#### **OREGON'S OUTDOOR RECREATION ECONOMY**



OREGON TOURISM REGION

### MT HOOD/ GORGE

Outdoor recreation is a major contributor to the economy of the Mt Hood/Gorge Tourism Region.

In 2019, local recreationists and visitors spent \$601 million in the Mt Hood/Gorge Tourism Region. Spending on outdoor recreation in the Mt Hood/Gorge Tourism Region supported:

7,400 FULL AND PART-TIME JOBS

\$281 MILLION

IN WAGES AND OTHER COMPENSATION

\$293 MILLION IN GDP CONTRIBUTIONS

\$36 MILLION IN STATE AND LOCAL TAXES

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# OREGON

## In 2019, outdoor recreationists spent \$15.6 BILLION

in Oregon. Outdoor recreation spending includes everything from trip-related spending (money spent on recreational trips), to expenditures on equipmentrelated spending (outdoor recreation gear, apparel, equipment, and repair).

Consumer spending on outdoor recreation supports businesses and jobs throughout the state, and then ripples throughout Oregon's economy as business income and wages are re-spent, causing economic effects in sectors not directly tied to outdoor recreation. Spending on outdoor recreation in Oregon supported:

224,000 FULL AND PART-TIME JOBS

\$9.3 BILLION

**\$13 BILLION** IN GDP CONTRIBUTIONS

\$552 MILLION