

## **Getting Here Information Packet**

## Belize International Airport, Belize City Philip S.W. Goldson International Airport – airport code: BZE

From Philip S.W. Goldson International Airport in Belize City, there are several options to reach ReefCl located in Placencia, Belize.

1. You can fly down on a 'hopper' plane to Placencia on Tropic Air. The flight takes about 45 minutes and costs \$233.75 USD round trip and is an exciting ride. Most guests choose this option.

Have your camera ready as you will fly low enough to take in all the beautiful scenery with the jungle on one side and the reef on the other. We will send a taxi or a representative from a hotel or ReefCl will meet you at the Placencia airstrip.

ReefCl is an agent for Tropic Air and can reserve these flights for you. The flights are the same price; however, you do not need to pay for them until check in. Plus, if there are any delays or you need to change or cancel the reservations, there are no penalties.

- 2. For the eco-conscious, more adventurous, and budget-wise traveler, you can catch a luxury bus service. <u>Placencia Resorts Airport Shuttle Services</u> (PRASS) is a luxury coach service that provides the most comfortable streamline transit from Philip S. W. Goldson International Airport (Belize International Airport) to Placencia and passes through beautiful countryside. To limit their ecological footprint, they are proud to be Belize's first coach service to utilize only hybrid shuttles!! Their luxury coach shuttles also provide complimentary Wi-Fi and refreshments. Round trip service costs about \$150 USD.
- 3. For those on a tight budget, you can catch an express bus from Belize City bus station which leaves around 3.30pm and costs less than \$15 USD. The journey takes around 4-5 hours and takes you through some of Belize's most breathtaking countryside. You will arrive in Placencia between 7-8pm. It is a long journey, especially after an International flight.

If you are planning to take the bus option just for the scenery, you may regret not taking the Tropic flight option!

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If travelling from the UK or Europe, you will need to fly to the US and then catch a connection down to Belize International (BZE). At present, there are no direct flights from Europe.

There are direct flights available from London Gatwick (LGW) airport into Cancun, Mexico, which can work out cheaper. From Cancun, ADO (Mexico's first class bus service) run safe and comfortable overnight buses direct into Belize City. They leave Cancun around 10pm and arrive in Belize City before 8am; the cost is only \$50 USD per person. Alternatively, you can book a <u>Tropic Air</u> flight from Cancun to Belize city.

Another International Hub in Central America is Guatemala City and flights via the US are often very reasonably priced. From Guatemala City you can catch a bus to Puerto Barrios taking 5-6 hours then a 50-minute water taxi across to Belize, arriving in Punta Gorda. Then another bus which takes around 2 hours to Placencia.

Try <u>kayak</u>, <u>google flights</u>, or <u>skyscanner</u> for searching the best flight options.

The major United States airlines servicing Belize International (BZE) are American Airlines, Continental Airlines, United Airlines, Delta, US Air and TACA airlines.

If you have any questions, please call Polly in Belize at + 501-626-1429 or email <a href="mailto:info@reefci.com">info@reefci.com</a> your phone number and a good time to chat and we will call you.

We are happy to answer any questions via email as well. Simply email us at <a href="mailto:info@reefci.com">info@reefci.com</a> with your questions. We always respond within 24 hours or sooner.

Please see what our guests are saying about us on <u>TripAdvisor</u>.

If you have not done so already, reserve your spot today!

We look forward to welcoming you to ReefCI and beautiful Belize!