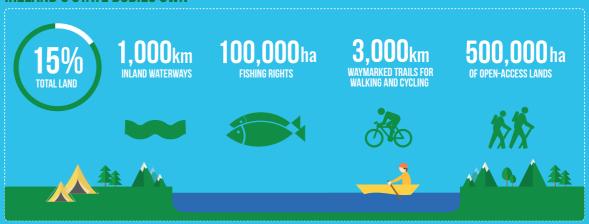
### **OUTDOOR RECREATION PLAN FOR PUBLIC LANDS AND WATERS**

#### **EXISTING VALUE**

#### **IRELAND'S STATE BODIES OWN**





#### **INVESTMENT UNDER ORP**

Under ORP, a total investment by Government of €165 million over the coming 5 years is needed in order to manage, maintain, upgrade and expand the recreation assets on public lands.



#### WHY INVEST IN OUTDOOR RECREATION?

The economic value of the collective recreational resource to the national economy is calculated at

€142M PER YEAR

with the prospect of further growth as tourism increase with the new recreation amenities





**HEALTH BENEFITS OF OUTDOOR RECREATION** 



#### **JOB CREATION**

2,500 4

TOURISM JOBS CREATED 4UU CONSTRUCTION





jobs will be created in the tourism related-sector as a result of investment under ORP

#### **WELL-BEING VALUE**

€500M

**PER YEAR** 

ORP will contribute to the overall well-being of users and will strengthen the economic value attributed to it

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POTENTIAL SAVING OF € 132M = €48M + €84M

PER ANNUM

arising from increased public participation in outdoor activities

PER YEAR

can be achieved through the reduction of obesity and related illnesses, and reduced mortality scenarios ential savings on

#### TOURISM 2014

1.5M

**OVERSEAS VISITORS** 

engaged in outdoor activities in Ireland, and this market was worth in excess of €900 million.

#### **TAXATION RETURNS**

€32M

PER YEA



the investment is therefore cost-neutral to the exchequer within 6 years of the plan while significantly expanding the asset base.





# **OUTDOOR RECREATION PLAN**

## FOR PUBLIC LANDS AND WATERS IN IRELAND 2017-2021

Creating a step-change in the provision and maintenance of outdoor recreation facilities and opportunities on state lands and waters

