

WORKING FAMILIES TAX CUT

Benefits to Families from the Working Families Tax Cut

Illinois Congressional District 13 | Tax Year 2026

ESTIMATED AVERAGE TAX CUT

\$2,107

KEY GROUPS

KEY GROUP	AVERAGE TAX SAVINGS
Head of Household	\$1,385
Families with Children	\$3,214
Joint Filers with 2+ Children	\$5,737
Households without Children	\$1,739
Seniors (65+)	\$2,435

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	\$4,119
Single restaurant server	\$30,774 median local wage; tips assumed at 45% of earnings; no children	\$972
Teacher and office clerk family	\$63,832 and \$45,757 median local wages; married couple with 2 children	\$6,527
Single nurse with overtime	\$87,440 median local wage; overtime pay assumed at 5% of earnings; no children	\$4,938
Single-parent home health aide	\$31,591 median local wage; 1 child	\$2,270
Electrician family	One earner at \$84,659 median local wage; married couple with 1 child	\$4,476
Plumber family	One earner at \$78,583 median local wage; married couple with 1 child	\$4,311
Construction worker family	One earner at \$67,065 median local wage; married couple with 1 child	\$3,997
Police officer family	One earner at \$76,748 median local wage; married couple with 2 children	\$5,461

HOUSEHOLD EXAMPLE	ASSUMPTIONS	ANNUAL TAX RELIEF
Firefighter family	One earner at \$63,669 median local wage; married couple with 2 children	\$4,764
Truck driver and home health aide family	\$59,149 and \$31,591 median local wages; married couple with 2 children	\$5,842

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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