

VAN BUREN COUNTY TRAVEL SNAPSHOT

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



BY THE NUMBERS

2018 Economic Impact (EI) of Tourism in Van Buren County

- Rank **#72** out of 95 counties by EI
- Generated **\$9.8 MILLION** in direct tourism expenditures
- Generated **71** jobs
- Produced **\$2.4 MILLION** in payroll
- Created **\$1. MILLION** in local tax revenue
- Created **\$551.4 THOUSAND** in state tax revenue

PER HOUSEHOLD

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

- Each household pays **\$727.36** less in local and state taxes
- Each household pays **\$471.62** less in local county taxes
- Each household pays **\$255.75** less in state taxes

ON AN AVERAGE DAY

On An Average Day in 2018, Tourist Spending in Van Buren County

- Generated **\$26,847.26** in daily expenditures
- Produced **\$6,474.04** in daily payroll
- Created **\$2,785.76** daily in local tax revenues
- Created **\$1,510.65** daily in state tax revenues

IN OTHER WORDS....

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

- *Each Van Buren County household would pay \$727.36 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/>