



# Economic Contributions of Recreational Fishing

— West Virginia | Congressional District 3 | Carol Miller —

**127,200** anglers in the district spent **\$112.3 Million** on fishing-related purchases in West Virginia.

## Statewide Contributions by Congressional District 3 Anglers



**\$165.1 Million**  
Economic Output



**1,580**  
Jobs Supported

## National Contributions by U.S. Anglers

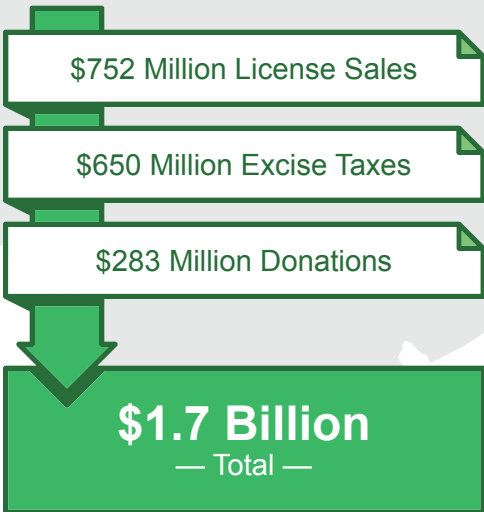


**\$129 Billion**  
Economic Output

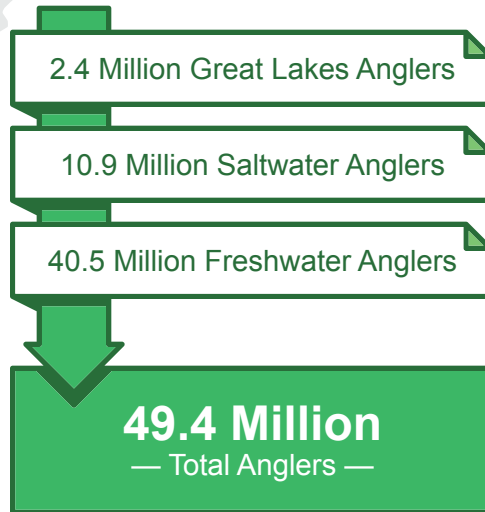


**826,000**  
Jobs Supported

## Annual U.S. Angler Contributions to Conservation



## U.S. Anglers by the Numbers



Angler participation and spending presented here reflect 2018 estimates. The 13% increase in license sales in the U.S. through September 2020 compared to the year before, and 66% increase in excise tax collections since 2018 indicate economic contributions for 2020 could be significantly greater.

