

WORKING FAMILIES TAX CUT

Benefits to Families from the Working Families Tax Cut

California Congressional District 4 | Tax Year 2026

ESTIMATED AVERAGE TAX CUT

\$2,166

KEY GROUPS

KEY GROUP	AVERAGE TAX SAVINGS
Head of Household	\$1,544
Families with Children	\$3,488
Joint Filers with 2+ Children	\$5,906
Households without Children	\$1,716
Seniors (65+)	\$2,452

ILLUSTRATIVE HOUSEHOLDS

HOUSEHOLD EXAMPLE	ASSUMPTIONS	ANNUAL TAX RELIEF
Retired federal worker couple	Social Security based on national average annual benefits (\$24,852 and \$11,808); pension modeled as \$25,000 and \$20,000 in taxable retirement income	\$4,322
Single restaurant server	\$37,752 median local wage; tips assumed at 45% of earnings; no children	\$1,154
Teacher and office clerk family	\$104,720 and \$51,396 median local wages; married couple with 2 children	\$11,632
Single nurse with overtime	\$182,759 median local wage; overtime pay assumed at 5% of earnings; no children	\$9,559
Single-parent home health aide	\$35,720 median local wage; 1 child	\$2,535
Electrician family	One earner at \$81,555 median local wage; married couple with 1 child	\$4,475
Plumber family	One earner at \$69,528 median local wage; married couple with 1 child	\$4,148
Construction worker family	One earner at \$64,459 median local wage; married couple with 1 child	\$4,025
Police officer family	One earner at \$122,584 median local wage; married couple with 2 children	\$5,672

HOUSEHOLD EXAMPLE	ASSUMPTIONS	ANNUAL TAX RELIEF
Firefighter family	One earner at \$108,194 median local wage; married couple with 2 children	\$6,773
Truck driver and home health aide family	\$64,358 and \$35,720 median local wages; married couple with 2 children	\$6,150

Methodology: Average tax changes are modeled using Tax-Calculator. Illustrative household examples are modeled in PolicyEngine using geography-specific wage inputs where available and do not reflect geography-wide averages.

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