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2019 Tourism Impact Data

(Source: Massachusetts Office of Travel and Tourism)

State of Massachusetts

Direct visitor spending: \$24.9 billion

o Direct domestic: \$20.9 billion

Direct international: \$4.0 billion

• State taxes generated: \$1.0 billion

• Local taxes generated: \$619.5 million

• Jobs supported: 155,493

Payroll: \$5.9 billion

Berkshire County

• Direct visitor spending: \$553.7 million (an increase of 4.4% over 2018)

o Direct domestic: \$495.8 million

Direct international: \$57.9 million

State tax generated: \$28.7 millionLocal tax generated: \$16.0 million

Jobs supported: 4,444Payroll: \$148.7 million

Total Economic Impact of Tourism in The Berkshires: \$867.8 million

This is a result of direct spending of \$553.7 million and indirect spending of \$314.1 million.