Employs RESIDENTS

Tourism supports 1 in every 11 jobs in Lane County.



8,960 jobs generates over \$284 million in annual payroll.

Generates **REVENUE**

The tourism industry creates revenue for vital city and county needs. Local, state and federal tax revenue generated by visitors to Lane County is \$42 million, providing support for local parks, economic development and the arts.



Canoeing at Alton Baker Park



Creswell Bakery, Creswell

Supports LOCAL ECONOMY

2021 Lane County Visitor Spending \$860 Million

Lane County's top sectors benefitting from visitors spending



Returns **INVESTMENT**

The Eugene, Cascades & Coast region welcomes more than 3 million overnight visitors and a total of more than 5 million visitors each year.



In 2021-2022, these visitors spent \$860 million!

Every dollar invested in tourism-related marketing, capital projects and operational support results in more than a \$50 return.



Tourism Investment

Draws People & Dollars to Lane County







Partnering for **SUCCESS**

Travel Lane County is a recognized leader in achieving year-round economic growth through innovative destination marketing, product development and exceptional visitor experiences. We promote a brand of enriching, authentic and approachable experiences for all ages and abilities.

We are a private 501(c)6 nonprofit corporation, formed specifically to attract and serve visitors throughout the Eugene, Cascades & Coast region. Staff members partner with convention and meeting planners from across the region, throughout the United States and around the globe to create unique opportunities for attendees inside and outside the meeting room.

Through our collaboration with the Eugene, Cascades & Coast Sports Commission, we work with local, regional, national and international sports planners to grow current events and bring new events to our region.

Our region hosts more than 5 million visitors annually, thanks to combined efforts of Travel Lane County, the Eugene, Cascades & Coast Sports Commission, partners, area Chambers of Commerce, Lane County and all our

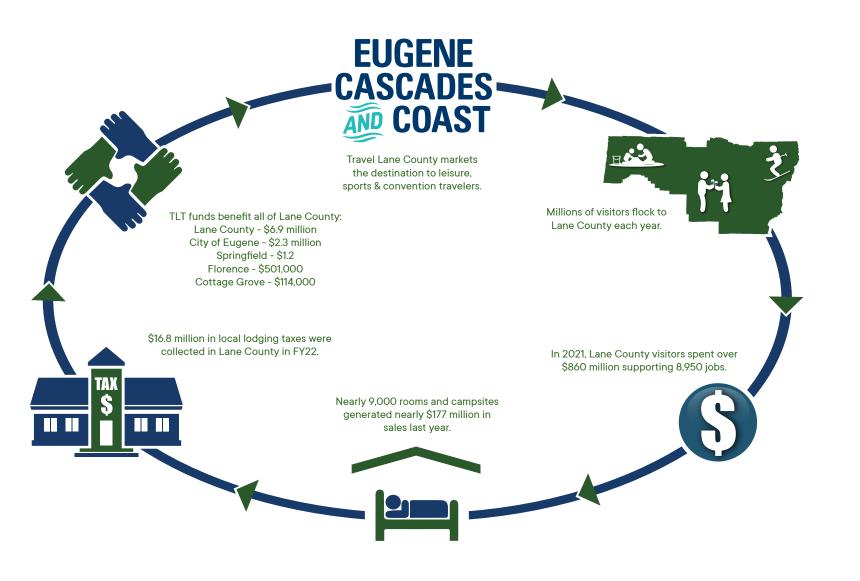
For more information on regional tourism and how to get involved, call us at 541.743.8770.

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Convention Bureau (ESVCB)

incorporated.

Transient lodging tax funds destination marketing

11%

11%

10.5%

10.5%

9.5%

destination marketing contract allocation of

2.1% be fully funded and not be reduced by

the dedicated parks TLT allocation established

in 2007.

In fiscal year 2022, transient lodging tax (TLT) yielded \$16.8 million county-wide.

Lane County and each city within the county has the authority to collect TLT. This tax is levied when patrons stay at any of the 5,500 rooms available at hotels, motels, lodges, bed and breakfasts, Airbnb and vacation rentals in the Eugene, Cascades & Coast region. In addition, 3,300 private, city, county and state RV parks and campground sites are also taxed.

The City of Eugene collects TLT for all cities and the county, then redistributes it to each jurisdiction. Lane County earns 8% on receipts throughout the county, with the exception of cities that

have initiated their own local TLT, such as the City of Eugene. In			
those instances, the difference – in Euclin 2020, Travel La	gene, for example	e, the city retains	4.5%
Community	County Tax Rate	State Tax Rate	Total Tax Rate

1.5%

1.5%

1.5%

1.5%

1.5%

9.5%

9.5%

9%

9%

8%

Eugene

Springfield

Florence

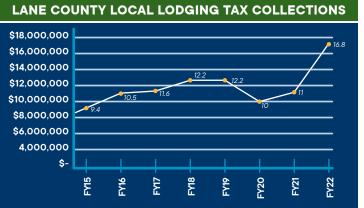
Other

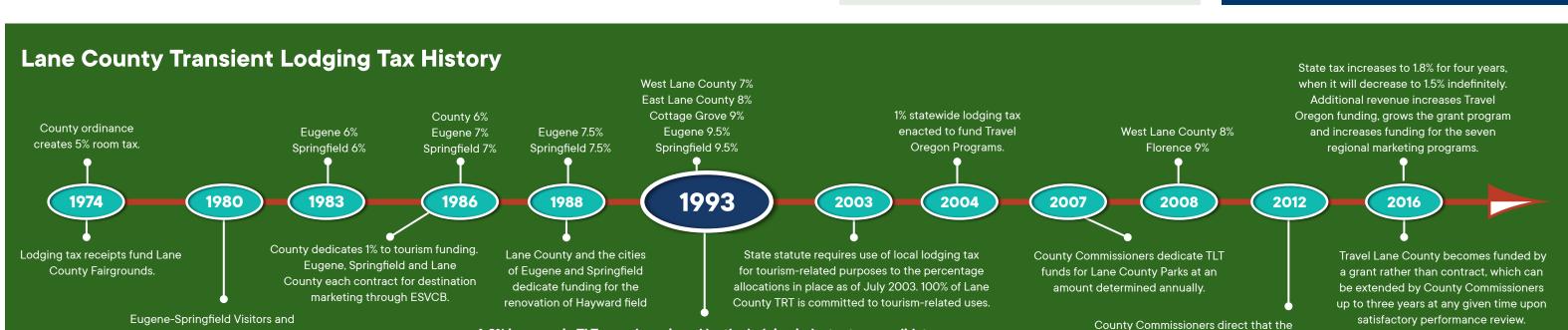
Cottage Grove

in TLT for the purpose of marketing the destination to three primary visitor markets: meetings and convention planners and attendees; leisure travelers; and sports event planners, participants and fans.

Travel Lane County staff strives to continually improve products and services to meet the changing needs of leisure, sports and convention travelers. When we succeed, overnight stays increase, which creates more transient room tax receipts that generate funding for future destination marketing efforts.

Funding destination marketing efforts also benefits the region as a whole, by creating an environment for economic success.





A 2% increase in TLT was championed by the lodging industry to consolidate

stable county-wide funding and marketing focus with the Convention & Visitors

Association of Lane County Oregon (Travel Lane County). The agreement

between the industry, the cities and Lane County provided established that

2.1% of the TLT rate be dedicated for destination marketing.