



## Amtrak Fact Sheet, Fiscal Year 2006

# State of Idaho

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### Amtrak Service & Ridership

Amtrak operates one long-distance train through Idaho, the *Empire Builder* (daily Chicago-Minneapolis-Seattle/Portland service via Sandpoint).

During FY06 Amtrak served the following Idaho location:

<u>City</u>	<u>Boardings + Alightings</u>
Sandpoint	5,789
<b>Total Idaho Station Usage:</b>	<b>5,789</b>

Amtrak is upgrading equipment and amenities on selected long-distance trains, and the first train to be re-launched with these upgrades was the *Empire Builder*, in August 2005.

### Procurement/Contracts

Amtrak expended \$419,188 for goods and services in Idaho in FY06. All of this money was spent in Boise.

### Employment

During fiscal year 2006, Amtrak employed 5 Idaho residents. Total wages of Amtrak employees living in Idaho were \$331,409 during this period.