CREATIVE SPOTLIGHT

- Notable creators who hail from the state of West Virginia:
  - Don Knotts, actor/comedian
  - Steve Harvey, television personality
  - Brad Paisley, singer
  - John Corbett, actor

- The top 5 West Virginia daily newspapers by circulation are:
  - Greenbrier Valley Ranger
  - The Herald-Dispatch
  - The Register-Herald
  - Bluefield Daily Telegraph
  - The Journal

- Lassie was partly filmed in West Virginia

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JOBS
1,547 motion picture & television industry direct jobs & 237 production-related jobs
4,904 software industry direct jobs & 8,724 jobs in total
7,430 local television jobs
4,960 local radio jobs
11,170 app jobs

WAGES
$53.99M from motion picture & television industry
$13.15M from new media & internet creators
$72,589 average salary in the local app economy

U.S. Copyright Registrations (2011-2017) 9,941

STATE ECONOMIC IMPACT
$811M contributed to U.S.'s GDP from local software industry
$3.47B contributed to U.S. GDP from local television
$2.31B contributed to U.S. GDP from local radio

Creative Community By The Numbers
3 Video Game Companies
554 Music Publishers
2,856 Songwriters
150 Local Commercial Radio Stations
15 Local Commercial T.V. Stations
54 Newspaper Publications
510 Graphic Designers
140 Photographers

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