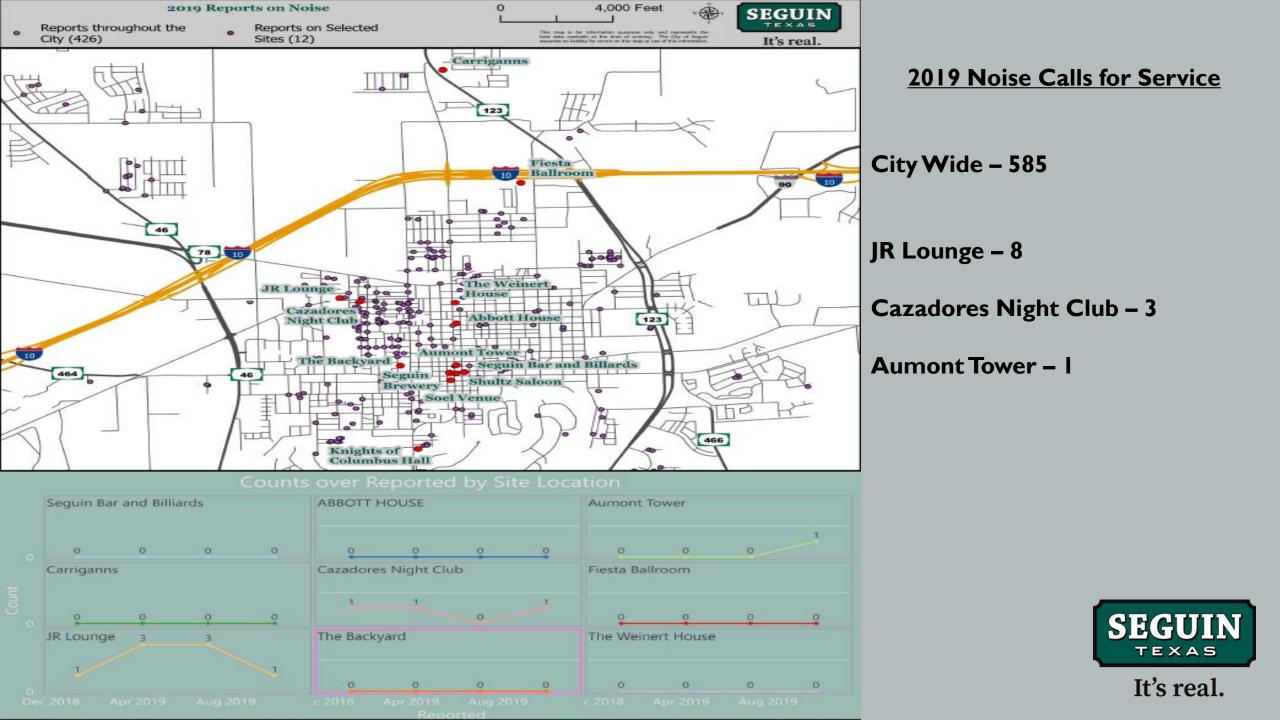
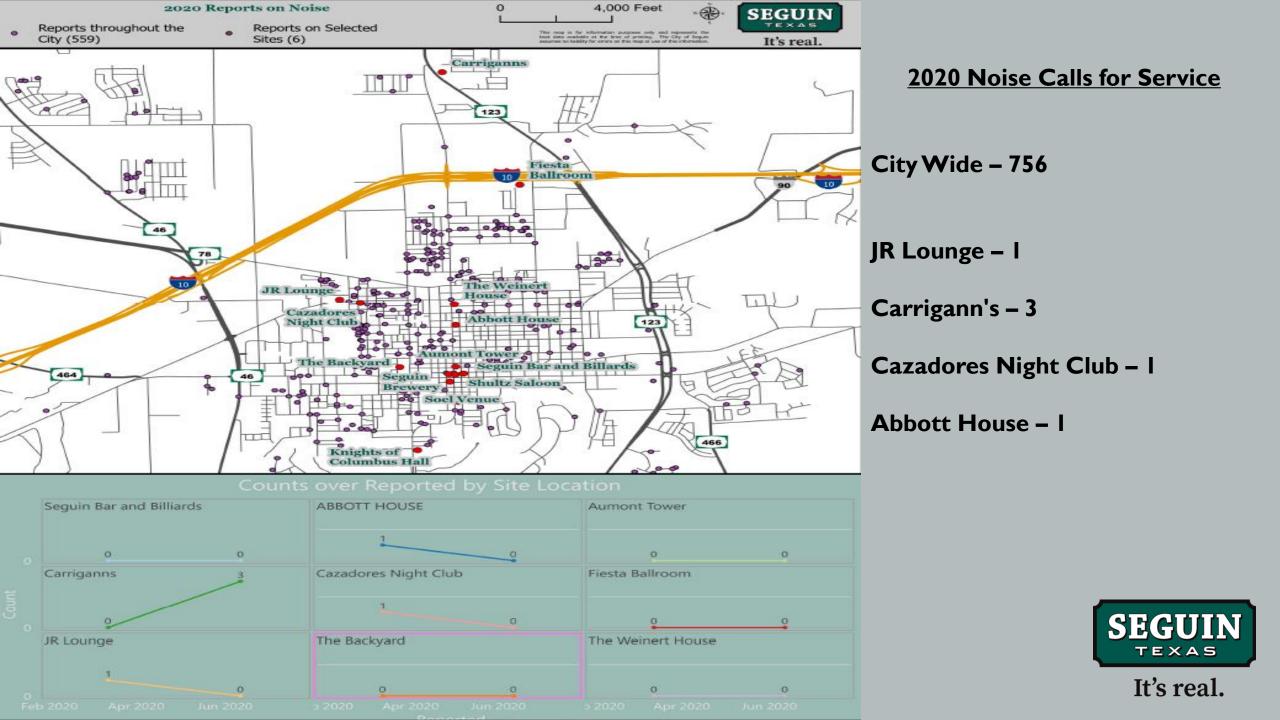
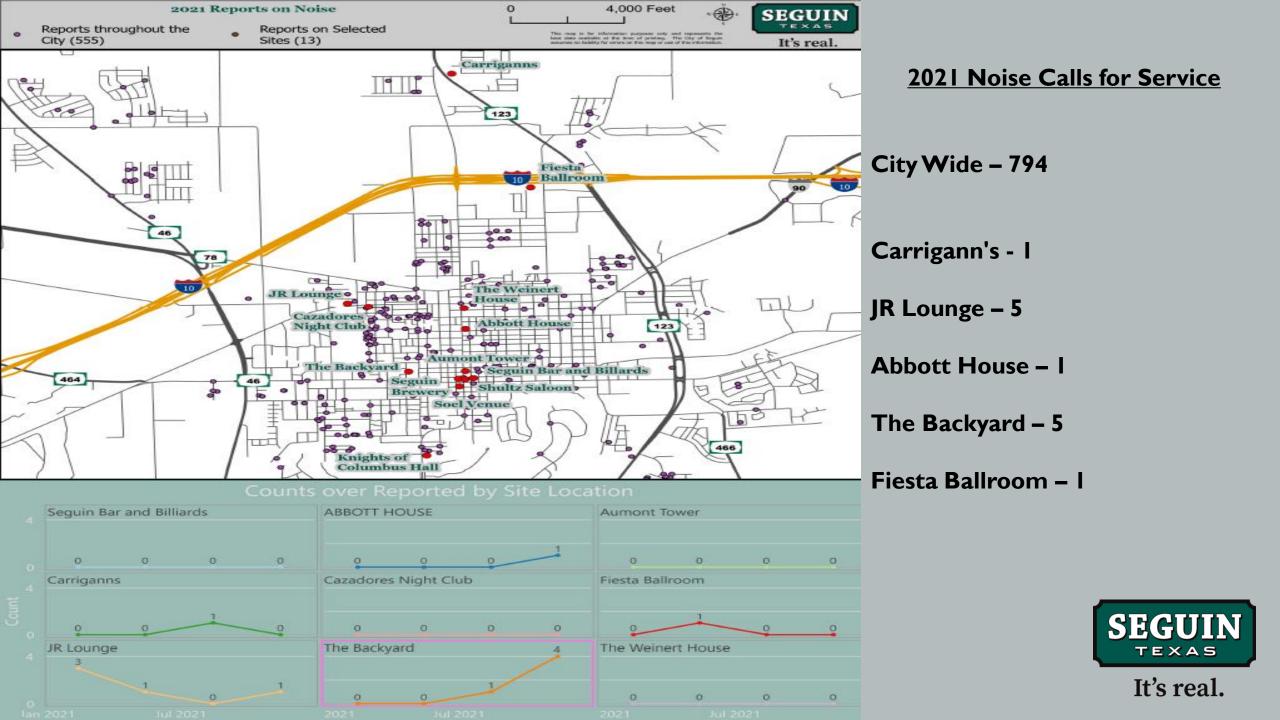
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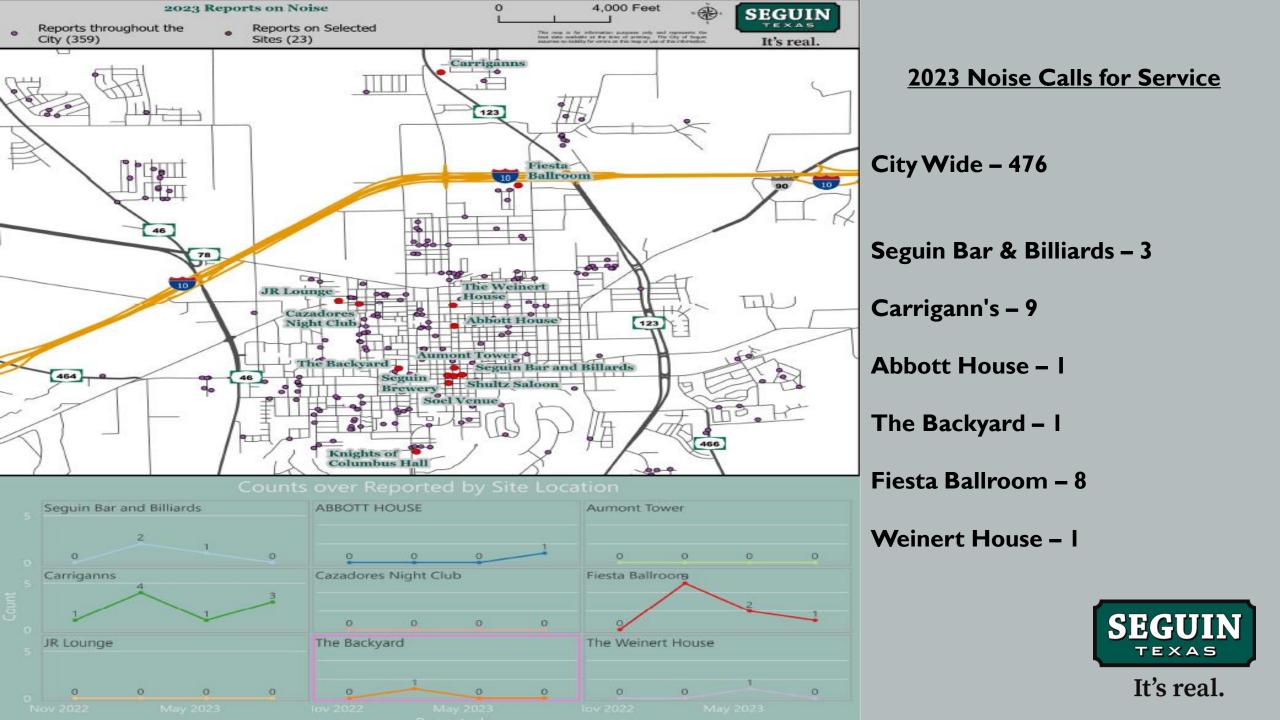












2019 - 2023

- 3,287 City Wide Noise Complaints
 - 101 Establishment Complaints
 - 5 Abbott House
 - I Aumont Tower
 - I5 Carrigann's
 - 4 Cazadores Night Club
 - 14 Fiesta Ballroom
 - 23 JR Lounge
 - **5 Seguin Bar & Billiards**
 - 34 The Backyard
 - I Weinert House



SEGUIN DECIBEL READINGS

- Thursday, October 26
- 36.5 Carrigann's
- 40.1 Cazadores Night Club
- 39.6 JR Lounge
- 40.3 Seguin Bar & Billiards
- 39.3 The Backyard
- 40.9 Varsity Inn

Friday, October 27

- 43.5 Carrigann's
- 48.1 Cazadores Night Club
- 66.7 JR Lounge
- 58 Seguin Bar & Billiards
- 84.4 The Backyard (Concert)
- 42.9 Varsity Inn
- 39.2 467 Tavern
- 54.3 Abbott House
- 60.1 Aumont Tower
- 65.3 Highwater Bar
- 73.5 Schultz Saloon



SEGUIN NOISE ORDINANCE

- **Decibel Limits**
 - 63 decibels, 70 decibels, 72 decibels (Residential, Mixed/Commercial Use, Industrial)
- **Distance Limit**
 - Unlawful between 10:00 pm and 7:00 am to produce sound plainly audible at a distance of 100 feet
- Vibration Limit
 - Unlawful to create vibration at a distance of 50 feet
- Noise Nuisance
 - Playing of a . . . radio . . . instrument . . . sound amplifier . . . that annoys, distresses, or disturbs the quiet, comfort, or repose of any person.
- Numerous other prohibited noises such as loud language, animals, horns, audible advertising, raucous shouting.



SAN MARCOS NOISE ORDINANCE

Commercial Property

- Decibel Limits
 - 85 decibels between 10:00 am and 10:00 pm
 - 75 decibels between 10:00 pm and 10:00 am



NEW BRAUNFELS NOISE ORDINANCE

Residential District

- 85 decibels from 10:00 am to 10:00 pm
- 75 decibels all other times
- **Nonresidential Property**
 - Music Venues
 - Not located within 100 feet of a residential district 85 decibels
 - Located within 100 feet of residential district 85 decibels (10:00 am through 10:00 pm), 80 decibels all other times
 - All Other Nonresidential Property
 - Not located within 100 feet of residential district 85 decibels at all times
 - Located within 100 feet of residential district- 85 decibels (10:00 am through 10:00 pm), 75 decibels all other times



CIBOLO NOISE ORDINANCE

- **Residential District**
 - 85 decibels from 10:00 am to 10:00 pm
 - 75 decibels all other times
- **Nonresidential Property**
 - Music Venues
 - Not located within 150 feet of a residential district 85 decibels
 - Located within 150 feet of residential district 85 decibels (10:00 am through 10:00 pm), 75 decibels all other times
 - All Other Nonresidential Property
 - Not located within 150 feet of residential district 85 decibels at all times
 - Located within 150 feet of residential district- 85 decibels (10:00 am through 10:00 pm), 75 decibels all other times



SCHERTZ NOISE ORDINANCE

Unlawful to play a radio ... similar device or musical instrument between 10:00 pm and 7:00 am that disturbs the quiet, comfort or repose of ordinary persons.

Use of any stationary loud speaker or amplifier that disturbs ordinary sensibilities of a person between 10:00 pm and 7:00 am.



UNIVERSAL CITY NOISE ORDINANCE

Use of any stationary loud speaker or amplifier that annoys or disturbs ordinary sensibilities of a person between 10:00 pm and 7:00 am.



CONVERSE NOISE ORDINANCE

Unlawful to play any radio . . . musical instrument, or device emitting a musical beat as to annoy, distress, or disturb the quiet, comfort, or repose of normal persons.



CITY PERMITS



OUTDOOR FESTIVAL PERMITS

• Required for <u>outdoor</u> concerts, carnivals, trade shows, or other <u>outdoor</u> events:

- Where performances or the audience are not located within a permanent structure; and
- Where the performance is located on property <u>other than</u> City owned parks & facilities, permanent campuses including church and school facilities, or other permanent locations designed to accommodate mass gatherings.
- Not allowed in residential-zoned districts.
- Regulations adopted in the Unified Development Code (UDC), Section 2.15.
- Submitted to the Planning & Codes Department.
 - Reviewed by Planning & Codes, Fire, and Police.

• Required to comply with the local noise ordinance. (Not Exempt)



SPECIFIC USE PERMITS

- Required for certain land uses (identified in the zoning regulations):
 - Examples- outdoor amusement facilities, vet clinics w/ outside pens, kennels, event facilities in R-1/R-2
 - Regulations adopted in the Unified Development Code (UDC), Section 3.4
- Requires approval by the Planning & Zoning Commission.
 - Notifications sent to surrounding properties; public hearing held at the P&Z meeting.
- Conditions can be placed on the permit to protect surrounding properties from nuisances.
 - Conditions of the permit are enforced by the Planning & Codes Dept.

• Events are required to comply with the local noise ordinance. (Not Exempt)



SPECIAL EVENT PERMITS

• Required for large events that take place in City streets or on City-owned properties.

- Some events require Facility Rentals.
- Requirements vary based on type of event.

• Submitted to the Parks Dept.

- Events downtown are submitted to the Main Street Dept.
- Reviewed by Parks and/or Main Street, Fire, and Police
- Required to comply with the local noise ordinance. (Not Exempt)

