

## LOUISIANA TAX FREE SHOPPING

### STATUS REPORT 2013- 2014

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

  

2014	JAN	FEB	MAR	APR	MAY	JUNE	JULY	AUG	SEPT	OCT	NOV	DEC	TOTALS
Number of Ref. Transactions	2,390	2,037	4,439	2,898	2,691	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	14,455
Number of Sales	10,197	8,128	15,236	10,959	9,849	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	54,369
Retail Spending	\$2,470,614	\$2,117,254	\$3,982,105	\$2,796,233	\$2,330,997	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	13,697,203
Sales Tax Refunded	\$200,165	\$171,235	\$322,815	\$226,624	\$189,272	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	\$0	1,110,111

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

#### 2014 Top 10 Countries YTD Amount of Spending \*

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

#### 2014 Top 10 Countries YTD Number of Transactions \*

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

Country	2013 Amount	2014 YTD Amount	Country	2013 Transactions	2014 YTD Transactions
Philippines	\$4,593,218	\$2,194,927	Brazil	3,115	1,712
Brazil	\$3,452,501	\$1,361,492	Philippines	2,653	1,068
China	\$2,448,812	\$892,112	China	2,126	839
Mexico	\$1,687,415	\$627,455	Mexico	1,607	760
Honduras	\$1,191,006	\$585,910	Canada	1,260	639
U. K.	\$958,985	\$468,536	France	1,129	610
Canada	\$878,912	\$467,705	U.K.	1,122	578
France	\$785,499	\$396,576	Honduras	1,011	456
Russia	\$766,772	\$347,125	Germany	995	447
Turkey	\$746,131	\$281,599	India	819	434
All Other	\$15,210,033	\$6,073,766	All Other	15,458	6,912
<b>Total</b>	<b>\$32,719,284</b>	<b>\$13,697,203</b>	<b>Total</b>	<b>31,295</b>	<b>14,455</b>

	2013	2014 YTD
<b>Average sales amount</b>	\$283	\$252
<b>Average amount spent per visitor party</b>	\$1,046	\$948
<b>Average refund</b>	\$85	\$77

