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To the Task Force Members:

Thank you for the time and effort you are taking to revisit this issue of our community.

I am a 38 year resident and have been affected by the tourism industry since 1988 when I moved into Lemon Creek.

By 1993, there were many helicopters flying over my home all day, all week through out the summer.

I now live on Thane Road, and the industry has grown tremendously since 1993. And for the neighborhood it has become a health and safety issue with the gridlock of traffic that happens between the tram an city hall.

I do not want to eliminate the summer cruise ship industry, many great things have happened to Juneau because of this industry. life here has been enhanced in many ways.

I would like to address my concerns through three headings; limits , revenues and new paradigm.

#### LIMITS

- \* No Mega ships larger than the Panamax ships, with passengers up to 6000 per ship.
- \* No NCL dock
- \* No hot berthing of Panamax ships
- \* Limit the number of new shops especially jewelry stores owned by the cruise lines, or out of town owners.
- \* Limit the tourist zone to below S.Franklin at Front St.
- \* Eliminate pedicabs below Ferry way.
- \* Limit cruise ship passengers to 10,000 per day
- \* Put a cap on Whale watching boats and tours per day.

#### REVENUES

- \* Increase head tax on ship passengers
- \* Rescind assembly's decision to not tax on board sales of excursions.
- \* Consider establishing a tax for vacant buildings, and closed businesses, or some other incentive to stay open throughout the year.

#### NEW PARADIGM

- \* All electric cruise line buses within two years .
- \* Electrify the docks
- \* Limiting the spread of the tourist zone
- \* Cruise ship free day....at least one day a week.

Thank you all again for the time and effort it takes to be a task force member.

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