

## LOUISIANA TAX FREE SHOPPING

### STATUS REPORT 2012- 2013

2012	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUG	SEPT	OCT	NOV	DEC	TOTALS
Number of Ref. Transactions	2,325	1,938	2,640	4,767	2,526	1,993	1,538	1,373	1,636	4,024	2,329	1,993	29,082
Number of Sales	8,484	6,830	8,550	15,778	9,074	7,263	6,333	5,700	6,075	14,738	8,554	7,030	104,409
Retail Spending	\$2,025,044	\$1,822,203	\$2,421,279	\$3,996,848	\$2,381,105	\$1,835,893	\$1,538,901	\$1,366,514	1,592,501	\$3,479,847	\$2,218,486	\$2,267,653	\$26,946,274
Sales Tax Refunded	\$162,989	\$146,969	\$194,954	\$322,452	\$191,422	\$147,506	\$124,083	\$109,060	128,786	\$282,112	\$179,215	\$182,981	\$2,172,529

  

2013	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUG	SEPT	OCT	NOV	DEC	TOTALS
Number of Ref. Transactions	2,235	1,744	2,888	2,705	2,399	1,845	1,351	1,585	1,307	3,237	4,822	5,177	31,295
Number of Sales	9,208	6,288	9,251	9,232	9,262	7,428	5,801	7,390	4,901	12,355	17,245	17,327	115,688
Retail Spending	\$2,594,672	\$1,868,568	\$2,521,040	\$2,344,605	\$2,442,799	\$1,814,484	\$1,352,595	\$1,650,006	\$1,264,163	\$3,376,179	\$6,428,119	\$5,062,055	\$32,719,284
Sales Tax Refunded	\$209,435	\$151,134	\$203,713	\$189,781	\$198,050	\$146,692	\$109,254	\$131,872	\$102,147	\$273,608	\$522,136	\$410,567	2,648,389

#### 2012 Top 10 Countries Amount of Spending \*

#### 2013 Top 10 Countries Amount of Spending \*

#### 2012 Top 10 Countries Number of Transactions \*

#### 2013 Top 10 Countries Number of Transactions \*

\* The number of transactions does not necessarily reflect one visitor. Each transaction may represent several persons in a travel party

2012 Top 10 Countries Amount of Spending *	2013 Top 10 Countries Amount of Spending *	2012 Top 10 Countries Number of Transactions *	2013 Top 10 Countries Number of Transactions *
Philippines \$4,371,049	Brazil \$4,593,218	Philippines 3,247	Brazil 3,115
Brazil \$2,754,497	Philippines \$3,452,501	Brazil 2,203	Philippines 2,653
China \$1,880,716	China \$2,448,812	China 1,795	China 2,126
Mexico \$1,339,751	Mexico \$1,687,415	U.K. 1,383	Mexico 1,607
Honduras \$1,229,153	Honduras \$1,191,006	Mexico 1,332	France 1,260
U. K. \$869,483	U.K. \$958,985	Canada 1,312	U. K. 1,129
Canada \$762,729	France \$878,912	India 1,065	Canada 1,122
India \$740,226	Canada \$785,499	France 1,050	Germany 1,011
Germany \$576,586	Russia Federation \$766,772	Germany 1,017	Honduras 995
Turkey \$555,742	Turkey \$746,131	Honduras 961	India 819
All Other \$11,866,343	All Other \$15,210,033	All Other 13,717	All Other 15,458
<b>Total \$26,946,274</b>	<b>Total \$32,719,284</b>	<b>Total 29,082</b>	<b>Total 31,295</b>

	2012	2013
<b>Average sales amount</b>	\$258	\$283
<b>Average amount spent per visitor party</b>	\$927	\$1,046
<b>Average refund</b>	\$75	\$85

