

WORKING FAMILIES TAX CUT

# Benefits to Families from the Working Families Tax Cut

North Carolina Congressional District 5 | Tax Year 2026

ESTIMATED AVERAGE TAX CUT

**\$2,133**

KEY GROUPS

KEY GROUP	AVERAGE TAX SAVINGS
Head of Household	\$1,398
Families with Children	\$3,196
Joint Filers with 2+ Children	\$5,675
Households without Children	\$1,741
Seniors (65+)	\$2,424

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	\$4,567
Single restaurant server	\$29,836 median local wage; tips assumed at 45% of earnings; no children	\$721
Teacher and office clerk family	\$57,942 and \$41,887 median local wages; married couple with 2 children	\$6,419
Single nurse with overtime	\$88,420 median local wage; overtime pay assumed at 5% of earnings; no children	\$5,373
Single-parent home health aide	\$30,838 median local wage; 1 child	\$2,602
Electrician family	One earner at \$59,129 median local wage; married couple with 1 child	\$4,072
Plumber family	One earner at \$53,639 median local wage; married couple with 1 child	\$3,583
Construction worker family	One earner at \$41,613 median local wage; married couple with 1 child	\$2,934
Police officer family	One earner at \$62,445 median local wage; married couple with 2 children	\$5,169

HOUSEHOLD EXAMPLE	ASSUMPTIONS	ANNUAL TAX RELIEF
<b>Firefighter family</b>	One earner at \$47,792 median local wage; married couple with 2 children	\$4,098
<b>Truck driver and home health aide family</b>	\$54,139 and \$30,838 median local wages; married couple with 2 children	\$6,027

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**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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