

BLEDSOE COUNTY TRAVEL SNAPSHOT

Facts About a Leading Industry That's More Than Just Fun



BY THE NUMBERS

2018 Economic Impact (EI) of Tourism in Bledsoe County

- Rank **#93** out of 95 counties by EI
- Generated **\$3.5 MILLION** in direct tourism expenditures
- Generated **17 jobs**
- Produced **\$521.4 THOUSAND** in payroll
- Created **\$549. THOUSAND** in local tax revenue
- Created **\$198.2 THOUSAND** in state tax revenue

PER HOUSEHOLD

As a result of taxes generated by tourist activity in the county:

- Each household pays **\$160.20** less in local and state taxes
- Each household pays **\$117.70** less in local county taxes
- Each household pays **\$42.50** less in state taxes

ON AN AVERAGE DAY

On An Average Day in 2018, Tourist Spending in Bledsoe County

- Generated **\$9,522.44** in daily expenditures
- Produced **\$1,428.52** in daily payroll
- Created **\$1,504.00** daily in local tax revenues
- Created **\$543.05** daily in state tax revenues

IN OTHER WORDS....

If it were not for state and local taxes generated by tourism...

- *Each Bledsoe County household would pay \$160.20 more in taxes*

Sources: 2018 Economic Impact of Travel on Tennessee Counties Report
www.tnvacation.com/industry;
U.S. Census Bureau American Fact Finder
<https://factfinder.census.gov/>