

# the honk front end

1. Select a topic from the dropdown menu
2. Select specific info with the category buttons
3. Read content in the right side panel
4. Get contact info in the People panel
5. During the call, focus on the Message panel

[host can change the **logo**, **title**, and **statement**]

[host creates the **topics** that appear in the menu]

open honk **instruction** panel

click **category buttons** to reveal content

cheery mood

[host chooses categories and creates new ones]

open **options** panel

toggle **highlighter**

**category content**, one topic at a time, for one or more info categories

[category info, written or curated by host]

[bracketed items can be set by the owner in the wordpress admin]

[host organization can indicate **source/copyright info**]

The interface shows a header with a logo, title, and statement. Below is a navigation menu with a dropdown menu. A central panel contains category buttons (Summary, Message, People, Notes, Timing, Impacts, Context, Values) and a main content area displaying the selected category's details. An options panel is visible at the bottom.

## options panel (when opened)

**every clicked category** remains open in the same panel

**Behaviour**

- Preview on hover
- Multiple selection

**Your data**

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- 

Save your notes & highlights to return later

**Actions**

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category content **appears when cursor** is over button (desktop only)

**download** user notes and highlighting and **upload** saved notes etc.

**clear user highlighting** for the current category

The options panel is divided into three sections: Behaviour, Your data, and Actions. Each section contains specific settings and actions for the user to manage their experience and data.

# the honk admin

one honk: angry goose; many honks: **migration**

1. **Info** overview and detailed instructions
2. **Global settings** - header content and presets, import/export
3. **Collections**: each public honk panel contains one collection with one or more topics; create multiple instances on one site with different topic sets
4. **Topics** - individual issues, such as government bills or policies
5. **Topic editor** - write text, add & organize categories within topics

1.



Save to Database

save to make changes visible on the front end

INFO

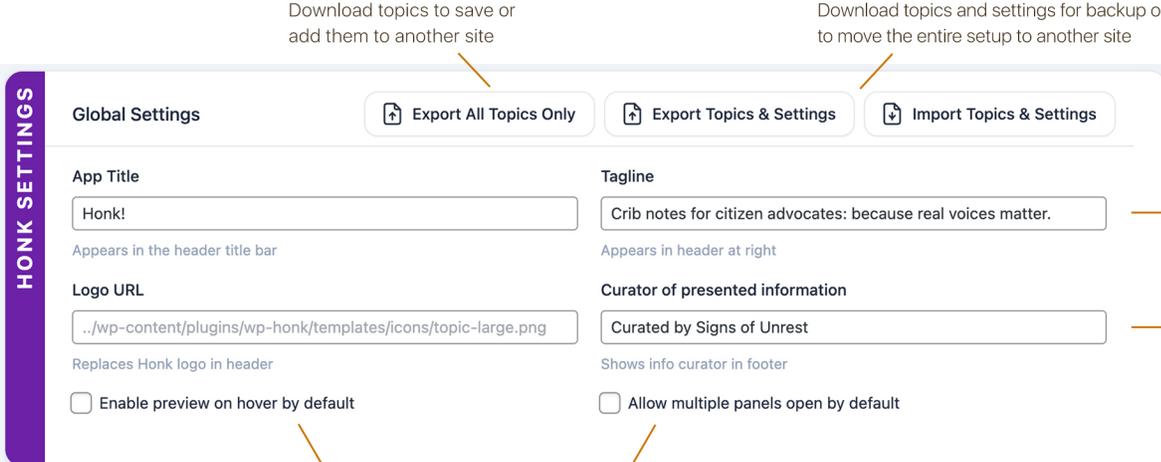
Admin instructions:

Honk is a topic organizer that allows campaign leaders to break down issues and present phone scripts on a Wordpress site. In turn this allows citizen advocates to contact leadership with minimal preparation.

Expand

open honk instruction panel

2.



Download topics to save or add them to another site

Download topics and settings for backup or to move the entire setup to another site

Export All Topics Only

Export Topics & Settings

Import Topics & Settings

HONK SETTINGS

Global Settings

App Title

Honk!

Appears in the header title bar

Tagline

Crib notes for citizen advocates: because real voices matter.

Appears in header at right

Logo URL

../wp-content/plugins/wp-honk/templates/icons/topic-large.png

Replaces Honk logo in header

Curator of presented information

Curated by Signs of Unrest

Shows info curator in footer

Enable preview on hover by default

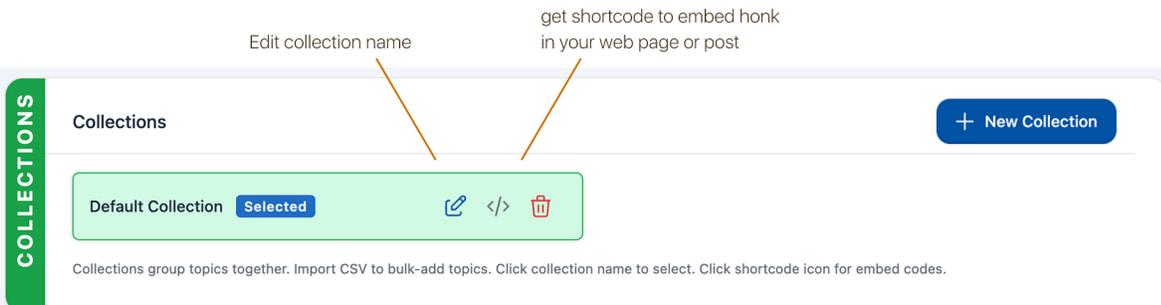
Allow multiple panels open by default

logo, title and tagline for the header

this text tells people who wrote the content; appears in the footer

These interactivity settings can be changed by users in the options panel in the front end

3.



Edit collection name

get shortcode to embed honk in your web page or post

+ New Collection

COLLECTIONS

Collections

Default Collection Selected

Collections group topics together. Import CSV to bulk-add topics. Click collection name to select. Click shortcode icon for embed codes.

4. **TOPICS**

Sample template lets you create new topics offline

Import and export topics

Export Sample Template | Import Topics (CSV) | Export Topics (CSV) | + New Topic

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|---|---------------------------------------|---|---------------------------------------|
| C-2 Strong Borders                        | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ▶ | C-12  | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ▶ |
| BC_old_growth_2025                        | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ▶ | Alberta Bill 9 – Protecting Alberta's Children 2025 | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ▶ |
| Bill C-6 – Appropriation Act No.1 2025–26 | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> ▶ |   |                                       |

**Topic controls:** enable / disable, move, copy, delete

5. **TOPIC EDITOR**

Edit topic name

Topic Editor ID: bc-old-growth-2025-jz3xcb

Topic Title \*  Short Description

Shown in dropdown  Topic is active

Categories + Add Category

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|--|--|
| <b>Summary</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Enabled <input type="button" value="EDIT"/> <input type="button" value="↑"/> <input type="button" value="↓"/> | <b>Message</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Enabled <input type="button" value="EDIT"/> <input type="button" value="↑"/> <input type="button" value="↓"/> |
| <b>People</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Enabled <input type="button" value="EDIT"/> <input type="button" value="↑"/> <input type="button" value="↓"/>  | <b>Timing</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Enabled <input type="button" value="EDIT"/> <input type="button" value="↑"/> <input type="button" value="↓"/>  |
| <b>Notes</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Enabled <input type="button" value="EDIT"/> <input type="button" value="↑"/> <input type="button" value="↓"/>   | <b>Impacts</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Enabled <input type="button" value="EDIT"/> <input type="button" value="↑"/> <input type="button" value="↓"/> |
| <b>Context</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Enabled <input type="button" value="EDIT"/> <input type="button" value="↑"/> <input type="button" value="↓"/> | <b>Values</b> <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Enabled <input type="button" value="EDIT"/> <input type="button" value="↑"/> <input type="button" value="↓"/>  |

**Category controls:** enable / disable, sort, edit name, delete

Open category text editor