

WORKING FAMILIES TAX CUT

Benefits to Families from the Working Families Tax Cut

Texas Congressional District 36 | Tax Year 2026

ESTIMATED AVERAGE TAX CUT

\$2,671

KEY GROUPS

KEY GROUP	AVERAGE TAX SAVINGS
Head of Household	\$1,781
Families with Children	\$3,852
Joint Filers with 2+ Children	\$6,078
Households without Children	\$2,126
Seniors (65+)	\$2,528

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	\$4,226
Single restaurant server	\$28,443 median local wage; tips assumed at 45% of earnings; no children	\$634
Teacher and office clerk family	\$66,876 and \$40,309 median local wages; married couple with 2 children	\$6,719
Single nurse with overtime	\$103,494 median local wage; overtime pay assumed at 5% of earnings; no children	\$5,951
Single-parent home health aide	\$24,203 median local wage; 1 child	\$1,750
Electrician family	One earner at \$62,724 median local wage; married couple with 1 child	\$3,909
Plumber family	One earner at \$63,827 median local wage; married couple with 1 child	\$3,940
Construction worker family	One earner at \$40,767 median local wage; married couple with 1 child	\$2,652
Police officer family	One earner at \$79,995 median local wage; married couple with 2 children	\$5,961

HOUSEHOLD EXAMPLE	ASSUMPTIONS	ANNUAL TAX RELIEF
Firefighter family	One earner at \$63,463 median local wage; married couple with 2 children	\$4,913
Truck driver and home health aide family	\$58,774 and \$24,203 median local wages; married couple with 2 children	\$6,044

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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