

Report to City of SLO – TBID and PCC **Public Relations Contract**November 2023

## PR ACTIVITY

## Implementation/Proactive Work

Hosted mountain bike Youtuber Tony DaSilva

Continued planning for travel writer Erica Zazo's upcoming visit

Continued planning for travel writer Matthew Meltzer's upcoming visit

Began planning for travel writer E'Louise Ondash's upcoming visit

Implemented communications/PR copy and strategy for **Buy Local Bonus** 

Continued working with the City and Noble Studios/DCI on overall tourism marketing campaign

Worked with **Noble** on the quarterly <u>visitslo.com</u> media center update

## Responsive leads

Pitched "Only in California Black Friday Deals" and "Glitz and Glam: Ringing in the New Year" story ideas to Visit California

Met with Wine Country Media team to explore potential partnerships

## Partnerships

Continued planning for SoCal Spring Media Mission with DCI

Continued planning for group FAM during the Film Festivaol with DCI and SLO International Film Festival

Coordinated with the City and Downtown SLO on holiday happenings and local promotions

Attended a planning session for 2024 Visit SLO PR work with the City

Launch for Buy Local Bonus in partnership with the City, Verdin and Badger Branding

Continue planning for Eat Local Bonus in partnership with the City, Verdin and Badger Branding

Met with Visit SLO CAL's PR team

Attended the TBID's Partner Reception

| PUBLICATION            | PLACEMENTS  | UVPM           | AD VALUE     | PILLARS        | RESULT OF          |
|------------------------|---|----------------|--------------|----------------|--------------------|
| KSBY                   | Shop in San Luis Obispo this holiday season and you could earn a \$25 gift card                     | 478,000        | \$19.77      | Support Local  | PROACTIVE PITCHING |
| ССВХ                   | Downtown SLO businesses brace for holiday shopping with annual city program                         | 22,000.00      | \$1.21       | Support Local  | PROACTIVE PITCHING |
| KSBY                   | Holiday happenings in San Luis Obispo   | 478,000        | \$19.77      | Family         | PROACTIVE PITCHING |
| VISIT CALIFORNIA       | California Holiday Getaways   | 230,243.00     |              | Cultural       | PROACTIVE PITCHING |
| VISIT CALIFORNIA       | Only-in-California Black Friday Deals   |                |              |                | PROACTIVE PITCHING |
| YAHOO NEWS             | 'What's a San Luis Obispo?' California city trends after new Spotify Wrapped feature confuses users | 180,340,000.00 | \$109,863.11 | Cultural       |                    |
| ГІМЕ                   | A Breakdown of Spotify Wrapped's Suggested Sound Towns  | 17,450,000.00  | \$6,279.19   | Cultural       |                    |
| MEDIUM                 | The 2023 Wine Harvest   | 70,560,000.00  | \$6,500.13   | Beer/Wine      |                    |
| WINE ENTHUSIAST        | Hook, Wine and Sinker: The SLO Coast AVA Is a Maritime Oasis  | 408,000.00     | \$84.33      | Beer/Wine      |                    |
| MSN                    | 10 Most Popular Wine Countries In California, Ranked By Visitor Experience                          | 67,150,000.00  | \$15.444.86  | Beer/Wine      |                    |
| TRAVEL NOIRE           | san luis obispo - Travel Noire  | 904,000.00     | \$34.22      | Cultural       |                    |
| TRAVEL NOIRE           | Things To Do In San Luis Obispo   | 904,000.00     | \$34.22      | Cultural       |                    |
| THE TRAVEL             | 10 Best Places To Retire Across America   | 2,670,000.00   | \$97.51      | Cultural       |                    |
| EXPLORE                | Festive Inns For A Classic Country Christmas  | 632,000.00     | \$0.12       | Family         |                    |
| PASO ROBLES DAILY NEWS | Downtown San Luis Obispo announces upcoming holiday happenings                                      | 85,000.00      | \$6.39       | Family         |                    |
| PASO ROBLES DAILY NEWS | <u>Downtown SLO Holiday events kick off this Friday</u>   | 85,000.00      | \$6.39       | Family         |                    |
| MUSTANG NEWS           | The City of San Luis Obispo celebrates 40 years as a recognized "Tree City" in the U.S.             | 347,000.00     | \$8.80       | Sustainability |                    |
| TOTALS                 |   |                |              |                |                    |
|                        | 15  | 341,535,000.00 | \$122,914.41 |                |                    |
|                        | TOTAL YTD   | 507,001,692.00 | \$386,053.90 |                |                    |
|                        |   |                |              |                |                    |
|                        | 70  | 848,536,692.00 | \$508,968.31 |                |                    |