South Dakota



South Dakota's music culture...

...is a reflection of its rich cowboy tradition - with the occasional nod to country western outlaws in places like Deadwood and the Black Hills. This culture is unmistakeable for anyone who has made the summer pilgrimage to the Sturgis Motorcycle Rally, or to the Sioux Falls Jazz and Blues Festival.

Music Venues & Festivals

Black Hills Bluegrass Festival

Deadwood Mountain Grand

Deadwood Red Dirt Music Festival

Denny Sanford Premier Center

Don Barnett Arena

Rushmore Plaza Civic Center

Sioux Falls Arena

Swiftel Center

Washington Pavilion

Notable Musicians

Shawn Colvin

The Spill Canvas

\$189.05M

Music industry contribution to state GDP

(Stephen Siwek/Economists Inc.)

3,747

Jobs Supported

(Stephen Siwek/Economists Inc.)

376

Music Businesses

(Stephen Siewek/Economists Inc./ A2IM/RIAA)

71

Royalty Recipients

(SoundExchange)

105,000

Streaming Music Subscribers

757

Songwriters

(ASCAP/BMI)









