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Re: State of Alaska revenues attributable to out-of-state visitors

Out-of-state visitors to Alaska resulted in an estimated \$158 million in State of Alaska revenues in 2023, as outlined in the following table. All figures reflect 2023 calendar year revenues unless otherwise noted. The largest sources of revenues were Alaska Railroad (\$45 million), the Commercial Passenger Vessel Tax (\$36 million), and Fish & Game licenses/tags (\$28 million).

State of Alaska Revenues Attributable to Tourism, 2023

	Revenues (Millions)
Alaska Railroad Corporation	\$45.2
Commercial Passenger Vessel Tax	\$36.3
Fish & Game Licenses/Tags	\$27.9
Alaska Marine Highway System	\$19.6
Passenger Gambling Tax*	\$18.4
Vehicle Rental Tax	\$10.4
Ocean Ranger Program**	\$1.4
Commercial Passenger Vessel Environmental Compliance Program**	\$0.4
Corporate Income Tax – Tourism***	-\$1.8
Total Revenues	\$157.8

Sources: Alaska Department of Revenue; Alaska Department of Fish & Game; Alaska Railroad Corporation; Alaska Marine Highway System; McKinley Research Group calculations.

^{*}Based on 2022 sailings; 2023 revenues were not available.

^{**}Based on Fiscal Year 2023; calendar year revenues were not available.

^{***}Reflects net refunds related to pandemic-induced losses.