Sales Update, Mr. Steve Bailey

Mr. Bailey gave a recap of the focus since he started in the Sales VP position. He discussed the goals and objectives of the Sales Department for FY23. He introduced the members of the Ambassador Program which joins local business partners as a team to promote events and the destination. He also discussed target markets including corporate incentive travel and group travel. Ms. Adami discussed the recent conference that Sales hosted, "Going on Faith". This was a very successful group conference. Mr. Bailey gave a summary of the success of that event. The Board discussed with Mr. Bailey about growing the Scuba Diving market. He stated that he had recently held a meeting with the local dive shops and are looking into growing that market. Mr. Rowe added that the CVB has been involved in the discussions with the sinking of ships for the artificial reefs.

Mr. Rowe also discussed that the international vacation rental management companies are coming back.

VI. PRESIDENTS REPORT

Mr. Rowe discussed the Pirates Fest and Renaissance event. He stated the event was a great success. He also said that the location was close to the area where the pavilion will be built.

He then discussed that Mr. Sanders will be transitioning out of his current position as he nears retirement. In doing so, Mr. Rowe announced the promotion of Patrick Stewart to Director of Special Events.

He thanked Mr. Griffitts for his service on the board as he is relinquishing he position to run for state office. Mr. Rowe also gave an update of the beach renouishment project. He also stated that the Visitor Information desk at the airport will be taken over by ECP. This was decided due to the fact the desk better serves the airport verses tourism promotion.

VII. CHAIRMAN'S REPORT

Mr. Chester thanked Mr. Griffitts for his service on the board. He encouraged the new Ambassadors to attend the CVB/TDC meetings.

Mr. Griffitts discussed the Sheriffs need for a new helicopter. He stated that the State of Florida will be funding the purchase, but it may take time. He asked the CVB to fund the purchase via the public safety funds with Bay County reimbursing the CVB when the state funding is received. Mr. Rowe said that this can be done via the public safety funds without doing it as a reimbursement. It can be done from the 10 percent public safety funds and he will change the allocation of the funds from other areas.

Mr. Sale asked the board to give staff the authority to fund the purchase legally and as agreed upon by all concerned parties.

Mr. Griffitts moved; seconded by Ms. Pease Motion passed unanimously

VIII. AUDIENCE PARTICIPATION NONE

IX. ADJOURNMENT

Respectfully submitted, Sharon Cook, Recording Secretary



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METHODOLOGY

Young Strategies, Inc. (YSI) developed a visitor impact model for PCBCVB that calculates monthly, quarterly and annual impact of five different visitor segments to PCB. YSI collects primary source data from multiple research and analytics platforms as well as surveys with visitors to PCB. The impact model builds on Tourist Development Tax and visitor metrics to calculate the impact of:

- 1. Visitors in paid hotel/motel accommodations
- 2. Visitors in paid condo, single home, misc. rentals
- 3. Rental property owner usage
- 4. Non-rental vacation property owner usage
- 5. Visiting friends and relatives who stayed in PCB with year-round residents
- 6. Day-trip visitors from outside of Bay County

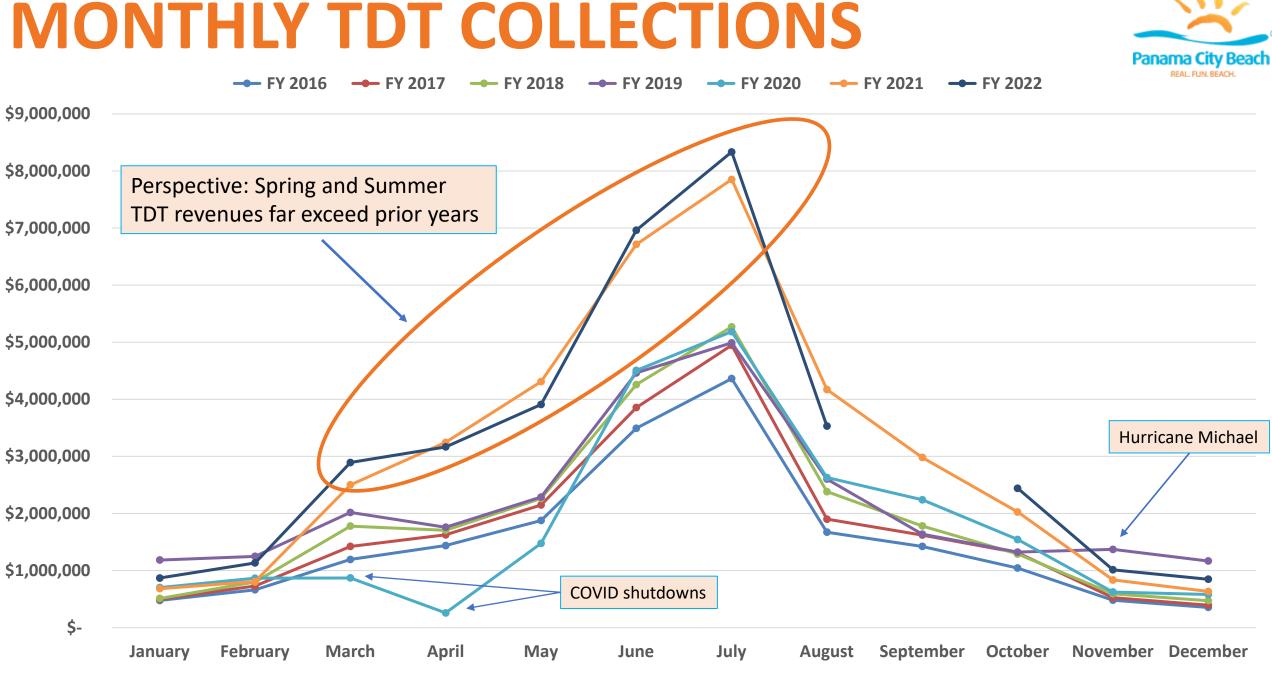
Data Sources -

- Tourist Development Tax Monthly Revenue Reports
- STR hotel data for PCB
- KeyData Dashboard lodging metrics for PCB
- AirDNA vacation rentals metrics for PCB
- □ VisaVue quarterly data from domestic travel expenditures in PCB
- NEAR mobile data for PCB
- US Census Bureau Data for PCB
- □ Young Strategies online and intercept surveys with visitors to PCB

Young Strategies, Inc. prepares the quarterly reports three months after the completion of each season starting with winter followed by spring and summer. The annual report will accompany the fall report.

In 2021, summer produced 40.2% of the annual tourism revenues in PCB

SUMMER 2022



Source: Monthly TDT analysis

Summer Trends

Summer 2022 (JUN-AUG)

- \circ Three-year Summer Trend = 2020 COVID summer, slow but rebounding
 - 2021 back to business without Canada/International
 - 2022 back to typical summer patterns with no disruptions
 - return to full competition from other destinations and activities

Panama City Beach

- \circ 2022 PCB TDT revenue trend = JUN: +3.7%, JUL: +5.7%, AUG: -15.4% = +0.3% summer
- $_{\odot}$ VisaVue domestic credit card spending was **up 0.8%** in Summer '22 over Summer '21.
- \circ The summer rental inventory of tax reporting units was **up 4%** over Summer '21.
- \circ Short-term rentals drove 76% of summer TDT revenue, hotels drove 24% of TDT Revenue.
- Short-term rentals revenue (\$286.6M) was up 7.6%.
- KeyData Dashboard data shows rentals revenue came from demand growth while rentals maintained prior year ADR.
- $_{\odot}$ Hotel revenue (\$89.8M) was down 17.5%.
- Summer STR hotel revenue (\$58.7M) was 6% down; STR inventory was up 5.4% (Hyatt Place); STR demand was up 0.6%; STR ADR down 6.8% STR RevPAR down 10.8%.
- $\circ\,$ Non STR hotel revenue (\$31M) was down 33%.
- $_{\odot}\,$ Visitor volume was down 6.3% but spending and TDT revenue held due to higher rates.
- $\,\circ\,$... the best summer on record for PCB visitation.
- $\circ\,$ Continued challenges with workforce shortage, same as all destinations.

MONTHLY OCCUPANCY



KDD - Rental Occupancy

June

June

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
			73.9%	78.9%	85.6%	91.9%
82.2%	81.9%	82.0%	83.3%	81.9%	87.4%	88.8%
70.7%	77.2%	82.8%	84.2%	90.6%	93.7%	97.4%
80.4%	84.5%	86.0%	89.5%	92.3%	96.8%	96.2%
76.7%	80.5%	78.8%	78.0%	73.8%		

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
			69.9%	75.9%	78.4%	84.5%
78.0%	77.5%	77.9%	81.3%	85.6%	85.0%	82.1%
77.3%	83.6%	84.8%	86.8%	89.7%	87.8%	90.2%
85.2%	87.2%	86.4%	89.2%	89.7%	88.4%	90.9%
85.7%	86.8%	84.8%	83.8%	82.8%		



MONTHLY OCCUPANCY

STR - Hotel Occupancy

KDD - Rental Occupancy

July

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
					86.0%	96.9%
97.4%	85.3%	85.1%	90.9%	94.6%	93.8%	94.2%
80.1%	83.7%	88.6%	89.0%	89.3%	92.2%	93.5%
85.0%	90.0%	93.0%	91.5%	94.6%	97.8%	97.6%
87.0%	89.7%	91.1%	93.1%	94.4%	96.3%	96.5%
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July

MONTHLY OCCUPANCY



STR - Hotel Occupancy

KDD - Rental Occupancy

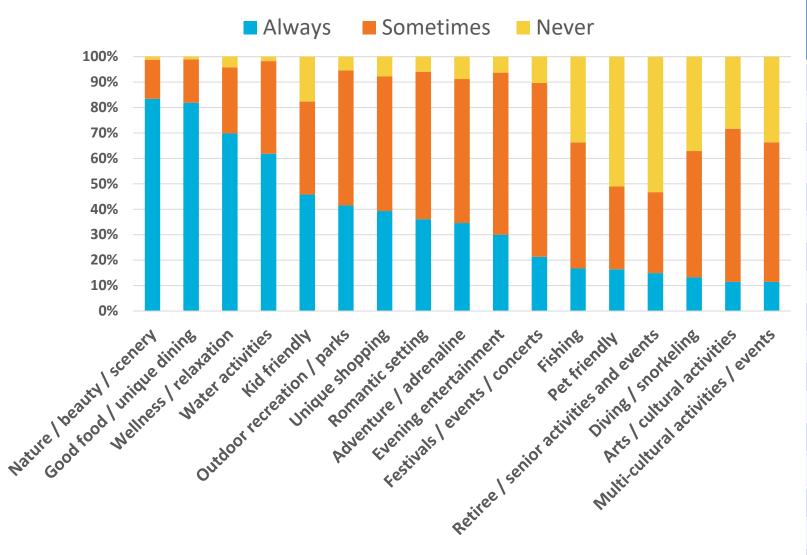
August

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
	76.8%	79.8%	78.7%	80.2%	88.2%	91.0%
63.9%	63.3%	64.6%	67.9%	68.8%	75.5%	75.3%
56.9%	61.9%	60.9%	59.2%	58.1%	67.5%	71.9%
54.7%	63.5%	62.8%	62.7%	58.3%	68.7%	71.2%
48.9%	56.4%	57.5%	58.4%			

August

Sun	Mon	Tues	Wed	Thurs	Fri	Sat
	70.1%	67.2%	69.4%	75.5%	76.5%	73.9%
63.3%	58.8%	56.3%	57.1%	62.9%	63.9%	61.5%
50.1%	46.6%	44.0%	45.8%	52.1%	57.4%	53.4%
42.6%	38.5%	37.3%	38.6%	46.1%	49.8%	45.7%
33.6%	27.7%	25.8%	26.4%			

Survey: ATTRIBUTES WHEN SELECTING A DESTINATION



Q. Please tell us the level of importance for each of the following attributes when selecting a getaway / vacation destination. n=564

Attribute	Always	Sometimes	Never
Nature / beauty / scenery	83.4%	15.4%	1.3%
Good food / unique dining	81.9%	17.0%	1.1%
Wellness / relaxation	69.8%	26.0%	4.3%
Water activities	61.8%	36.4%	1.8%
Kid friendly	45.8%	36.5%	17.6%
Outdoor recreation / parks	41.5%	53.1%	5.4%
Unique shopping	39.3%	52.9%	7.9%
Romantic setting	36.1%	58.0%	15.9%
Adventure / adrenaline	34.6%	56.6%	8.8%
Evening entertainment	30.0%	63.7%	6.3%
Festivals / events / concerts	21.3%	68.4%	10.4%
Fishing	16.7%	49.5%	33.9%
Pet friendly	16.4%	32.6%	51.0%
Retiree / senior activities and events	14.9%	31.8%	53.2%
Diving / snorkeling	13.2%	49.7%	37.1%
Arts / cultural activities	11.4%	60.2%	28.4%
Multi-cultural activities / events	11.4%	54.9%	33.7%

Source: YSI visitor profile surveys

Survey: FIRST-TIME vs REPEAT VISITATION

• **33.9%** were first-time visitors (**31.3%** summer '21)

66.1% had visited PCB before (68.7% summer '21)

Repeat visitors:

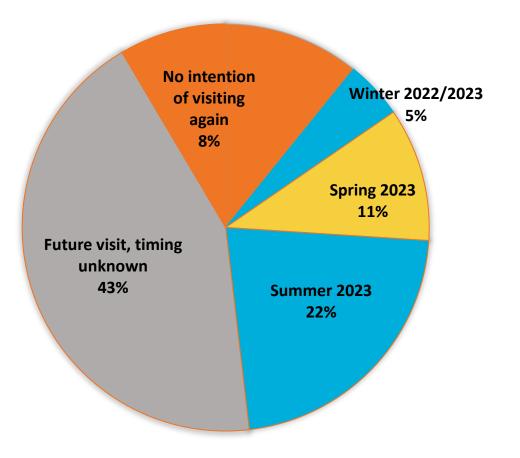
- Slightly more first-time visitors
- The repeat visitors reported coming to PCB for average of 25.4 years with an average of 2.4 visits in last 12 months

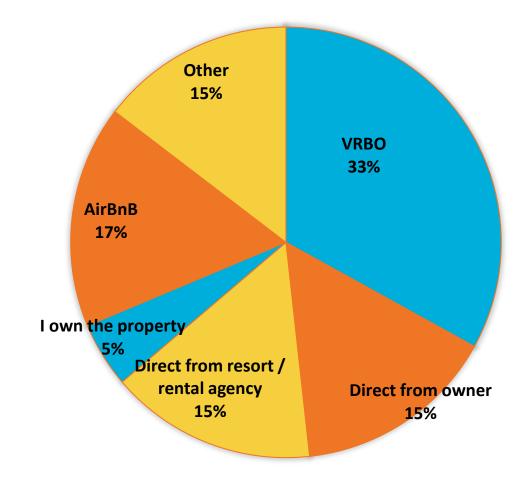


Survey: TRIP PLANNING



Please tell us if you are planning a future visit to Panama City Beach. n=434 Vacation rentals: How did you reserve your vacation accommodation. n=348







Survey: PRIMARY TRIP PURPOSE

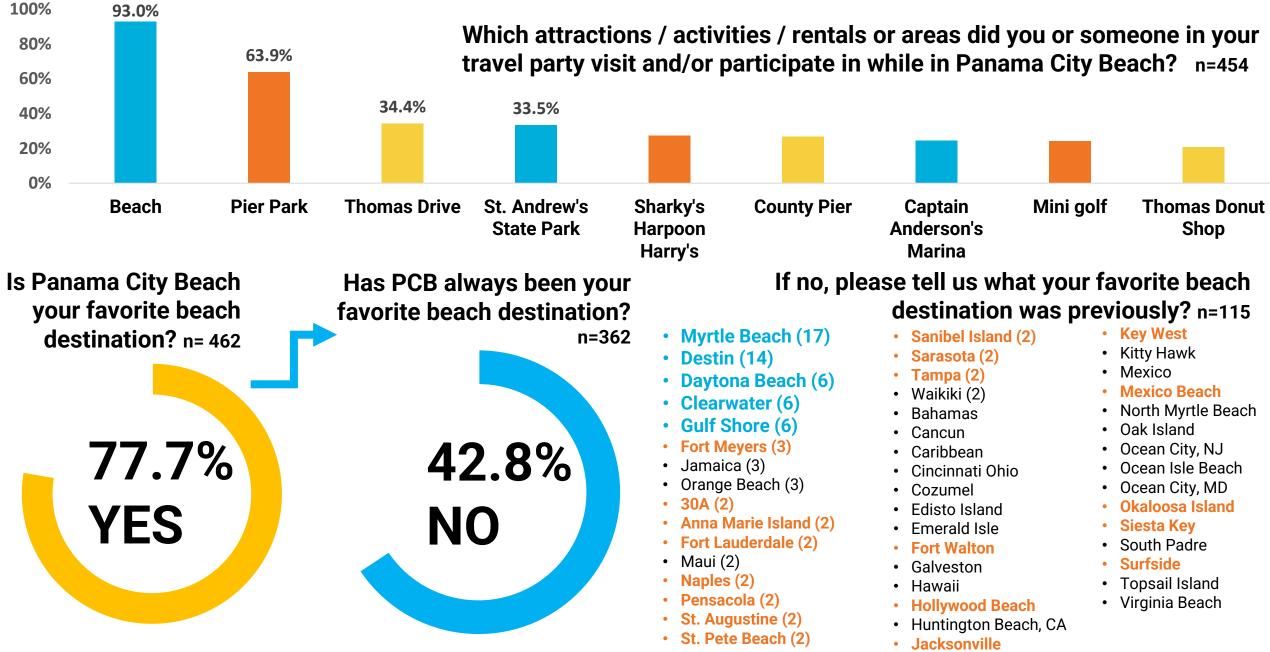


Q. What was the MAIN purpose for your most recent trip to Panama City Beach? n=556

Source: YSI visitor profile surveys

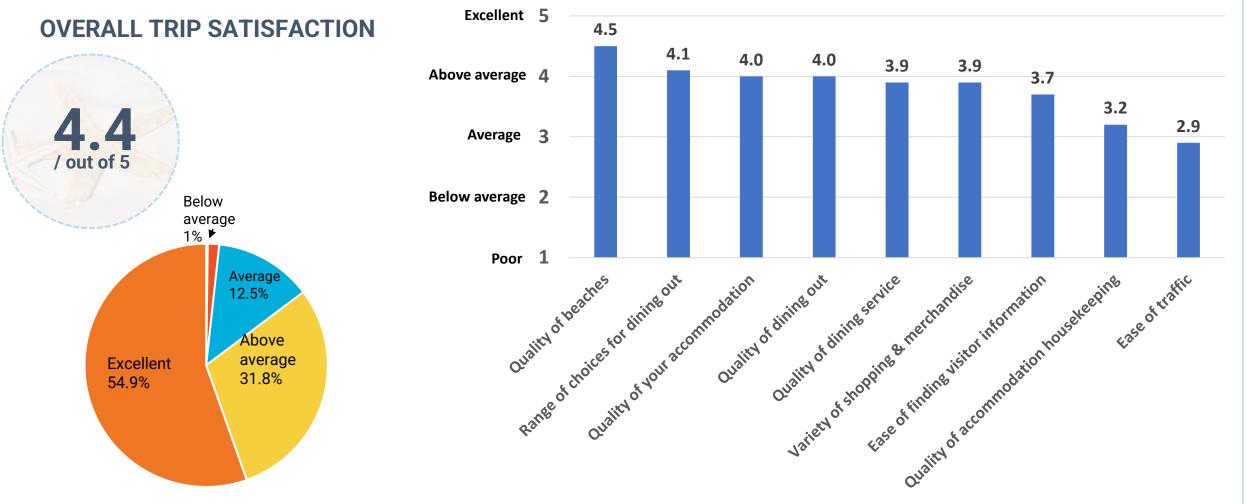
Survey: ACTIVITIES and FAVORITES





Survey: DESTINATION SATISFACTION





Q. Overall, how would you rate your visit to Panama City Beach? n=462

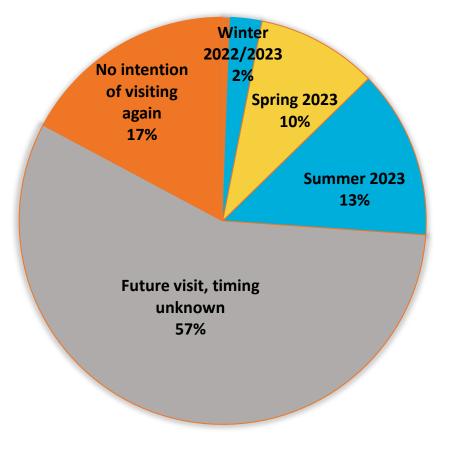
Q. Following is a list of amenities offered in Panama City Beach. Considering this visit, please rate each amenity. n=462

Source: YSI visitor profile survey

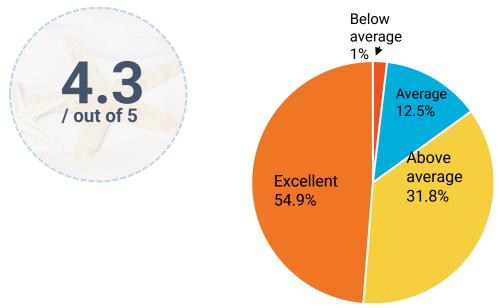
Survey: FIRST-TIME VISITATION



First-time visitors: Please tell us if you are planning a future visit to Panama City Beach. n=157



First-time visitors: Overall, how would you rate your visit to Panama City Beach? n=160



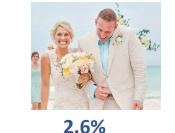
First-time visitors: What was the MAIN purpose for your most recent trip to Panama City Beach? n=189



89.9% VACATION / GETAWAY



4.2% SPORTS EVENT / TOURNAMENT



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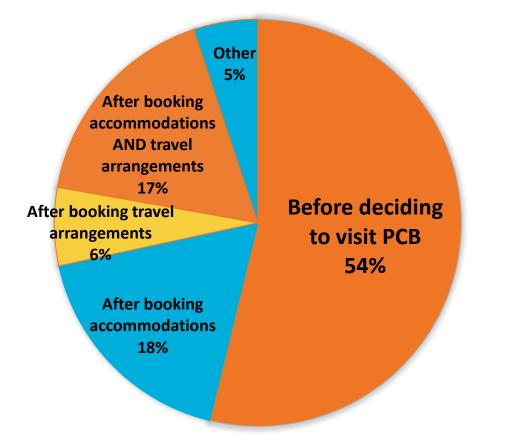


2.1% VISIT FRIENDS / FAMILY

Survey: VISITOR INFORMATION



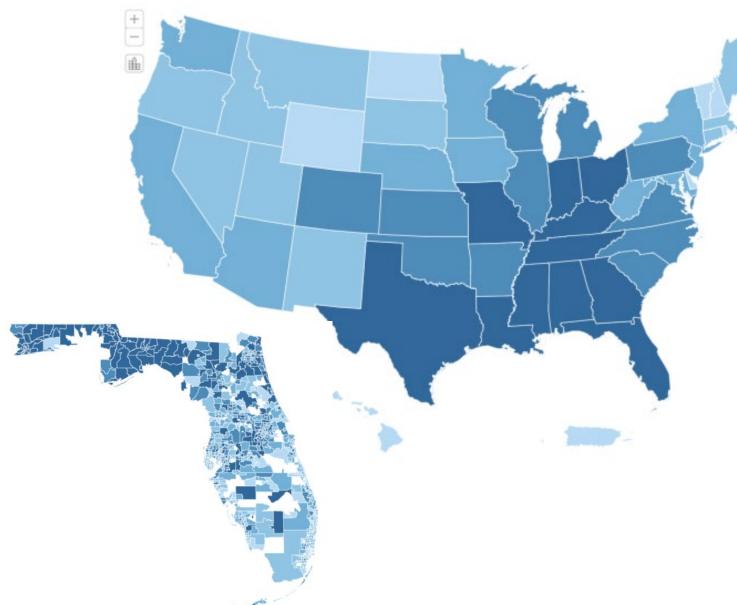
Please tell us when you requested information from Visit Panama City Beach. n= 275 Please tell us, in rank order, what information you were looking for in the Panama City Beach Vacation Guide. n=263



Overall Rank	Information
1	Activities
2	Dining
3	Lodging / accommodation
4	Inspiration for the visit
5	Shopping
6	Evening entertainment / nightlife

TOP FEEDER MARKETS





Top Eleven States (in rank order)	Summer '22 JUN – AUG 22	Summer '21 JUN - AUG 21
1. Georgia	29.6%	25.8%
2. Alabama	26.8%	24.2%
3. Tennessee	11.6%	10.9%
4. Florida	10.5%	5.3%
5. Kentucky	4.6%	5.2%
6. Texas	4.3%	6.1%
7. Indiana	3.0%	2.7%
8. Mississippi	2.4%	3.7%
9. Ohio	2.4%	2.8%
10. Missouri	2.1%	3.0%
11. Louisiana	2.0%	3.3%

Top 3 states make up 68% of summer visitation

Source: NEAR mobile data as reported on Voyage platform

SUMMER 2022 KEY METRICS





Source: YSI visitor profile survey

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ECONOMIC IMPACT



TDT revenue was up 0.3%. VisaVue spending was up 0.8%.

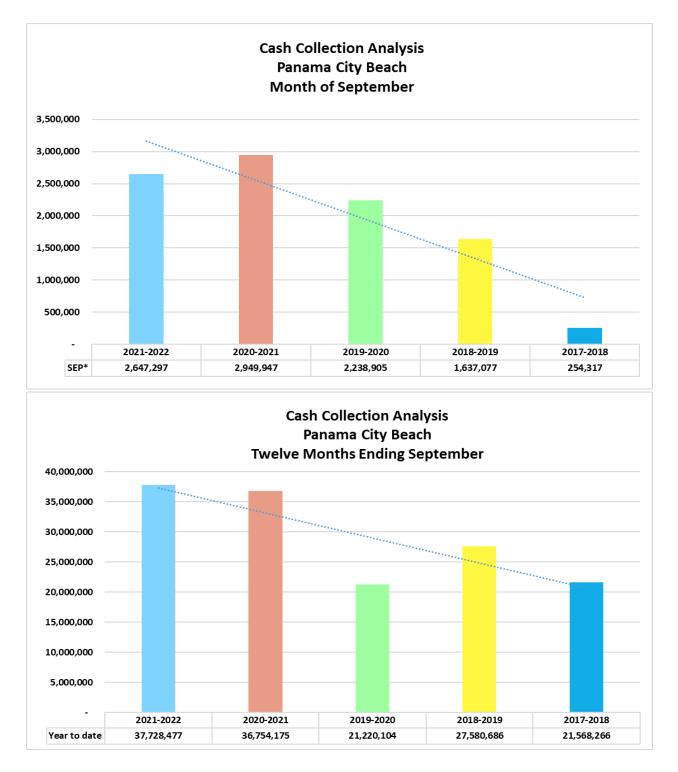
TOTAL VISITOR SPENDING BY SEGMENT

Visitor spending	Summer 2022	Summer 2021	Variance
Hotel / motel (Taxed lodging)	\$236,270,766	\$257,621,778	-8.3%
Condo / rentals (Taxed Lodging)	\$893,498,405	\$788,868,162	13.3%
Other overnight (VFR, owners, etc.)	\$45,360,064	\$49,892,937	-9.0%
Daytrip	\$108,348,491	\$136,832,700	-20.8%
Total visitor spending	\$1,283,477,726	\$1,233,215,577	4.1%

Source: YSI Economic Impact Model based on TDT revenues, STR, KDD, Near, VisaVue, Voyage, PCB visitor surveys



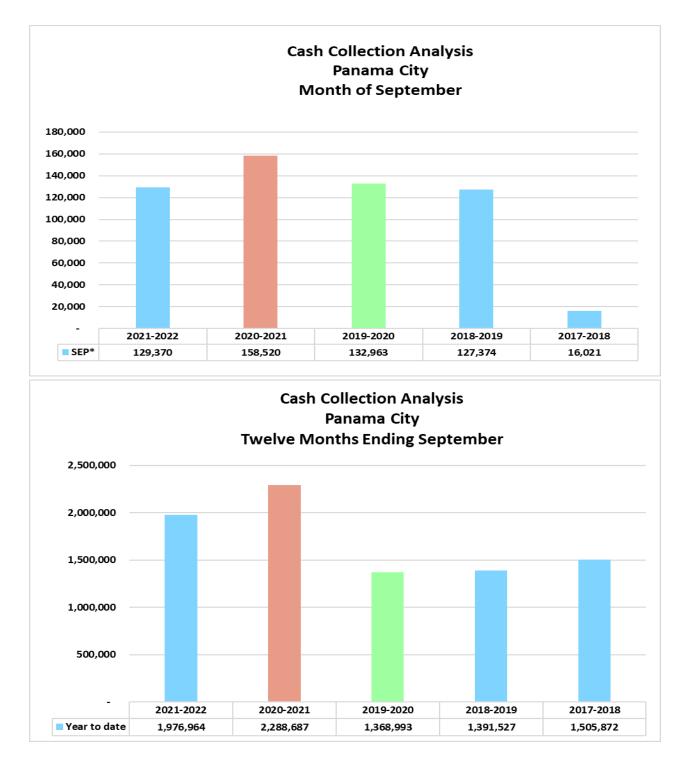
Tourist Development Tax, Bay County, Florida



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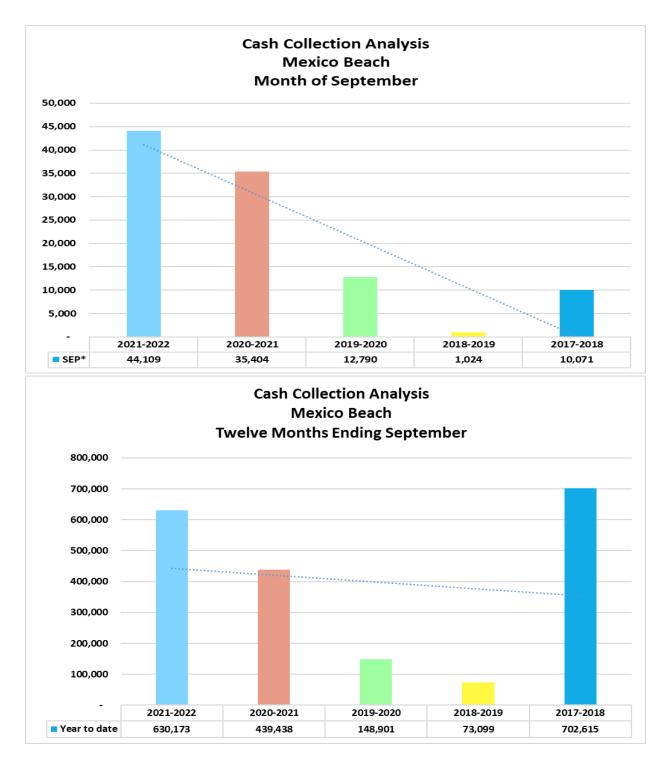
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