

**HOW  
BIG**

ARE THE  
SPORTS

*of*

**HUNTING**

*and*

**FISHING**

*in*

*Washington*

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STATE *of* WASHINGTON



# HOW MUCH



IS SPENT  
ANNUALLY?

**\$83,600,000.**

for HUNTING and  
FISHING

an average of **\$152.**  
per person



from 550,000  
LICENSED HUNTERS  
AND FISHERMAN

100,000 JUVENILES  
fish free NO LICENSE  
REQUIRED

**1 in 4** People YOU  
MEET HUNT  
or FISH

**ONLY 3.5%**

SPENT FOR LICENSES  
UPON WHICH FISHING AND  
HUNTING ARE ENTIRELY  
DEPENDENT

**WHERE**

DID THE REST  
GO?

**96.5%**

to



**BUSINESS**

GAS

**in WASHINGTON**

FOOD

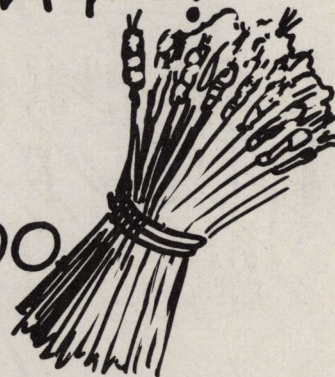


**WHAT**

DOES THIS  
MEAN TO  
WASHINGTON'S  
ECONOMY?

**WHEAT**

\$148,525,000

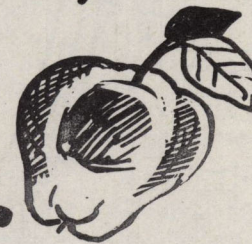


**HUNTING  
FISHING**

\$83,600,000.

**APPLES**

\$79,687,000.



**DAIRY PRODUCTS**

\$68,608,000.

Outdoor Recreation  
IS **BIG** BUSINESS

HUNTING & FISHING  
IS SELF  
FINANCED



The Hunter & the  
Fisherman PAYS  
HIS OWN WAY!

NO GENERAL TAX  
MONEY USED!!



# HUNTING & FISHING

*a Strong*  
ATTRACTING  
FACTOR

*in this State's*  
\$271,470,157.

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INDUSTRY

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# HUNTING & FISHING-A \$83,600,000. INDUSTRY

