## Hood River, Oregon

Hood River is located in the beautiful Columbia River Gorge about 30 miles from Mount Hood and 60 miles from Portland, OR. There are more than 50 hikes along the Columbia River Gorge. This does not count the many hiking trails in Washington and Oregon you could do with your community mates. In addition to being the wind-surfing capital of the world, Hood River is known for its pear, apple, cherry, and peach orchards, called the "Fruit Loop". The JV house is 15 minutes away from Hood River in Odell, OR. Hood River is a very tourist city, where Odell highlights the agricultural side of the Gorge.

Jesuit Volunteers have served in the Hood River/Odell area since 2012.