





PURE MICHIGAN- CHANGING PERCEPTIONS

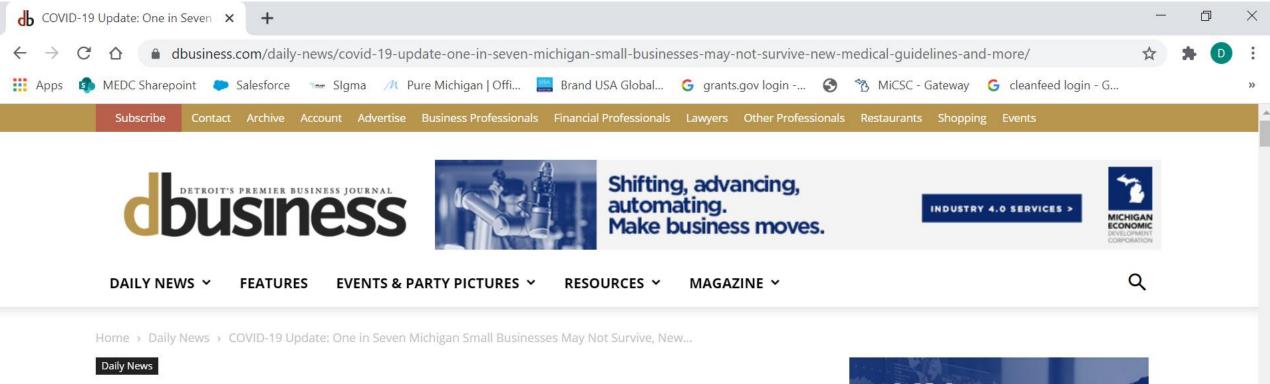
- Travel Michigan is more than just a travel/tourism promotion agency
- The brand tells the story of what this place really is
- Pure Michigan...helps to improve the state's perception as:
 - a great place to live (ask realtors of the impact of our campaign)
 - a great place to work (they better appreciate the state after a leisure visit)
 - a great place to play (which drives our consumer-focused economy)



PURE MICHIGAN-THE IMPACT

- MANY of the businesses that are supported by travelers would not be able to make it with resident activity alone. They need travelers to exist
- The direct impact of tourism is significant. In 2019:
 - Travel spending= \$26.3B
 - State and Local tax revenue from this spending= \$2.9B
 - Jobs supported by spending= Over 230,000.
- "Up North/nature" imagery is often used as a lure to draw travelers, but tourism helps every community.
 - Detroit is our #1 and most dependent city for leisure and business travel





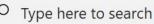
COVID-19 Update: One in Seven Michigan Small Businesses May Not Survive, New Medical Guidelines, and More

Here is a roundup of the latest news concerning the COVID-19 pandemic in addition to announcements from local, state, and federal governments, as well as international channels. To share a business or nonprofit story, please send us a message.

By Tim Keenan and R.J. King - May 5, 2020











































John Gonzalez MLive.com

Tom Daldin 'Under the Radar' Michigan

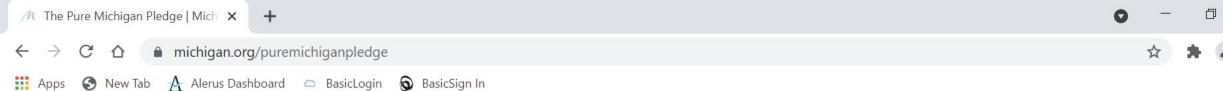












PURE MICHIGAN PLEDGE GUIDELINES

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PURY HICHIGAN TO HELF MICHIGAN RESINABLE AND TRAVELERS

PURE MICHIGAN PLEDGE TOOLKIT

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PLACES THAT HAVE PLEDGED

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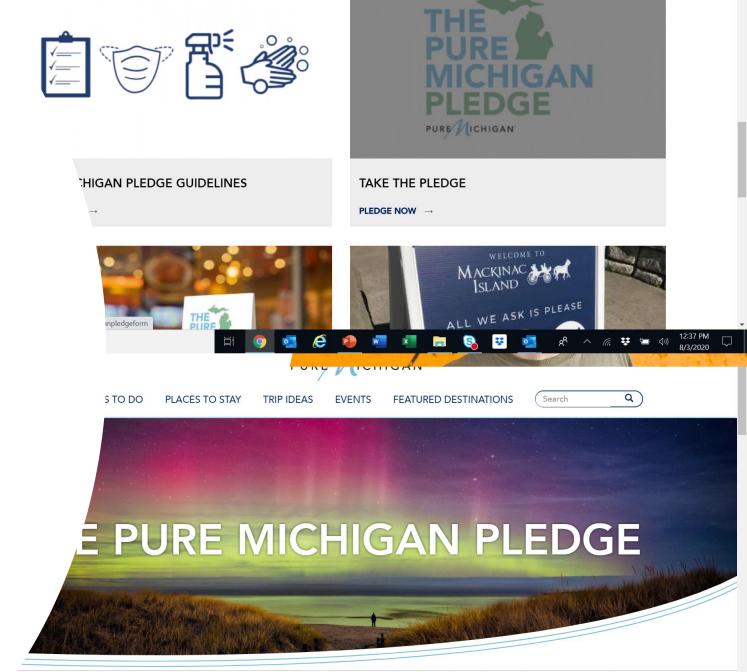






PURE MICHIGAN PLEDGE

- A clear, concise and well-communicated message that will build public confidence.
- The mutual Pure Michigan Pledge is to be proudly displayed and expressed all over the State for the rest of the year (and possibly beyond). This will be a constant visual and audible reminder that we will lessen the likelihood of a resurgence and protect ourselves and our loved ones by practicing safe, sensible behaviors as we engage in social life in Michigan.













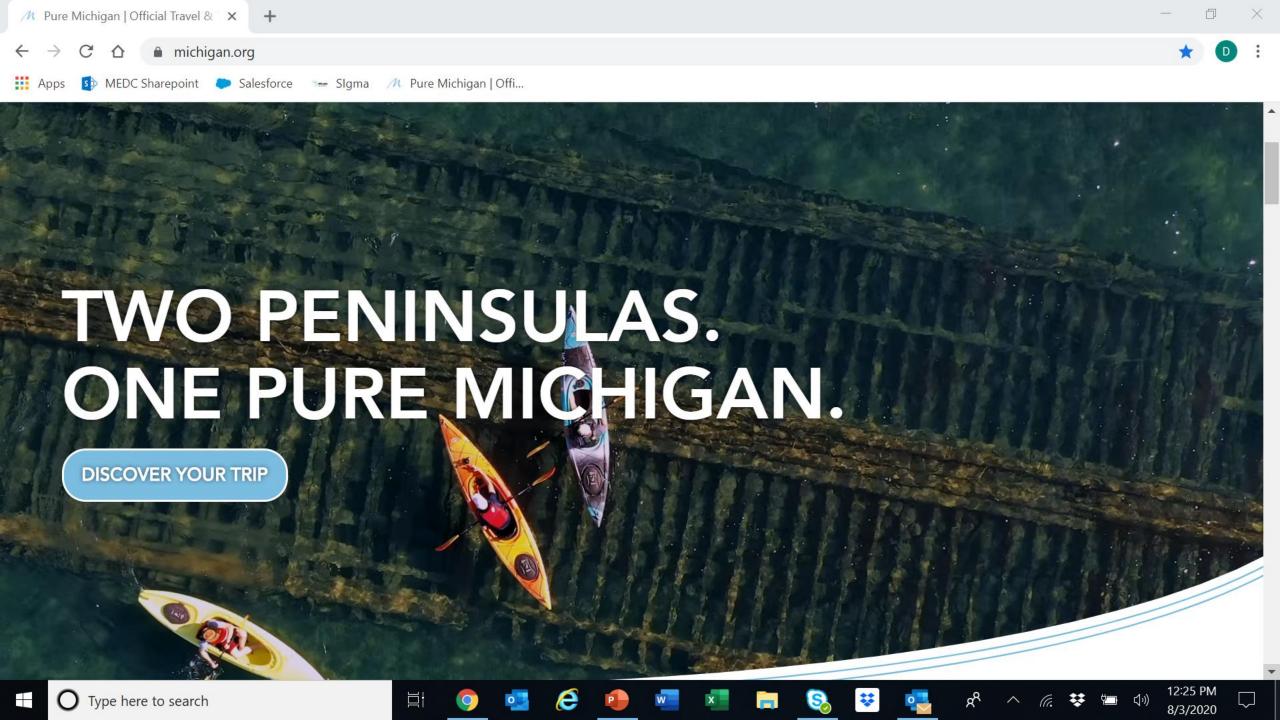


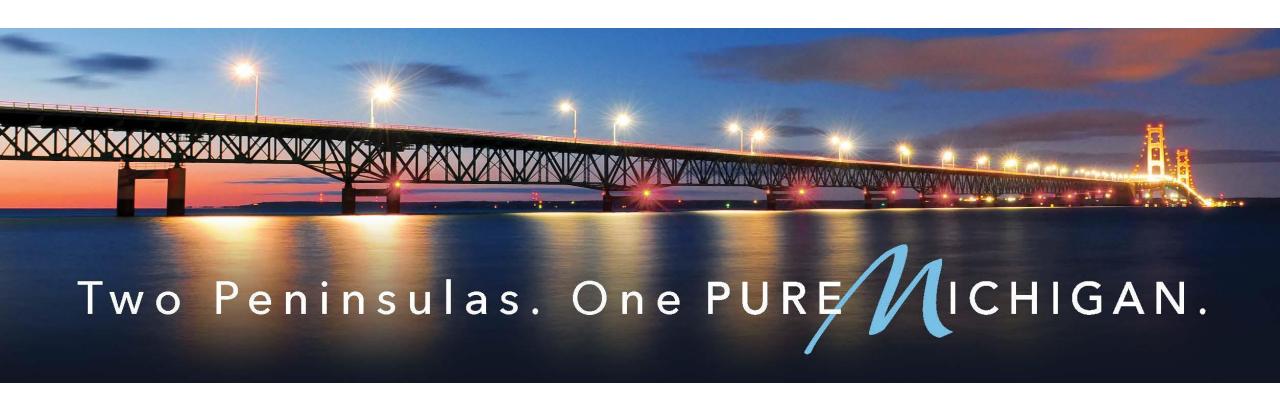






















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DISCOVER FLINT | TRAVEL SAFELY IN **PURE MICHIGAN**

Explore more of Flint:

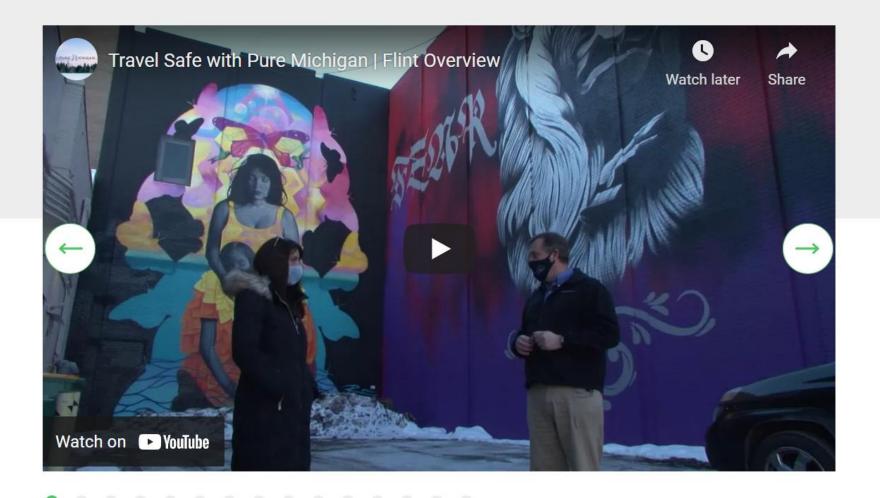
Capitol Theater →

Flint Institute of Arts →

Hilton Garden Inn →

Hoffman Deco Deli & Café →

Flint Farmers Market →



































NEW CHALLENGES

- Lack of domestic & foreign seasonal workers
- Expectations of "getting back to normal"
- Inflating costs of products and services
- Hybrid office, conference + conventions
- Competition from destination marketers with increased budgets from the Cares Act



A STRONG
PURE MICHIGAN
EFFORT WILL BE
NEEDED NOW
MORE THAN EVER.

NEED TO DOUBLE DOWN

- Marketing the state through a coordinated approach
- Product Development/Stewardship
- Advocacy: a coordinated approach at all levels

Understand the value of this \$26.3B industry which delivers \$2.9B in local/state tax revenue and more than 230,000 jobs.





2021 SUMMER CAMPAIGN

- Launched in March + ran into early July
- \$9M budget
- In-state and regional
- TV, Radio, Outdoor, Digital, Social
- Expedia & Kayak partnership
- Pandora Roadtrip playlist
- Media Relations
- Brand promotion/Kingsford





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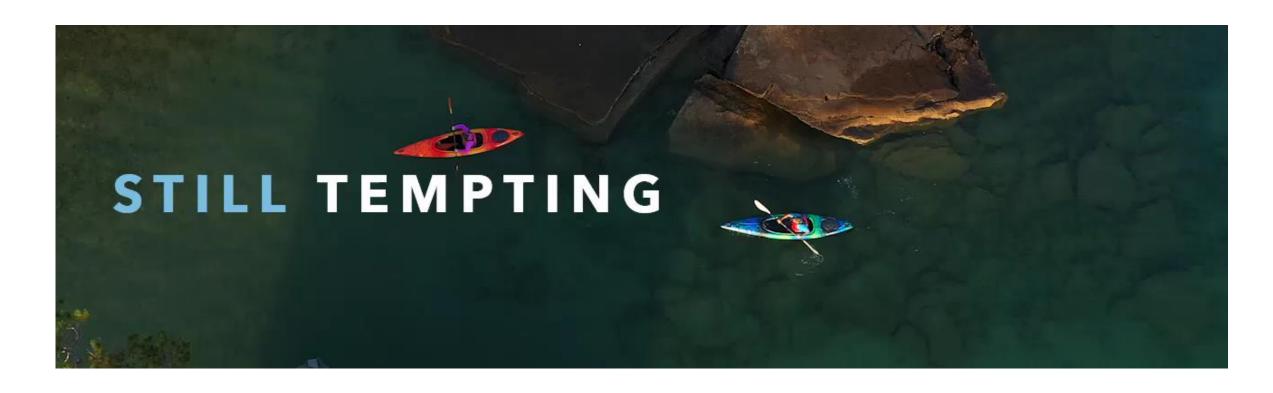








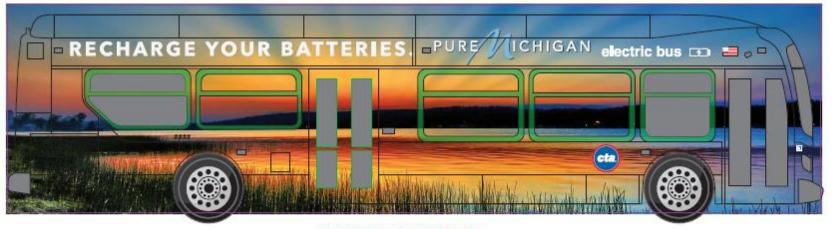
Pure Michigan/Outdoor



OOH / MINNEAPOLIS MOTION VIDEO BOARDS

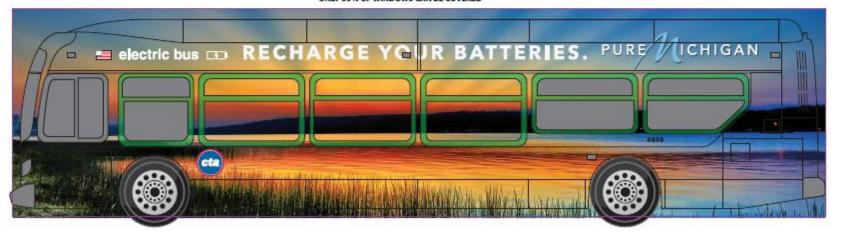


CHICAGO ELECTRIC BUS WRAP





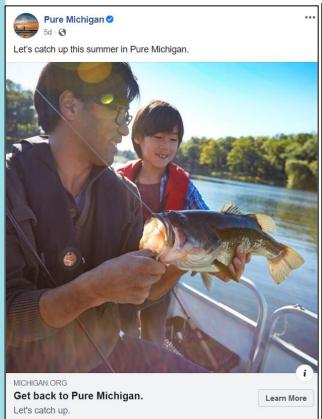


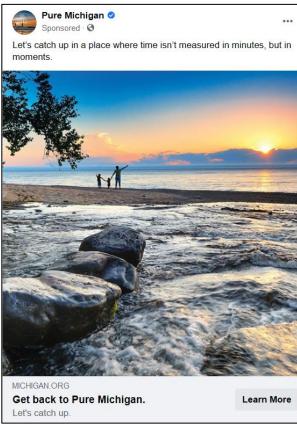




PAID SOCIAL-FACEBOOK/INSTAGRAM



















Catch Up

Summer's Here

Soundtrack of Summer



ACCESSIBILITY

• Strive to be the most accessible state

• Baby Boomer population is aging

• Need services to make the travel experience more enjoyable



BACK TO SCHOOL

School conversation could change

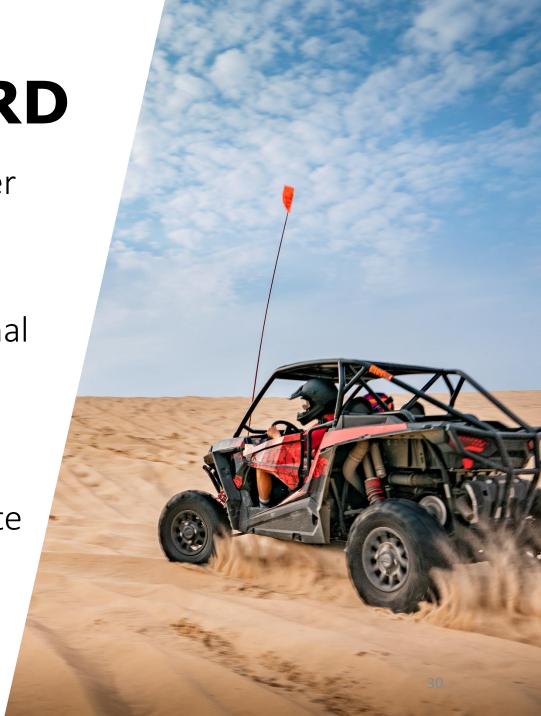
 New opportunity for virtual education/work while traveling for leisure

 Create new dialogue with education community as a partner



CONTINUE FORWARD

- Continue to improve appreciation of other people and cultures (DEI)
- Continue to focus on pet travel
- Be prepared to welcome back international travelers and Great Lakes cruises
- Big cities and business travel will be slow to recover, but leisure travel will help
- Improve perception as "arts-friendly" state
- Develop a sensible sharing economy strategy



MARKETING THE DESTINATION

- Local Municipalities & destination marketing organizations need to work closely together to "manage the experience" and the destination
 - CVB'S & Chambers should be your best resource
 - Get to know local media-be proactive & engage
 - Social Media-you are an influencer/engage others
- Use "Pure Michigan"
 - Website (www.Michigan.org)
 - Public Relations/radio program/enewsletters
 - Travel Ideas magazine
 - Social Media



