

# 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

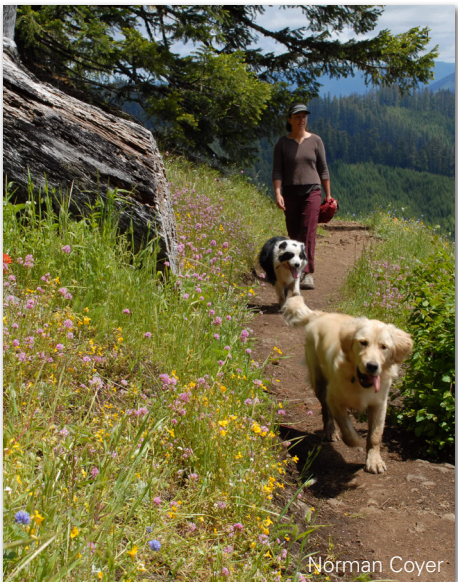
## Draws People & Dollars to Lane County



Melanie Griffin



AHM Brands



Norman Coyer

# 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.

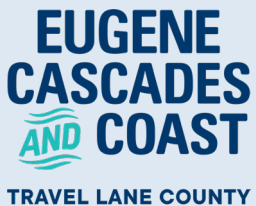
Through our collaboration with the Eugene, Cascades & Coast Sports Commission, we work with local, regional, national and international sports planners to grow current events and bring new events to our region.

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 cities.

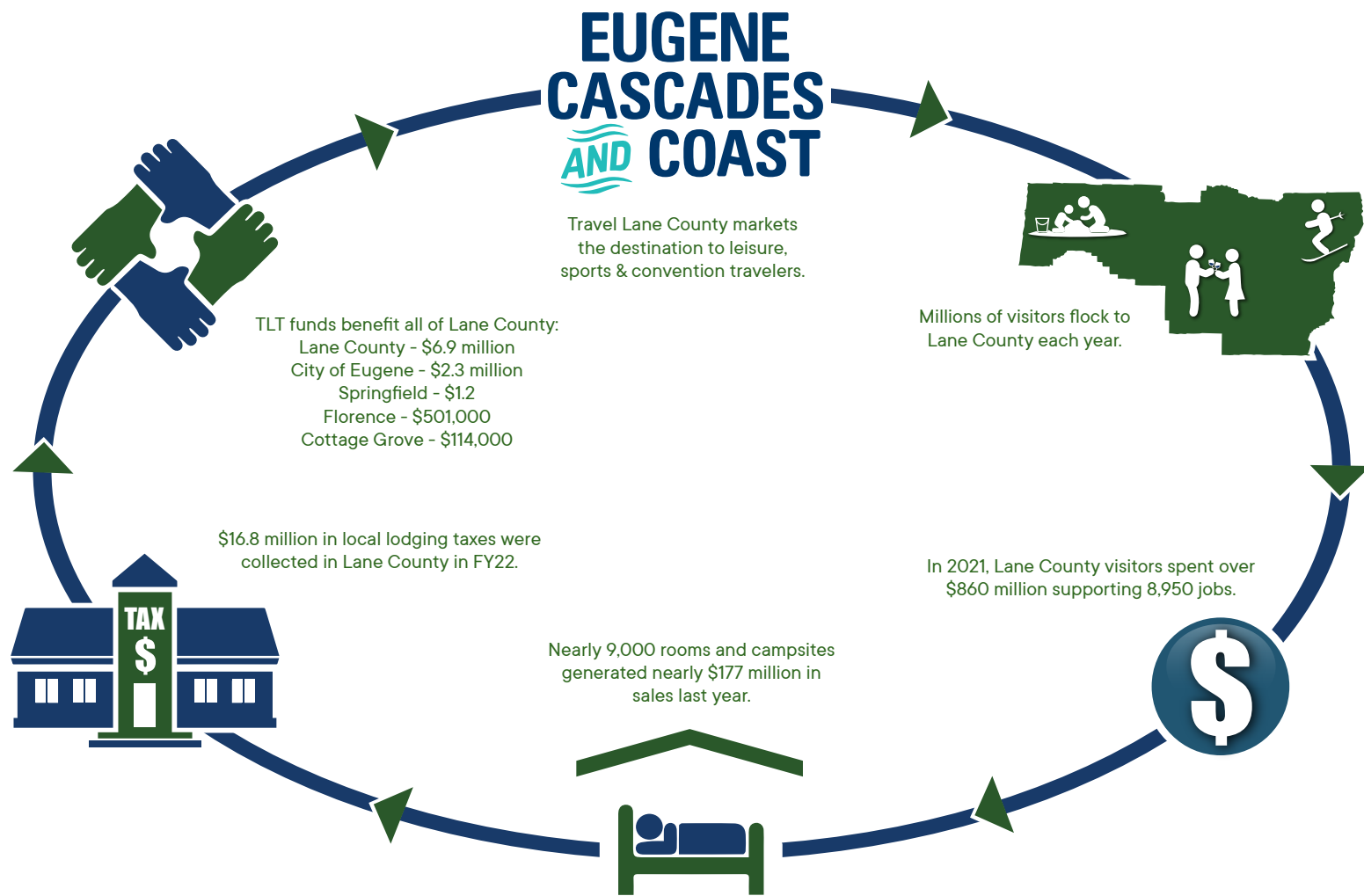
**For more information on regional tourism and how to get involved, call us at 541.743.8770.**

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## Transient lodging tax funds destination marketing

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.

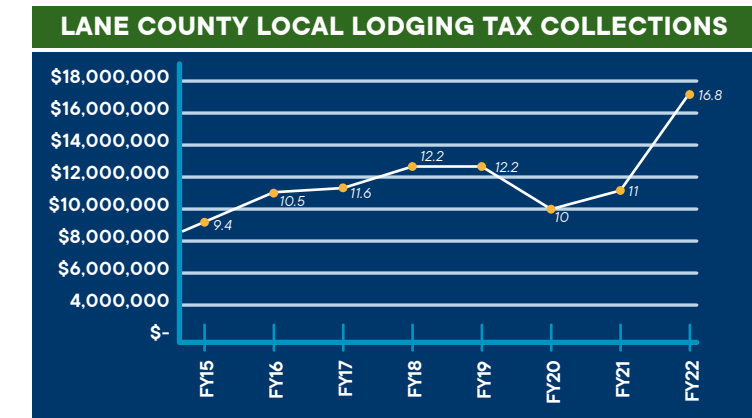
The City of Eugene collects TLT for all cities and the county, then redistributes it to each jurisdiction. Lane County earns 8% on receipts throughout the county, with the exception of cities that have initiated their own local TLT, such as the City of Eugene. In those instances, the county receives 5% and the city collects the difference – in Eugene, for example, the city retains 4.5% In 2020, Travel Lane County received approximately \$3.8 million

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 lodging 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.

Community	County Tax Rate	State Tax Rate	Total Tax Rate
Eugene	11.5%	1.5%	13%
Springfield	11.5%	1.5%	13%
Cottage Grove	11%	1.5%	12.5%
Florence	11%	1.5%	12.5%
Other	10%	1.5%	11.5%



## Lane County Transient Lodging Tax History

