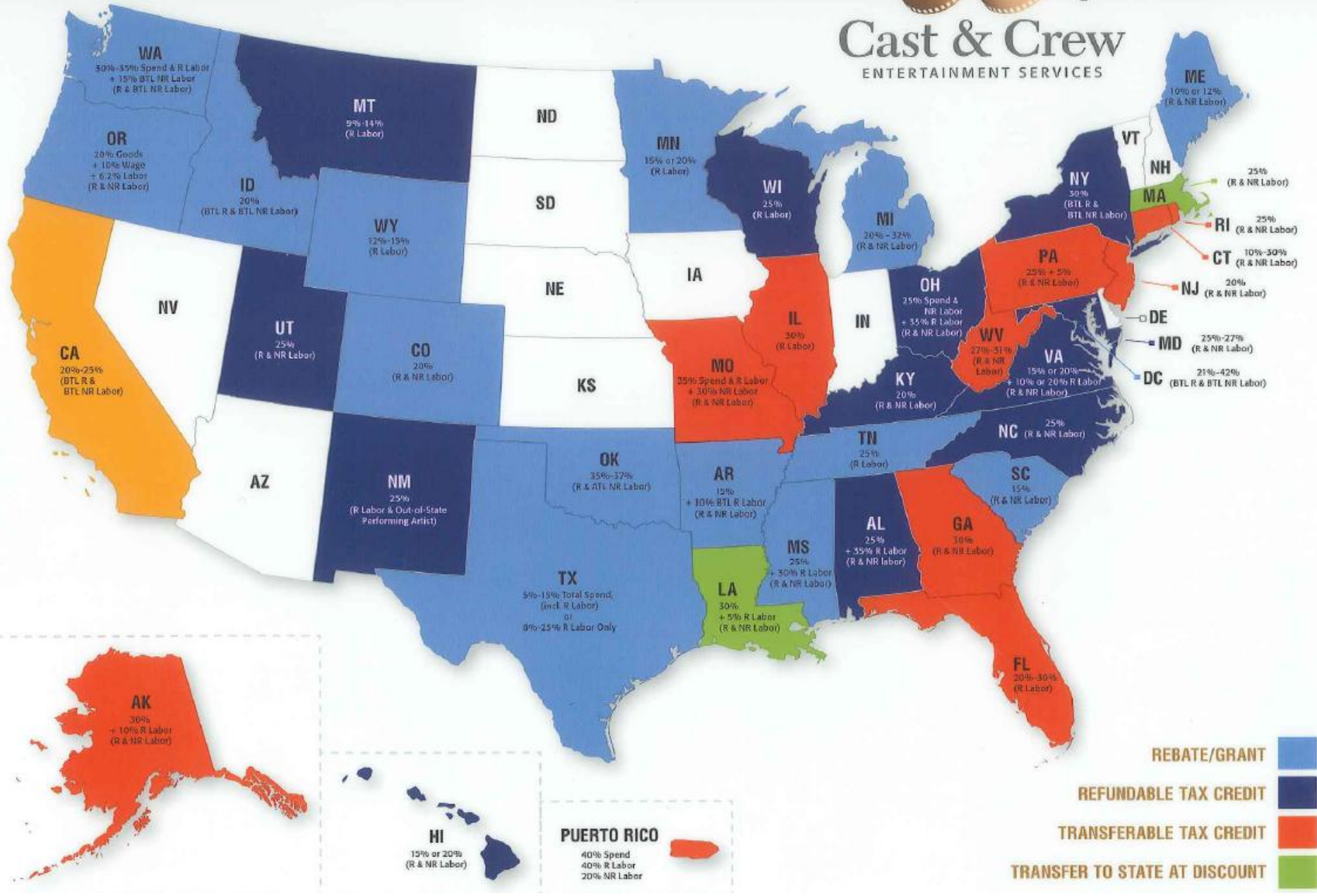


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Types of tax incentives



- Rebate—Grant SC
- Tax Refund—NC
- Transferable Tax Credit—GA
- State buys back credit---LA,
MA

SC Incentives competitive again

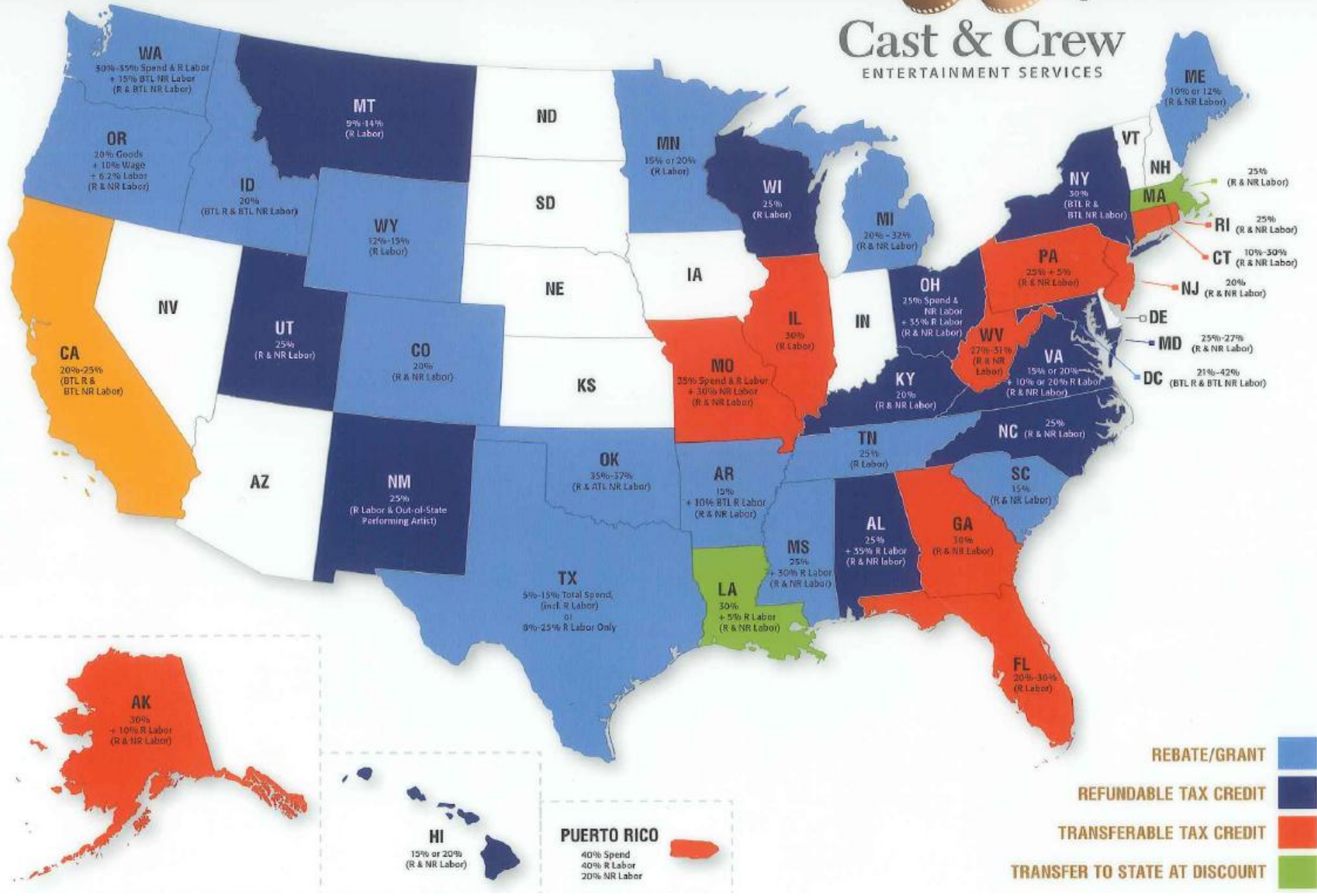


- Runaway (From California) Production
- Since 2002 in the US
- Since 2004 in SC
- SC incentives now permanent up to 25% wage, 30% SC vendors, no Sales tax
- SC competitive again with its neighbors

- **2012 project summary report:**
- 22 million dollars in direct spending by projects that wanted incentives from SC.
- Almost 5 million in spending on catalogues, commercials, print ads that we assisted with or recruited—no incentives.

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Benefits to SC



- Film hires: 175 cast and crew (40 days to 6 months)
- 40 SC residents
- 135 “visitors”
- Up to 1000 extras/Background
- Rebate goes to company not employees/actors/producers

Local Spending



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- Direct spending with SC vendors
- Hotels, cars, equipment (lifts), food vendors, restaurants, clothing stores, furniture and antiques, hardware, drycleaners, florists, churches, car wash, cell phones, dumpsters, fuel, ice, port-a-john, water, yoga, massage, doctors

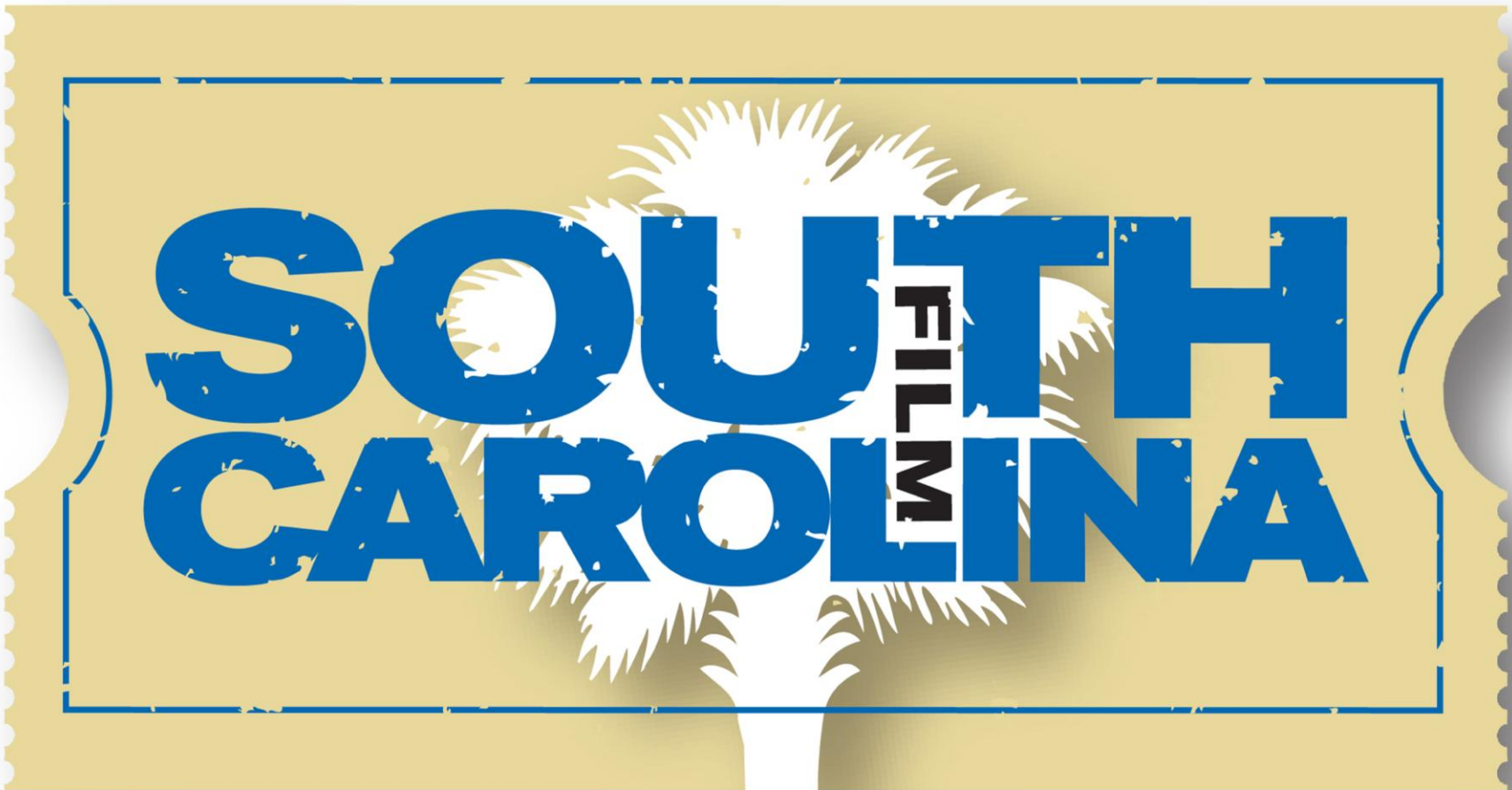
- Productions filmed or set in South Carolina may have influenced **1.6 million household visits** and **\$1.7 billion in travel spending** in South Carolina during the past ten years.
- Half of leisure travelers (54%) report that a production has influenced them to select a vacation destination while a third (36%) have visited a location or site in SC.

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