

WORKING FAMILIES TAX CUT

Benefits to Families from the Working Families Tax Cut

Colorado Congressional District 8 | Tax Year 2026

ESTIMATED AVERAGE TAX CUT

\$2,767

KEY GROUPS

KEY GROUP	AVERAGE TAX SAVINGS
Head of Household	\$1,959
Families with Children	\$4,646
Joint Filers with 2+ Children	\$7,129
Households without Children	\$2,159
Seniors (65+)	\$2,830

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	\$35,875 median local wage; tips assumed at 45% of earnings; no children	\$1,508
Teacher and office clerk family	\$71,137 and \$62,044 median local wages; married couple with 2 children	\$9,860
Single nurse with overtime	\$104,192 median local wage; overtime pay assumed at 5% of earnings; no children	\$6,220
Single-parent home health aide	\$40,023 median local wage; 1 child	\$3,076
Electrician family	One earner at \$66,665 median local wage; married couple with 1 child	\$4,705
Plumber family	One earner at \$67,723 median local wage; married couple with 1 child	\$4,734
Construction worker family	One earner at \$50,832 median local wage; married couple with 1 child	\$3,547
Police officer family	One earner at \$108,580 median local wage; married couple with 2 children	\$8,102

HOUSEHOLD EXAMPLE	ASSUMPTIONS	ANNUAL TAX RELIEF
Firefighter family	One earner at \$92,304 median local wage; married couple with 2 children	\$6,730
Truck driver and home health aide family	\$66,176 and \$40,023 median local wages; married couple with 2 children	\$8,037

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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