

Expression of interest CREATIVE BRIEF TO DEVELOP A RESPONSIBLE VISITATION CAMPAIGN

BACKGROUND	The visitor economy sells to visitors a glimpse of life in our wonderful parts of the world. A fabulous experience relies on visitors interacting harmoniously with our local communities and being warmly welcomed. Visitors sometimes do not understand some of the local challenges
AIM;	To influence visitors to be more responsible when visiting regional Victoria (or just the Great Ocean Road region) and understand the impact they may have on the place and the people and minimise them putting themselves at risk.
AUDIENCE	We are hoping to convince the State to invest in a campaign for all of Victoria but if we are unsuccessful we will run the campaign as a Great Ocean Road region specific campaign.
	So the audience is pretty broad, everyone that visits regional Victoria
	Great Ocean Road The Great Ocean Road receives over 6.5million visitors per annum, although the vast majority are from Victoria some are new Australians and may not have the familiarity and knowledge of regional Victoria.
The BIG idea	We need to teach, explain and encourage responsible behaviour from visitors across a range of areasincluding but not necessarily limited to:
	Road safety –stay left, animal hazards, pull over safely, no phones, know road rules etc etc
	Beach safety – dangers of swimming/paddling in unfamiliar water, swim between the flags at a patrolled beach
	Leave no trace – rubbish removal, stay on paths Respect Private property – biosecurity, no drones, do not go near farm animals etc Fire safety
	Environmental hazards Camp in official camp areas
Tone of voice	We don't want the campaign to look like a huge list of rules and/or make it too complicated that people switch offbut we do need to influence and change behaviour across a range of different themes and areas.

We have undertaken some smaller campaigns ourselves	We want visitors to connect with the messages and buy in to the right behaviour. To understand that they are for their, the community and the landscape and its inhabitants benefit. Treasure the land we love – this campaign was instigated by the 12 Apostles business and tourism group, pre covid to show to the local community that we were conscious of the poor behviour from some visitors and we were committed to trying to influence their behaviour. The
	campaign video was shot using local people. Activation Video: <u>https://m.youtube.com/watch?v=8UTVZnslVXE</u> Social content Brand toolkit for operators
	Key themes covered:
	 Responsible behaviour (overarching) Caring for our home
	Linvironmental sustainability
	Reddeling waste
	Safety in destination – On rodds, dt lookouts, drodna water
	Preventing damage to the landscape - stay on designated paths and lookouts, consider the fragile ecology
	 Time and seasonal dispersal – for a better experience visit sites out of peak
	times
	Key messages:
	 Respect where we live
	 Make responsible choices around plastics, packaging, waste and local produce
	 It's a fragile environment – stick to the paths and don't go over barriers
	 Your safety is paramount. So is ours – emergency responders here are volunteers
	All Things Great come to those that wait Campaign post covid to support having less workers and longer wait times at cafes, restaurants and shops. Video -
	https://www.youtube.com/watch?si=SFmNlbtTn3VWeYhv&v=3092HrkiO- Q&feature=youtu.be
	Brand toolkit for operators
Examples of approaches by others	Behavioural campaigns examples

	Victoria welcomes safe drivers
	https://vinehealth.com.au/tools/projects/responsible-visitation- campaign/
	https://www.outdooraccess-scotland.scot/
	Pledge examples
	Australian https://www.lovecentralcoast.com/sustainability-pledge
	https://eastcoasttasmania.com/maria-island-pledge/
	International https://gobreck.com/b-like-breckenridge/tree-hugger-challenge
	https://www.gotahoenorth.com/sustainable-travel-pledge#mailchimp- signup-4
	https://haidagwaiipledge.ca
	https://vancouverislandnorth.ca/takethepledge/
	https://www.visitsanjuans.com/san-juan-islands-pledge
	https://www.padi.com/conservation/save-the-ocean-pledge#
	https://pledge.kanuhawaii.org
	https://pledge.visiticeland.com
	https://aspenchamber.org/pledge
	https://www.visitfinland.com/en/sustainable-finland-pledge/
	https://discovernorthernireland.com/know-before-you-go/visitor-pledge
	https://www.tiakinewzealand.com
Examples of	Dumb ways to die
behavioural change campaigns we like	Assume that I can so Maybe I will - https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=92ivgabfdPQ
DELIVERABLES:	Creative concept Campaign implementation ideas and costings for any recommended assets

	Response to EOI Response Due: Wednesday 25 September
TIMELINE:	
	Broad timeframe
	September – Confirm creative partner
	October – finalise creative idea develop assets
	November – finalise summer peak roll out
	December - April Campaign - in market
	ongoing elements year round
	We are not able to provide a firm budget. If a GORRT campaign only we
BUDGET:	will only have approx. \$50k to cover all costs of creative concept,
	production and implementation and will have to maximise our existing
	channelsif we can get State investment the production and
	implementation budget could grow. Regardless integration of existing
	channels web, social, VIC network etc will be critical to building success.
	Please itemise creative cost and budget for production of all suggested
	implementation tools.
	Please provide your proposed timeline.
QUESTIONS ON BRIEF	Questions to be asked via email to liz@gort.com.au