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Subject: Re: Shocking Report On Chambers /CVBs IRS violations and more

Thanks very much, Skip. I take great pride in my work and one of the underlying "old school" goals of journalism is "truth, justice and the American way."

And having seen up close and personal for so long how incompetent and corrupt virtually all CVBs are, in large cities and small towns, I commend your efforts to lead this fight.

We'll see where it goes...

Thanks.

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On Wednesday, July 9, 2014 11:33 AM, Skipphoagland <skipphoagland@yahoo.com> wrote:

John after studying all this for 25yrs myself and reading this , you are in my opinion one of the leading Authorities on CVBs / Chambers including travel and Tourism. I have copied the ex directors and their lawyers for comment and debate !!!!

Extremely powerful and 100% true and accurate void of all opinions left to debate . Its obvious like me you are not afraid to tell and expose the truth and all facts . Those who don't will simply help reduce the next generation of young Entrepreneurs to more dead end streets . This Chamber/Cvb issue is huge because it goes after abuse , violations and corruption in every city in America all at one time . It also exposed the Irs which as we all know can not be trusted and now refuses to enforce the non profit tax codes as written . By IRS not acting is hurting our country by not collecting taxes that are used for our military , schools , roads etc . IRS is also allowing massive damage to many for profit free enterprise companies being at a huge disadvantage trying to survive competing against

non profits in the same business . This simply can not be allowed to continue . This report along with my lawsuits certainly prove the point that no one can or will debate effectively . The question is will our justice system work as intended on this giant issue causing damages in the Billions of dollars to tax payers , our country and the free enterprise system ??? Again it's mainly the local media like Newspapers, Radio , TV , billboards being abused by the Chambers /CVBs draining local ad pools and putting money in their pockets denying , abusing and violating local media sales those ad dollars . A chamber /Cvb as you pointed out should not be in any business whatsoever regardless travel agency , banking , insurance , media etc. The job is simply to promote those business who are , not look at some members as competitors and trying to destroy them like is happening in SC in Hikton Head , Charleston and Myrtle beach.

This report along with the Report done by Thenerve.org , articles searched on Huffington post about the abuse of the US Chamber and its President salaried at 4.7 m , jet and limo ,will educate fully every local media nationwide on how to identify all this in their city and what needs to be done to clean it all up. As you mentioned everyone can simply order easily on line a IRS form 990 on every non profit to see some forms of possible abuse like salaries and then dig deeper demanding transparency as we have done in our recent lawsuit against our local Chamber . This form 990 can be ordered for free on non profits you join or donate to , so you can fully identify if your money is being used properly

As you know we now can also provide a complete How To kit to anyone in every city in America on how to set up their own competitive non profit 501-c6 Chamber /Cvb in their city and state that is very inexpensive to do and we can provide all the tools and even a how to video . The existing Chamber /Cvb model in the age of technology is ineffective and abusive . Our new model works and reduces all abuse and violations , yet it holds true to the original intent and vision of having a local business league / association that fully supports all local businesses to survive and prosper in the community . The separate Cvb mission is simply to promote/ market the city to increase visitation and even relocation using local and state tax dollars and do so in a professional , effective , responsible and "fully " transparent way . Thanks

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On Jul 9, 2014, at 9:54 AM, John Buchanan <jtwg50@yahoo.com> wrote:

Skip: Here's the final draft of the "Master Plan." It is CC'd to all recipients of your original e-mail yesterday. It might go to Spam folders for some of them, so please confirm with each that they got it.
Thanks.

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