## 2023 Economic Impact of Visitors in Virginia



2023 VISITOR SPENDING IN VIRGINIA GREW TO

## \$33.3 BILLION

Visitor spending reached a new record in Virginia in 2023, growing by \$3 billion, nearly 10%, to an impressive \$33.3 billion. Visitor spending builds vibrant communities and supports quality of life amenities across the Commonwealth for the enjoyment of residents and visitors alike. Visitors spent \$91 million per day in Virginia's restaurants, shops, attractions, entertainment venues, airports, and hotels, employing over 224,000 Virginians, or 5% of all jobs in the Commonwealth. Learn more at vatc.org



**Daily Visitor Spending** \$91 MILLION

**+\$8** million from 2022

**Total Visitor Spending Overnight Visitors** 

+9.8% from 2022

\$33.3 BILLION 43.6 MILLION

+3.5% from 2022

**Tourism Industry Employment** 

224,269

+13.548 from 2022

**Taxes Paid by Visitors** \$2.4 BILLION

+9% from 2022

**OVER 5% OF ALL VIRGINIANS** 

are employed in visitor-facing industries.

**TOURISM SAVES** 

every VA household \$955 in state and local taxes.

