

Report to City of SLO – TBID and PCC **Public Relations Contract**March 2024

## PR ACTIVITY

Implementation/Proactive Work

Hosted travel writer Alexa Mellardo's in partnership with DCI

Updated SLO Neighborhood Maps

Distributed Upcoming Spring Events press release on March 18

Continued pitching Midweekend promotion

Continued pitching See + Stay promotion

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

Attended Visit California's Outlook Forum

Attended SLO Tribune Subscriber Forum

Responsive leads

Pitched "Group Travel in the Golden State", "Professional Meetings & Events Story Idea: Global Meetings Industry Day" and "Skip-Gen Trips" story ideas to Visit California

Partnerships

Continued planning for SoCal Spring Media Mission with DCI

Continued working with Badger Branding on **Downtown Neighborhood Map** 

Continued working with the City, DCI, Hotel SLO and the SLO International Film Festival to plan The Art of SLO(wing) Down group media trip

Continued working with the City, DCI, Noble and Badger Branding on Sustainable SLO marketing plan

PUBLICATION	PLACEMENTS		UVPM	AD VALUE	PILLARS	RESULT OF
YAHOO NEWS	Calling all 'weird rodent' fans: Beaver Festival is returning to SLO this weekend		180,340,000.00	\$34,344.70	Cultural	PROACTIVE PITCHING
KCBX	SLO County Beaver Festival returns for another year		22,000.00	\$1.21	Cultural	PROACTIVE PITCHING
FORBES	SLO Traveling Through California's Central Coast		75,780,000.00	\$27,658.75	Cultural	HOSTING BY HOTEL SLO
TRAVEL PULSE	Kind Traveler's Every Stay Gives Back Program Helps Plant Trees in San Luis Obispo		405,000.00	\$62.77	Sustainability	PROACTIVE PITCHING BY KIND TRAVELER
SUSTAINABLE BRANDS	Kind Traveler Adds SLO to Destinations Where 'Every Stay Gives Back		42,000.00	\$5.81	Sustainability	PROACTIVE PITCHING BY KIND TRAVELER
KSBY	Lineup for 30th annual San Luis Obispo International Film Festival announced		478,000.00	\$39.54	Cultural	PROACTIVE PITCHING BY SLO FILM FESTIVAL
KSBY	New offerings in store for SLO International Film Festival's 30th anniversary		478,000.00	\$39.54	Cultural	PROACTIVE PITCHING BY SLO FILM FESTIVAL
KCLU	Central Coast film festival celebrating 30th anniversary, has 125 film lineup		25,000.00	\$1.36	Cultural	PROACTIVE PITCHING BY SLO FILM FESTIVAL
YAHOO NEWS	SLO airport is adding a bunch more flights - but dropping another. Here's what's changing		180,340,000.00	\$34,344.70	Cultural	
MSN	Top 10 Happiest Cities in the USA: Where Variety and Contentment Flourish		157,190,000.00	\$15,444.86	Cultural	
YELP	Top 10 Family-Friendly Travel Destinations, According to Yelp		94,982,570.00	\$12,003.71	Family	
USA TODAY	Top dog-friendly vacation destinations		66,340,000.00	\$15,188.34	Family	
24/7 WALL STREET	Avoid Every Hard Cider Brand, Except These		1,940,000.00	\$95.54	Beer/Wine	
THE TECH EDVOCATE	These Are 10 Of The Best Historic Downtowns In California		1,170,000.00	\$7.88	Cultural	
VACATION IDEA	25 Best Day Trips from Santa Barbara, Southern California		879,000.00	\$184.43	Cultural	
AMERICAN CRAFT BEER	Best Beer Destinations: 5 Serious Beercation Hotels		48,000.00	\$1.20	Beer/Wine	
HOTELS ABOVE PAR	Where to Find California's Most Underrated Vineyards		28,000.00	\$1.21	Beer/Wine	
TOTALS						
		17	760,487,570.00	\$139,425.55		
		TOTAL YTD	1,785,224,195.00	\$1,073,500.89		
		126	2,545,711,765.00	\$1,212,926.44		