

BY THE NUMBERS

LOCAL LODGING TAXES IN MINNESOTA IN 2007*

How Many Communities?

In 2007, at least 105 communities collected lodging taxes

How Much Lodging Tax is Collected? How Much is Used for Tourism Promotion?

****\$21.9 million** – Lodging tax revenue collected for tourism promotion purposes, which breaks down to an average of approximately \$209,000 of “tourism promotion” lodging taxes collected per community

\$27.9 million – Lodging tax revenue collected for other uses

\$49.8 million – Total local lodging tax revenue collected in Minnesota in 2007

Under What Authorization is Local Lodging Tax Imposed?

\$10.4 million – Lodging tax revenue collected by communities whose lodging tax was imposed exclusively under provisions of MS 469.190 – legislation allowing communities to collect lodging tax to be used only for tourism marketing and promotion.

\$39.4 million – Lodging tax revenue collected by communities whose lodging taxes were collected under other laws, sometimes in combination with laws under provisions of MS 469.190. These lodging tax revenues are used for varying purposes.

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* Based on an analysis of local lodging taxes by the Minnesota Department of Revenue

**A reduction in tourism promotion spending would inevitably impact the \$679 million generated in state sales tax by Minnesota’s leisure and hospitality industry.

2009 MINNESOTA LODGING TAX COMMUNITIES

NORTHEAST MINNESOTA	Eagan
Ash River & Orr	Fridley
Cloquet	Ham Lake
Crane Lake & Kabetogama	Hastings
Duluth	Inver Grove Hgts
Edge Of The Wilderness Resorts/Bigfork vicinity	Lakeville
Ely	Maple Grove
Iron Range Communities/Eveleth	Minneapolis --administered by DOR
Grand Marais	Moundsview
Grand Rapids	Richfield
Gunflint Trail	Roseville
Hinckley	Shakopee
International Falls	Shoreview
Lake Vermilion Resort Assn	St. Paul --administered by DOR
Lutsen-Tofte-Schroeder	Stillwater
Proctor	Waconia
Two Harbors	SOUTHERN MINNESOTA
NORTHWEST MINNESOTA	Albert Lea
Baudette/Lake Of The Woods	Appleton
Bemidji	Austin
Crookston	Benson
Detroit Lakes	Blue Earth
East Grand Forks	Fairmont
Leech Lake Area Tourism Bureau	Faribault
Minnesota Northwoods	Granite Falls
Moorhead	Harmony
Park Rapids	Historic Bluff Country-FillmoreCounty
Roseau	Jackson
Thief River Falls	Lake Benton
Warroad	Lake City
CENTRAL MINNESOTA	Lanesboro (w/Carolton & Holt)
Hill City	Luverne
Hutchinson	Madelia
Willmar	Mankato
Alexandria	Marshall
Baxter	Montevideo
Brainerd	Morton
Fergus Falls	New Ulm
Ideal Twshp, Cross Lake, Pequot Lakes, Pine River	North Mankato
Little Falls	Northfield
Long Beach	Olivia
Mille Lacs Area Tourism Council	Ortonville
Osakis	Owatonna
St. Cloud	Pipestone
Wadena	Preston
Waite Park	Red Wing
METRO REGION/TWIN CITIES VICINITY	Redwood Falls
Anoka	Rochester --administered by DOR
Apple Valley	Sleepy Eye
Blaine	St. James
Bloomington	St. Peter
Brooklyn Center	Wabasha
Brooklyn Park	Waseca
Burnsville	Windom
Coon Rapids	Winona
	Worthington

NOTE: 106 communities--NE:16; NW:12; C:15; M:24; S:39. Three administered by DOR: Mpls, St. Paul & Rochester. This list is based on information provided voluntarily by community organizations.