

WORKING FAMILIES TAX CUT

Benefits to Families from the Working Families Tax Cut

Missouri Congressional District 2 | Tax Year 2026

ESTIMATED AVERAGE TAX CUT

\$3,628

KEY GROUPS

KEY GROUP	AVERAGE TAX SAVINGS
Head of Household	\$2,301
Families with Children	\$6,003
Joint Filers with 2+ Children	\$8,565
Households without Children	\$2,839
Seniors (65+)	\$3,416

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	\$4,706
Single restaurant server	\$30,768 median local wage; tips assumed at 45% of earnings; no children	\$881
Teacher and office clerk family	\$63,858 and \$45,574 median local wages; married couple with 2 children	\$6,774
Single nurse with overtime	\$87,502 median local wage; overtime pay assumed at 5% of earnings; no children	\$5,925
Single-parent home health aide	\$31,478 median local wage; 1 child	\$1,948
Electrician family	One earner at \$84,026 median local wage; married couple with 1 child	\$5,194
Plumber family	One earner at \$77,433 median local wage; married couple with 1 child	\$5,015
Construction worker family	One earner at \$67,407 median local wage; married couple with 1 child	\$4,744
Police officer family	One earner at \$76,331 median local wage; married couple with 2 children	\$6,177

HOUSEHOLD EXAMPLE	ASSUMPTIONS	ANNUAL TAX RELIEF
Firefighter family	One earner at \$63,464 median local wage; married couple with 2 children	\$5,528
Truck driver and home health aide family	\$59,310 and \$31,478 median local wages; married couple with 2 children	\$6,734

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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