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# Google is proud to support Montana

Creating economic opportunity across the Big Sky State

### \$510M of economic activity

In 2023, Google helped provide \$510 million of economic activity for thousands of Montana businesses, nonprofits, publishers, creators, and developers.

### 78,000+ Montana businesses

More than 78,000 Montana businesses used Google's free tools to receive phone calls, bookings, reviews, requests for directions, or other direct connections to their customers.

### 30,000+ Montanans trained

Grow with Google has partnered with 40 organizations in the state to train more than 30,000 Montanans on digital skills, including organizations such as public libraries, chambers of commerce, community colleges, and more.

"Without Google Ads or a Business Profile, the local community would have difficulty finding us and what we offer."

> -Tina Cusker Owner & President of La Cuisine Bozeman, Montana



## Helping Montana's small businesses and startups thrive

Montana business owners are leveraging digital tools to find new customers and grow amidst economic challenges, like inflation and talent shortages. To help Big Sky State businesses like La Cuisine, Google is increasing access to capital, trainings, and free resources.

### \$250M+

in venture capital raised by Google for Startups Founders Fund recipients in the U.S.

The Google for Startups Founders

<u>Funds</u> provide cash awards and hands-on help to support underrepresented entrepreneurs throughout the U.S.

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### Helping Montanans develop digital skills to grow their careers

50% of the workforce will need to reskill by 2025<sup>2</sup> and 1 in 3 American workers have very limited or no digital skills.<sup>3</sup> We're working to help people advance their careers and pursue new opportunities by making digital skills accessible to everyone. To date, we have helped over 300,000 Americans find new employment and increase their income through digital skills training. 250,000+ Google Career Certificate graduates in the U.S. <u>Google Career Certificates</u> help people develop skills for new jobs in fields like cybersecurity, data analytics, project management, and more in just three to six months. After completing the program, graduates are able to connect with 150+ top employers. 75% of graduates report a positive career outcome within six months.<sup>4</sup>

Google has also partnered with Montana educational institutions like Miles Community College to make Google Career Certificates available to students and to increase employment opportunities.

44,000+ Montana students trained in computer science to date Google is helping address inequities in computer science education by offering no-cost products and programs, like <u>CS First</u> and <u>Code Next</u>, to students across the U.S. To date, Google has invested over \$263 million toward computer science skilling including Google.org grants to organizations like National 4H Council and Hidden Genius Project.

## Supporting Montana nonprofits and local organizations

Local organizations and nonprofits across Montana are doing great work to support their communities. Google is proud to partner with trusted community organizations to further that work, and bring digital skills training, grant funding, and other resources to more Montanans.



Since 2011, our employees based in Montana – including matching contributions and philanthropic giving from Google.org – have donated over \$244,000 to nonprofits. \$238,000+ in Google Workspace

Since 2011, Google for Nonprofits has supported more than 270 nonprofits in Montana. In 2023 alone, Google.org provided more than \$238,000 in Google Workspace for Nonprofits. \$3.37M of free search advertising

In 2023, Google.org provided \$3.37 million in donated search ads to Montana nonprofits through the Google Ad Grants program.

Learn more about Google in Montana at: g.co/economicimpact/montana