

WORKING FAMILIES TAX CUT

Benefits to Families from the Working Families Tax Cut

Colorado Congressional District 5 | Tax Year 2026

ESTIMATED AVERAGE TAX CUT

\$2,445

KEY GROUPS

KEY GROUP	AVERAGE TAX SAVINGS
Head of Household	\$1,709
Families with Children	\$3,950
Joint Filers with 2+ Children	\$5,941
Households without Children	\$1,947
Seniors (65+)	\$2,670

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	\$4,141
Single restaurant server	\$38,960 median local wage; tips assumed at 45% of earnings; no children	\$1,750
Teacher and office clerk family	\$62,521 and \$52,908 median local wages; married couple with 2 children	\$6,044
Single nurse with overtime	\$94,550 median local wage; overtime pay assumed at 5% of earnings; no children	\$5,842
Single-parent home health aide	\$38,250 median local wage; 1 child	\$3,177
Electrician family	One earner at \$63,189 median local wage; married couple with 1 child	\$4,610
Plumber family	One earner at \$64,715 median local wage; married couple with 1 child	\$4,652
Construction worker family	One earner at \$48,679 median local wage; married couple with 1 child	\$3,541
Police officer family	One earner at \$98,207 median local wage; married couple with 2 children	\$7,819

HOUSEHOLD EXAMPLE	ASSUMPTIONS	ANNUAL TAX RELIEF
Firefighter family	One earner at \$66,156 median local wage; married couple with 2 children	\$5,464
Truck driver and home health aide family	\$61,196 and \$38,250 median local wages; married couple with 2 children	\$7,853

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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