# Visit Idaho Prime Campaign





## Campaign Strategy

- Be responsive to the pandemic uncertainty
- Connect messaging to more diverse travel intents that move beyond family
- Develop a media strategy that delivers Visit Idaho messaging to new and proven audiences
- 100+ individually managed campaigns launched to date, including the following:

0	TripAdvisor	0	Google
0	Expedia	0	Facebook
0	Priceline	0	Instagram
0	Kayak	0	TikTok
0	Epsilon	0	Pinterest
0	Disney Hulu XP	0	ConnectedTV
0	Samsung	0	Dish
0	Matador	0	Spotify

Stitcher

Amazon



## **Activity Videos**







## Strategic Investments

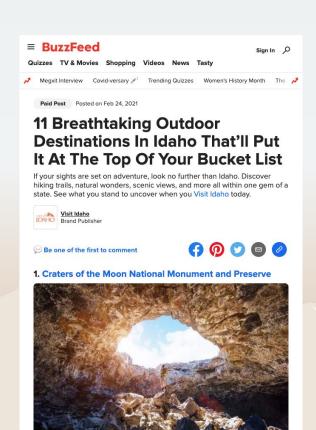


Idaho Is Full of Amazing Outdoor Experiences. Here Are Some of the Very Best.

By Visit Idaho | March 1, 2021

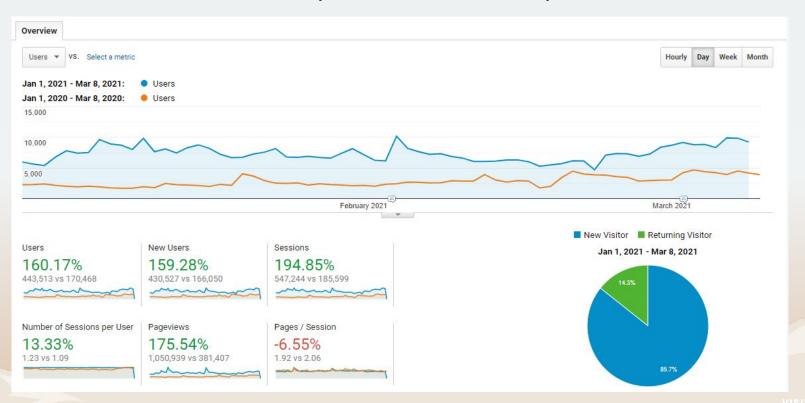


Do you love to hike, fish, raft, camp, ski or just relax in nature? Or, are you interested in checking out a new outdoor adventure? Idaho has over 21 million acres of designated wilderness, covering nearly 40 percent of the state. These sprawling forests and rugged peaks might not get the same buzz as California's redwoods or nearby Yellowstone, but their pristine beauty, endless snow-capped mountains and diverse landscapes are just as impressive. Here are some of the best outdoor spots to visit in Idaho.





## Website Traffic YTD (2021 vs. 2020)





## **Open Discussion**



# Reimagining Visit Idaho Co-op Opportunities





## Strategic Approach

The co-op structure that you'll see highlighted has been developed to:

- Simplify offerings
- Maximize collective impact of shared efforts
- Ensure all diverse partner needs are met

All geo targets to be confirmed with Visit Idaho mobility data and DMO research for each media effort, customized for partners.



### Visit Idaho Investment

**Co-op Management and Media Placement:** Agency services and media placement costs.

- Partners only pay for direct cost of media, no service or agency fees
- Matching dollars are handled within Visit Idaho media buys versus partner reimbursement
- Media buys will be incorporated into dashboards similar to the Mobility Dashboard

\*\*\*All matching funds subject to availability and demand\*\*\*



## Visit Idaho Co-Op Coordinator

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#### **Visit Idaho Campaign Extension**

High-impact campaign opportunities to drive awareness and inspiration.

- Opportunities for partners to participate in direct extensions of national campaigns
  - National Print, Broadcast, CTV/OTT, Branc
     Partnerships, etc
  - Travel Endemic media buys (OTAs
  - Public Relations

#### **DMO Core Campaigns**

Performance-driven campaign opportunities focused on driving consideration and conversion

- Integrated Multi-channel Campaigns (Spring: Road Trip, Winter Travel Intents)
- Conversion-focused digital campaigns
  - SEM. Remarketing and Custom Intent. Social

#### Idaho Channel Opportunities

Exploring options to provide value-added benefits through Visit Idaho channels

- VisitIdaho.org
  - Sponsored content
  - Native display, featured listings/events
  - Social
  - o Email



## Visit Idaho Campaign Extension

#### **Travel Endemic:**

- TripAdvisor
- Sojern
- Expedia

#### **Strategic:**

 TBD, examples include National Geographic, Buzzfeed, Pinkbike, Fodors

#### Video/Broadcast

- ConnectedTV
- Dish Media

#### **Co-investment Goals**

- Travel Endemic (50% match)
- Strategic (50% match)
- Video/Broadcast (25% match)

\*\*\*All media and matching subject to approval of creative provided by partner.\*\*\*



## **DMO** Core Campaigns

**Search:** Core to any campaign to capture travel intent, gather analytics, insights, and efficiencies across partners

#### Social:

Facebook, Pinterest, YouTube

#### **Digital Display:**

- Google remarketing and custom intent
- Conversant

#### **Co-investment Goals**

- Search (50% match)
- Social (25% match)
- Digital Display (25% match)



## Visit Idaho Channel Opportunities

Visit Idaho channels have high brand trust, social engagement, and media investment to deliver visitors to Idaho.

- 200K+ Social Followers with strong engagement and following
- Website with 4M+ pageviews and 2M+ users visiting in 2020
- Visitor Guide (115K print and 15K+ digital)

#### **Opportunities**

- Destination Package
  - Custom social posts (to DMO website)
  - Sponsored Content for Website/Email
- Intent Package (Seasonal, Activities, etc)
  - Custom social posts (to DMO website)
  - Sponsored Content for Website/Email
- Custom/Innovative Options
  - Page takeovers, social, web, etc



## **Co-Op Process**

Partner Submits Budget Request Budget Allocations

**Establish Goals** 

Media Execution

Funding

Co-op budget requests should be submitted as part of ITC Grant review process.

Once ITC grants are approved, the Visit Idaho co-op coordinator will coordinate media buys and matching amounts among all the partners.

Co-op coordinator works with partners to set up goals, analytics, and dashboards.

All media buys and allocations finalized.

Partner submits creative and approves media plan.

Media plan is continuously reviewed and optimized for performance, monthly reporting updates. Invoicing will be handled by Visit Idaho Agency of Record.

Co-op campaign budgets managed as a single channel, optimizations across channels will be handled by co-op coordinator.

#### **Onboarding Requirements:**

Landing Page(s) Review
Google Analytics Admin Account Access
Social Account Admin Account Access / Pixel Installed
Ads Linked to Google Analytics



## **Budget Request Template**

Campaign Type	Channel	Preferences	Budget
Visit Idaho Campaign Extension	Travel Endemic	50% Expedia, 25% Sojern, 25% TripAdvisor	\$50,000
	Strategic	TBD based on opportunity	\$10,000
	Video/Broadcast	None	
DMO Core Campaigns	Search		\$20,000
	Social	Facebook (50%), Pinterest (25%), YouTube (25%)	\$50,000
	Digital Display	Google	\$10,000





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