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Item Detail Report - 2014-M2TRTZ

Submission Information

ID:	11
Item:	City of Key West Sightseeing Franchise Input
Tracking Num:	2014-M2TRTZ
Submission Date:	2014-10-19 13:44:54

Submitter Responses

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Address Latitude:	24.5597322
Address Longitude:	-81.7986851
:	US
Address 1:	401 Margaret St.
City:	Key West
State:	Florida
ZIP:	33040
Contact Information:	
First Name:	ken
Last Name:	Higgins
Address:	401 Margaret St., Key West, FL 33040
Email Address:	khhiggins@gmail.com
Comments:	
Comments:	It is great that visitors come here and want to tour our city. It's awful when you get stuck behind a tour train going 10 mph from one end of White St to another. Have the tours honor the speed limits at least on the main streets.

Workflow History

Status Update

Status:	Open
Step:	Submitted
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Item Detail Report - 2014-NM8GMX

Submission Information

ID:	10
Item:	City of Key West Sightseeing Franchise Input
Tracking Num:	2014-NM8GMX
Submission Date:	2014-10-19 13:27:36

Submitter Responses

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Address Latitude:	24.549496
Address Longitude:	-81.801614
:	US
Address 1:	228 Truman Ave
City:	Key West
State:	Florida
ZIP:	33040
Contact Information:	
First Name:	Jane
Last Name:	Newhagen
Address:	228 Truman Ave, Key West, FL 33040
Email Address:	keywestbird@yahoo.com
Comments:	
Comments:	I sincerely hope we will keep the ducks off the street altogether. I rode on one when HTA was running them; I've driven behind and in front of them; I've watched pedestrians and bicycles cross in front of them. They are ugly, intrusive, unwieldy, and a serious accident waiting to happen. As far as trolleys and trains, I feel the franchises should be given out equitably. All equally qualified and compliant companies should be allowed the same number of vehicles and stops.

Workflow History

Status Update

Status:	Open

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Item Detail Report - 2014-QGNYIR

Submission Information

ID:	9
Item:	City of Key West Sightseeing Franchise Input
Tracking Num:	2014-QGNYIR
Submission Date:	2014-10-19 12:23:41

Submitter Responses

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Address Latitude:	6.2916976
Address Longitude:	99.7261323
:	US
Address 1:	provide my identity
City:	Key West
State:	Florida
ZIP:	33040
Contact Information:	
First Name:	I would
Last Name:	rather not
Address:	provide my identity, Key West, FL 33040
Email Address:	not_provided@thankyou.com
Comments:	
Comments:	The two (2) main concerns are: the "LOUD" spiels of the tour guides, which shatter and intrude upon our peace and quiet, in our increasingly costly neighborhoods. And the slow, pokey, pause and go passage of the tour vehicles, which block thoroughfares and impede progress. Thus far, these issues remain unaddressed and without remedy. The drivers of the tour vehicles seem to have little concern for anyone other than themselves and their passengers, when it comes to stopping for photo opportunities and to spout their nonsense.

Workflow History

Status Update

Status:	Open

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Item Detail Report - 2014-VFZZPJ

Submission Information

ID:	8
Item:	City of Key West Sightseeing Franchise Input
Tracking Num:	2014-VFZZPJ
Submission Date:	2014-10-19 12:09:49

Submitter Responses

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Address Latitude:	24.554944
Address Longitude:	-81.7972769
:	US
Address 1:	712 William St.
City:	Key West
State:	Florida
ZIP:	33040
Contact Information:	
First Name:	Lynn-Marie
Last Name:	Smith
Address:	712 William St., Key West, FL 33040
Email Address:	lynnmariekw@gmail.com
Comments:	
Comments:	I know the sightseeing vehicles are important for keeping cars off the streets, but I think a few things could be done to lessen the impact on those of us who live here: 1) Require earphones (I've lived on a street where they pass and it's terrible); 2) Require a minimum number of passengers, thus reducing the number of vehicles. Seeing them on the street with less than 10 people is crazy; and 3) PLEASE don't license the Ducks -- they are way too big for our streets and town, and they are an accident waiting to happen. They really cheapen the city. Thanks for letting us respond.

Workflow History

Status Update

Status:	Open

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Item Detail Report - 2014-YDGFSW

Submission Information

ID:	7
Item:	City of Key West Sightseeing Franchise Input
Tracking Num:	2014-YDGFSW
Submission Date:	2014-10-19 08:50:31

Submitter Responses

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Address Latitude:	24.560983
Address Longitude:	-81.797507
:	US
Address 1:	1011 eaton street
City:	key west
State:	Florida
ZIP:	33040
Contact Information:	
First Name:	david
Last Name:	brockbank
Address:	1011 eaton street, key west, FL 33040
Email Address:	broc@broc.co.uk
Comments:	
Comments:	the operation of franchises is a restriction of free trade, which reduces the choice of the consumer, unfairly increases the cost of the service, and is against the principle of free trade in a democratic capitalist society.

Workflow History

Status Update

Status:	Open
Step:	Submitted
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Item Detail Report - 2014-2V8B9H

Submission Information

ID:	6
Item:	City of Key West Sightseeing Franchise Input
Tracking Num:	2014-2V8B9H
Submission Date:	2014-10-17 15:15:27

Submitter Responses

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Address Latitude:	24.559848
Address Longitude:	-81.80341
:	US
Address 1:	605 Dey Street, #211
City:	Key West
State:	Florida
ZIP:	33040
Contact Information:	
First Name:	Craig
Last Name:	Wanous
Address:	605 Dey Street, #211, Key West, FL 33040
Email Address:	cwanous@yahoo.com
Comments:	
Comments:	I have a number of comments: 1) The trolleys & conch train should have a minimum number of passengers before they can start a tour. Snorkel & dive boat operators do this and there's no reason the trollleys & conch train can't as well. The busy Old Town streets should not be clogged by a tour vehicle doing 7 mph with only 2 or 4 people aboard. 2) The trolleys & conch train should restricted to side streets during rush hours (i.e. 7-9am & 4-6pm) and not be allowed to use the main commuter routes like Eaton & Truman that people use to get to & from work. 3) If they are allowed to use the main thoroughfares during rush hours, they should have to turn off after 3-4 blocks so as not to block people trying to get to & from work. 4) For narrations, the trolleys and conch train should use individual headsets for each passenger instead of loudspeakers that blast into the neighborhood. 5) The narrations given by the tour operators should be approved by the city so drivers and narrators don't just make stuff up about the city. Every tour I have ever taken has had blatantly untrue statements given out as facts.

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Item Detail Report - 2014-FYVOAW

Submission Information

ID:	16
Item:	City of Key West Sightseeing Franchise Input
Tracking Num:	2014-FYVOAW
Submission Date:	2014-11-12 12:13:10

Submitter Responses

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Address Latitude:	24.559212
Address Longitude:	-81.789231
:	US
Address 1:	804-A Eisenhower Dr.
City:	Key West
State:	Florida
ZIP:	33040
Contact Information:	
First Name:	Michael
Last Name:	Jones
Address:	804-A Eisenhower Dr., Key West, FL 33040
Email Address:	mikfjone@sprynet.com
Comments:	
Comments:	1) A fair playing field for all applicants 2) Headsets-No more loudspeakers 3) Maintain speed at all times on main roads (Roosevelt Blvds., White St, Eaton St, Duval St, Whitehead St, Atlantic Blvd.) 4) Require ACCURACY in operator's narrative- much less embellishment and BS) 5) Strictly enforced 15 mph minimum speed-Loss of the unit's license for 10 days for first infraction

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