The Cost of the Large Credit Union Community Bank Tax Exemption

The Value of Taxes

Large Credit Unions (Assets >\$1B)

In 2024, if large Washington credit unions were taxed at the same rate as community banks, they would have paid a total of:

\$-	in state income taxes +
\$101,665,572	in federal income taxes =
\$101,665,572	in total income taxes

If large credit unions paid their fair share, total taxes could cover:

Funding the annual cost of education for an additional 4,900 U.S. K-12 students.

Funding full Medicaid coverage for an additional 6,197 low-income U.S. adults.

Funding full Medicaid coverage for an additional 26,600 low-income U.S. children.

An additional 916 U.S. registered nurses.

An additional 1,216 U.S. firefighters.

An additional 1,037 U.S. police officers.

An additional 1,189 U.S. Kindergarten teachers.

An additional 1,171 U.S. public school teachers.

Community Banks

In 2024, Washington community banks were taxed and paid a total of:

\$-	in state income taxes +
\$126,364,169	in federal income taxes =
\$126,364,169	in total income taxes

These tax contributions are equivalent to:

Covering the annual cost of education for 6,090 U.S. K-12 students.

Funding full Medicaid coverage for 7,703 lowincome U.S. adults.

Funding full Medicaid coverage for 33,062 low-income U.S. children.

Covering the salaries of 1,138 U.S. registered nurses.

Covering the salaries of 1,511 U.S. firefighters.

Covering the salaries of 1,289 U.S. police officers.

Covering the salaries of 1,477 U.S. kindergarten teachers.

Covering the salaries of 1,456 U.S. public school teachers.

Sources: FFIEC 2024 Q4 Call Reports, NCUA 2024 Q4 Call Reports, FDIC Statement of Deposits Reports, Tax Foundation, Kaiser Family Foundation, Medicaid.gov, Bureau of Labor Statistics, National Center for Education Statistics, National Education Association, Education Data Initiative.

