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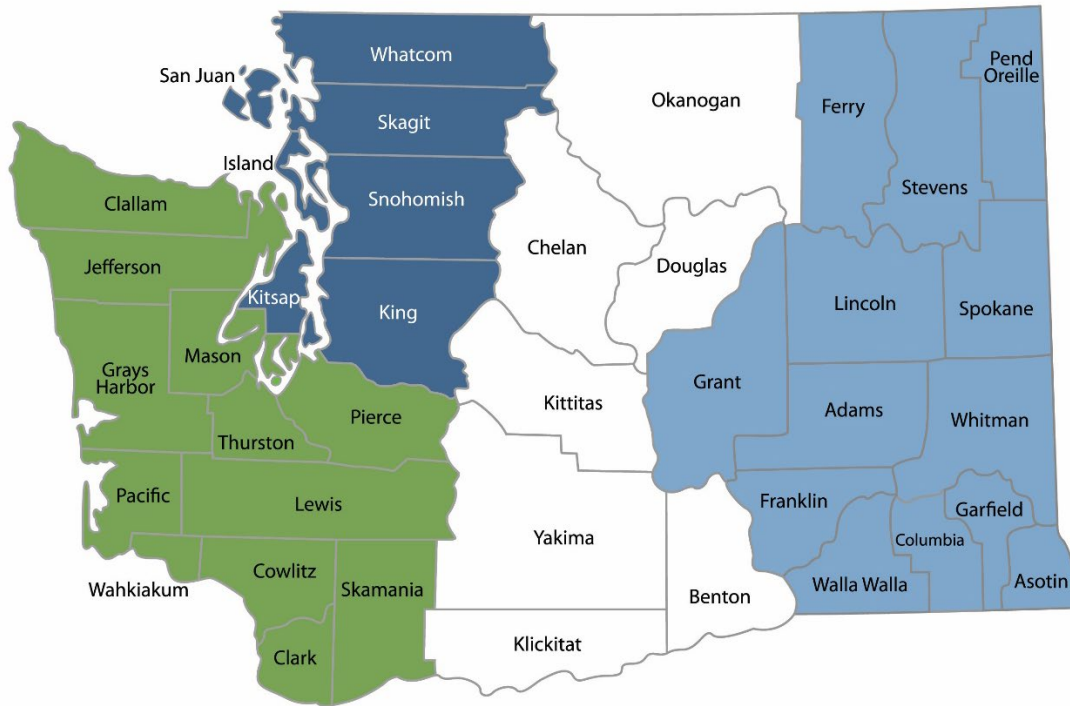
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<b>Northwest</b>	Island, King, Kitsap, San Juan, Skagit, Snohomish, Whatcom	PO Box 330316 Shoreline, WA 98133	206-594-0000
<b>Central</b>	Benton, Chelan, Douglas, Kittitas, Klickitat, Okanogan, Yakima	1250 W Alder St Union Gap, WA 98903	509-575-2490
<b>Eastern</b>	Adams, Asotin, Columbia, Ferry, Franklin, Garfield, Grant, Lincoln, Pend Oreille, Spokane, Stevens, Walla Walla, Whitman	4601 N Monroe Spokane, WA 99205	509-329-3400
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## Abstract

The tables in this document identify which cities, towns, and counties in Washington state are economically disadvantaged and eligible for a reduced local match for grants they receive between July 1, 2023, through June 30, 2025.

A city, town, or county is economically disadvantaged if its per capita income is equal to or below the median per capita income of cities, towns, or counties in Washington state, as determined on July 1 of each odd-numbered year using the latest official American Community Survey five-year estimates of the U.S. Department of Commerce (WAC [173-322A-100](#)(15) and (16)).<sup>2</sup>

Oversight Grants and Independent Remedial Action Grants may be funded up to 75% of the eligible project costs if the applicant is economically disadvantaged.

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<sup>2</sup> <https://apps.leg.wa.gov/WAC/default.aspx?cite=173-322A-100>

## Economically Disadvantaged Cities and Towns

As of July 1, 2023, the median income for cities and towns in Washington state is \$31,083.

The cities and towns listed in Table 1 **are at or below** the median income. They **are considered economically disadvantaged** for the purposes of Remedial Action Grant funding and qualify for a reduced local match.

**Table 1:** Cities and towns in Washington state that are considered economically disadvantaged for the purposes of Remedial Action Grant funding as of July 1, 2023.

Rank	City or Town	County	Per Capita Income (in dollars)
230	Aberdeen	Grays Harbor	\$23,385.00
237	Airway Heights	Spokane	\$22,527.00
155	Albion	Whitman	\$30,275.00
207	Algona	King	\$25,730.00
208	Almira	Lincoln	\$25,425.00
258	Benton City	Benton	\$18,797.00
267	Brewster	Okanogan	\$16,852.00
270	Bridgeport	Douglas	\$16,482.00
243	Bucoda	Thurston	\$21,884.00
159	Burlington	Skagit	\$30,023.00
205	Cashmere	Chelan	\$25,951.00
233	Castle Rock	Cowlitz	\$23,292.00
190	Cathlamet	Wahkiakum	\$27,581.00
213	Centralia	Lewis	\$25,133.00
200	Chehalis	Lewis	\$26,682.00
236	Cheney	Spokane	\$22,567.00
170	Chewelah	Stevens	\$29,154.00
204	Clarkston	Asotin	\$26,233.00
154	Colfax	Whitman	\$30,304.00
171	College Place	Walla Walla	\$28,933.00
179	Colton	Whitman	\$28,441.00
183	Colville	Stevens	\$28,014.00
222	Conconully	Okanogan	\$24,080.00
275	Connell	Franklin	\$15,953.00
161	Cosmopolis	Grays Harbor	\$29,823.00
234	Coulee City	Grant	\$23,197.00
226	Cusick	Pend Oreille	\$23,731.00
188	Darrington	Snohomish	\$27,636.00
167	Davenport	Lincoln	\$29,374.00



Economically Disadvantaged Cities, Towns, and Counties in Washington State (2023-25 Biennium)

172	Deer Park	Spokane	\$28,931.00
203	Ellensburg	Kittitas	\$26,313.00
168	Elma	Grays Harbor	\$29,350.00
163	Elmer City	Okanogan	\$29,769.00
244	Endicott	Whitman	\$21,883.00
164	Entiat	Chelan	\$29,702.00
160	Ephrata	Grant	\$29,841.00
176	Everson	Whatcom	\$28,702.00
187	Fairfield	Spokane	\$27,653.00
141	Farmington	Whitman	\$31,083.00
148	Ferndale	Whatcom	\$30,692.00
220	Forks	Clallam	\$24,227.00
218	Garfield	Whitman	\$24,398.00
280	George	Grant	\$14,382.00
152	Goldendale	Klickitat	\$30,464.00
193	Grand Coulee	Grant	\$27,102.00
262	Grandview	Yakima	\$17,767.00
271	Granger	Yakima	\$16,427.00
149	Granite Falls	Snohomish	\$30,595.00
214	Harrah	Yakima	\$24,942.00
209	Harrington	Lincoln	\$25,390.00
265	Hatton	Adams	\$17,160.00
195	Hoquiam	Grays Harbor	\$26,932.00
157	Ione	Pend Oreille	\$30,080.00
228	Kahlotus	Franklin	\$23,490.00
223	Kelso	Cowlitz	\$24,077.00
221	Kettle Falls	Stevens	\$24,130.00
184	Kittitas	Kittitas	\$27,934.00
274	Krupp (Marlin)	Grant	\$16,066.00
238	LaCrosse	Whitman	\$22,512.00
254	Lamont	Whitman	\$19,664.00
253	Latah	Spokane	\$19,903.00
227	Lind	Adams	\$23,571.00
229	Long Beach	Pacific	\$23,475.00
269	Mabton	Yakima	\$16,573.00
252	Malden	Whitman	\$20,017.00
198	Mansfield	Douglas	\$26,892.00
263	Marcus	Stevens	\$17,684.00
281	Mattawa	Grant	\$13,906.00
201	McCleary	Grays Harbor	\$26,419.00
174	Medical Lake	Spokane	\$28,793.00
278	Mesa	Franklin	\$15,047.00

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211	Metaline Falls	Pend Oreille	\$25,276.00
247	Morton	Lewis	\$21,499.00
180	Moses Lake	Grant	\$28,377.00
255	Mossyrock	Lewis	\$19,661.00
142	Mount Vernon	Skagit	\$31,050.00
232	Moxee	Yakima	\$23,296.00
165	Napavine	Lewis	\$29,607.00
242	Nespelem	Okanogan	\$22,011.00
245	Newport	Pend Oreille	\$21,606.00
178	Nooksack	Whatcom	\$28,584.00
251	Northport	Stevens	\$20,269.00
153	Oak Harbor	Island	\$30,377.00
206	Oakville	Grays Harbor	\$25,825.00
145	Ocean Shores	Grays Harbor	\$30,785.00
144	Odessa	Lincoln	\$30,894.00
202	Okanogan	Okanogan	\$26,330.00
240	Omak	Okanogan	\$22,474.00
268	Oroville	Okanogan	\$16,714.00
246	Othello	Adams	\$21,581.00
173	Pacific	King	\$28,806.00
192	Pasco	Franklin	\$27,344.00
250	Pateros	Okanogan	\$21,276.00
189	Pe Ell	Lewis	\$27,612.00
235	Pomeroy	Garfield	\$22,938.00
158	Port Angeles	Clallam	\$30,048.00
241	Prescott	Walla Walla	\$22,212.00
191	Prosser	Benton	\$27,396.00
225	Pullman	Whitman	\$23,814.00
249	Quincy	Grant	\$21,391.00
175	Rainier	Thurston	\$28,716.00
196	Raymond	Pacific	\$26,926.00
185	Reardan	Lincoln	\$27,749.00
169	Republic	Ferry	\$29,210.00
197	Ritzville	Adams	\$26,913.00
266	Riverside	Okanogan	\$16,974.00
259	Rock Island	Douglas	\$18,134.00
177	Rosalia	Whitman	\$28,654.00
162	Roy	Pierce	\$29,820.00
261	Royal City	Grant	\$18,031.00
186	Sedro-Woolley	Skagit	\$27,675.00
156	Sequim	Clallam	\$30,233.00
248	Shelton	Mason	\$21,461.00

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<b>194</b>	Soap Lake	Grant	\$27,037.00
<b>215</b>	South Bend	Pacific	\$24,927.00
<b>146</b>	Spokane Valley	Spokane	\$30,757.00
<b>151</b>	Sprague	Lincoln	\$30,470.00
<b>279</b>	Springdale	Stevens	\$14,478.00
<b>210</b>	St. John	Whitman	\$25,327.00
<b>147</b>	Stevenson	Skamania	\$30,752.00
<b>150</b>	Sumas	Whatcom	\$30,502.00
<b>276</b>	Sunnyside	Yakima	\$15,570.00
<b>224</b>	Tekoa	Whitman	\$24,045.00
<b>212</b>	Tenino	Thurston	\$25,276.00
<b>277</b>	Tieton	Yakima	\$15,231.00
<b>231</b>	Tonasket	Okanogan	\$23,298.00
<b>264</b>	Toppenish	Yakima	\$17,346.00
<b>257</b>	Union Gap	Yakima	\$18,973.00
<b>273</b>	Vader	Lewis	\$16,331.00
<b>181</b>	Walla Walla	Walla Walla	\$28,212.00
<b>272</b>	Wapato	Yakima	\$16,334.00
<b>260</b>	Warden	Grant	\$18,116.00
<b>239</b>	Washtucna	Adams	\$22,490.00
<b>256</b>	Waverly	Spokane	\$19,435.00
<b>143</b>	Westport	Grays Harbor	\$30,966.00
<b>217</b>	Wilson Creek	Grant	\$24,671.00
<b>219</b>	Winlock	Lewis	\$24,398.00
<b>166</b>	Woodland	Cowlitz/Clark	\$29,561.00
<b>216</b>	Yakima	Yakima	\$24,820.00
<b>182</b>	Yelm	Thurston	\$28,130.00
<b>199</b>	Zillah	Yakima	\$26,856.00

The cities and towns listed in Table 2 **are above** the median income of \$31,083. They **are not considered economically disadvantaged** for the purposes of Remedial Action Grant funding and do not qualify for a reduced local match.

**Table 2:** Cities and towns in Washington state that are **not considered** economically disadvantaged for the purposes of Remedial Action Grant funding as of July 1, 2023.

Rank	City or Town	County	Per Capita Income (in dollars)
42	Anacortes	Skagit	\$46,107.00
58	Arlington	Snohomish	\$41,900.00
74	Asotin	Asotin	\$38,438.00
89	Auburn	King	\$37,006.00
11	Bainbridge Island	Kitsap	\$78,542.00
120	Battle Ground	Clark	\$33,333.00
5	Beaux Arts Village	King	\$115,442.00
12	Bellevue	King	\$78,118.00
93	Bellingham	Whatcom	\$36,147.00
114	Bingen	Klickitat	\$33,941.00
26	Black Diamond	King	\$56,127.00
75	Blaine	Whatcom	\$38,329.00
41	Bonney Lake	Pierce	\$46,222.00
27	Bothell	King	\$55,340.00
111	Bremerton	Kitsap	\$34,252.00
30	Brier	Snohomish	\$53,881.00
43	Buckley	Pierce	\$45,807.00
56	Burien	King	\$42,403.00
31	Camas	Clark	\$52,228.00
37	Carbonado	Pierce	\$47,392.00
32	Carnation	King	\$50,884.00
92	Chelan	Chelan	\$36,491.00
117	Cle Elum	Kittitas	\$33,519.00
2	Clyde Hill	King	\$150,271.00
131	Concrete	Skagit	\$31,983.00
68	Coulee Dam	Douglas/Grant/Okanogan	\$38,812.00
63	Coupeville	Island	\$40,558.00
44	Covington	King	\$45,445.00
60	Creston	Lincoln	\$41,277.00
57	Dayton	Columbia	\$42,029.00
76	Des Moines	King	\$38,185.00
35	DuPont	Pierce	\$48,502.00
23	Duvall	King	\$59,088.00

Economically Disadvantaged Cities, Towns, and Counties in Washington State (2023-25 Biennium)

<b>139</b>	East Wenatchee	Douglas	\$31,277.00
<b>128</b>	Eatonville	Pierce	\$32,640.00
<b>39</b>	Edgewood	Pierce	\$46,753.00
<b>21</b>	Edmonds	Snohomish	\$61,615.00
<b>101</b>	Electric City	Grant	\$35,057.00
<b>40</b>	Enumclaw	King	\$46,348.00
<b>98</b>	Everett	Snohomish	\$35,628.00
<b>108</b>	Federal Way	King	\$34,474.00
<b>125</b>	Fife	Pierce	\$33,217.00
<b>49</b>	Fircrest	Pierce	\$44,002.00
<b>66</b>	Friday Harbor	San Juan	\$39,048.00
<b>29</b>	Gig Harbor	Pierce	\$54,456.00
<b>116</b>	Gold Bar	Snohomish	\$33,590.00
<b>91</b>	Hamilton	Skagit	\$36,533.00
<b>59</b>	Hartline	Grant	\$41,632.00
<b>1</b>	Hunts Point	King	\$248,740.00
<b>121</b>	Ilwaco	Pacific	\$33,308.00
<b>112</b>	Index	Snohomish	\$34,227.00
<b>10</b>	Issaquah	King	\$78,581.00
<b>53</b>	Kalama	Cowlitz	\$42,871.00
<b>20</b>	Kenmore	King	\$62,579.00
<b>137</b>	Kennewick	Benton	\$31,468.00
<b>95</b>	Kent	King	\$35,983.00
<b>14</b>	Kirkland	King	\$71,558.00
<b>104</b>	La Center	Clark	\$34,600.00
<b>83</b>	La Conner	Skagit	\$37,403.00
<b>100</b>	Lacey	Thurston	\$35,112.00
<b>18</b>	Lake Forest Park	King	\$64,519.00
<b>70</b>	Lake Stevens	Snohomish	\$38,604.00
<b>122</b>	Lakewood	Pierce	\$33,277.00
<b>33</b>	Langley	Island	\$49,748.00
<b>79</b>	Leavenworth	Chelan	\$38,021.00
<b>47</b>	Liberty Lake	Spokane	\$44,390.00
<b>132</b>	Longview	Cowlitz	\$31,980.00
<b>119</b>	Lyman	Skagit	\$33,362.00
<b>106</b>	Lynden	Whatcom	\$34,507.00
<b>109</b>	Lynnwood	Snohomish	\$34,452.00
<b>45</b>	Maple Valley	King	\$45,405.00
<b>84</b>	Marysville	Snohomish	\$37,395.00
<b>4</b>	Medina	King	\$136,795.00
<b>7</b>	Mercer Island	King	\$101,832.00
<b>81</b>	Metaline	Pend Oreille	\$37,598.00

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<b>24</b>	Mill Creek	Snohomish	\$57,349.00
<b>115</b>	Millwood	Spokane	\$33,615.00
<b>80</b>	Milton	King	\$37,901.00
<b>123</b>	Monroe	Snohomish	\$33,243.00
<b>102</b>	Montesano	Grays Harbor	\$35,047.00
<b>46</b>	Mountlake Terrace	Snohomish	\$44,625.00
<b>25</b>	Mukilteo	Snohomish	\$57,159.00
<b>126</b>	Naches	Yakima	\$33,158.00
<b>9</b>	Newcastle	King	\$78,649.00
<b>22</b>	Normandy Park	King	\$60,966.00
<b>28</b>	North Bend	King	\$55,289.00
<b>118</b>	North Bonneville	Skamania	\$33,510.00
<b>133</b>	Oakesdale	Whitman	\$31,957.00
<b>72</b>	Olympia	Thurston	\$38,443.00
<b>85</b>	Orting	Pierce	\$37,385.00
<b>78</b>	Palouse	Whitman	\$38,119.00
<b>113</b>	Port Orchard	Kitsap	\$34,165.00
<b>62</b>	Port Townsend	Jefferson	\$40,720.00
<b>52</b>	Poulsbo	Kitsap	\$42,950.00
<b>69</b>	Puyallup	Pierce	\$38,738.00
<b>13</b>	Redmond	King	\$72,971.00
<b>55</b>	Renton	King	\$42,736.00
<b>48</b>	Richland	Benton	\$44,261.00
<b>61</b>	Ridgefield	Clark	\$41,214.00
<b>105</b>	Rockford	Spokane	\$34,544.00
<b>110</b>	Roslyn	Kittitas	\$34,447.00
<b>15</b>	Ruston	Pierce	\$69,375.00
<b>8</b>	Sammamish	King	\$79,050.00
<b>129</b>	SeaTac	King	\$32,449.00
<b>17</b>	Seattle	King	\$68,836.00
<b>130</b>	Selah	Yakima	\$32,136.00
<b>34</b>	Shoreline	King	\$49,570.00
<b>99</b>	Skykomish	King	\$35,390.00
<b>67</b>	Snohomish	Snohomish	\$38,988.00
<b>19</b>	Snoqualmie	King	\$62,984.00
<b>134</b>	South Cle Elum	Kittitas	\$31,890.00
<b>73</b>	South Prairie	Pierce	\$38,439.00
<b>97</b>	Spangle	Spokane	\$35,766.00
<b>127</b>	Spokane	Spokane	\$32,991.00
<b>71</b>	Stanwood	Snohomish	\$38,447.00
<b>96</b>	Starbuck	Columbia	\$35,778.00
<b>50</b>	Steilacoom	Pierce	\$43,263.00

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<b>135</b>	Sultan	Snohomish	\$31,593.00
<b>88</b>	Sumner	Pierce	\$37,039.00
<b>86</b>	Tacoma	Pierce	\$37,263.00
<b>65</b>	Toledo	Lewis	\$39,175.00
<b>90</b>	Tukwila	King	\$36,673.00
<b>82</b>	Tumwater	Thurston	\$37,582.00
<b>107</b>	Twisp	Okanogan	\$34,500.00
<b>38</b>	Uniontown	Whitman	\$46,807.00
<b>51</b>	University Place	Pierce	\$43,008.00
<b>94</b>	Vancouver	Clark	\$36,053.00
<b>138</b>	Waitsburg	Walla Walla	\$31,310.00
<b>54</b>	Washougal	Clark	\$42,791.00
<b>124</b>	Waterville	Douglas	\$33,232.00
<b>140</b>	Wenatchee	Chelan	\$31,169.00
<b>64</b>	West Richland	Benton	\$39,690.00
<b>103</b>	White Salmon	Klickitat	\$34,716.00
<b>87</b>	Wilbur	Lincoln	\$37,070.00
<b>77</b>	Wilkeson	Pierce	\$38,182.00
<b>36</b>	Winthrop	Okanogan	\$47,826.00
<b>16</b>	Woodinville	King	\$69,192.00
<b>6</b>	Woodway	Snohomish	\$108,236.00
<b>136</b>	Yacolt	Clark	\$31,469.00
<b>3</b>	Yarrow Point	King	\$137,238.00

## Economically Disadvantaged Counties

As of July 1, 2023, the median income for counties in Washington state is \$34,340.

The counties listed in Table 3 **are at or below** the median income. They **are considered economically disadvantaged** for the purposes of Remedial Action Grant funding and qualify for a reduced local match.

**Table 3:** Counties in Washington state that are considered economically disadvantaged for the purposes of Remedial Action Grant funding as of July 1, 2023.

Rank	County	Per Capita Income (in dollars)
39	Adams	\$21,872.00
22	Asotin	\$33,309.00
24	Cowlitz	\$32,439.00
33	Ferry	\$28,068.00
34	Franklin	\$27,838.00
32	Garfield	\$28,163.00
35	Grant	\$27,466.00
31	Grays Harbor	\$28,259.00
30	Lewis	\$29,973.00
21	Lincoln	\$33,653.00
23	Mason	\$33,004.00
36	Okanogan	\$26,365.00
25	Pacific	\$31,761.00
27	Pend Oreille	\$31,346.00
20	Spokane	\$34,340.00
28	Stevens	\$30,518.00
29	Wahkiakum	\$30,226.00
26	Walla Walla	\$31,615.00
37	Whitman	\$26,254.00
38	Yakima	\$25,069.00



The counties listed in Table 4 **are above** the median income of \$34,340. They **are not considered economically disadvantaged** for the purposes of Remedial Action Grant funding and do not qualify for a reduced local match.

**Table 4:** Counties in Washington state that are **not considered** economically disadvantaged for the purposes of Remedial Action Grant funding as of July 1, 2023.

Rank	County	Per Capita Income (in dollars)
13	Benton	\$36,640.00
15	Chelan	\$35,262.00
17	Clallam	\$34,647.00
8	Clark	\$39,371.00
5	Columbia	\$41,902.00
16	Douglas	\$35,094.00
6	Island	\$40,423.00
7	Jefferson	\$40,208.00
1	King	\$59,843.00
4	Kitsap	\$43,034.00
19	Kittitas	\$34,350.00
18	Klickitat	\$34,529.00
9	Pierce	\$39,036.00
2	San Juan	\$52,881.00
11	Skagit	\$37,723.00
12	Skamania	\$37,691.00
3	Snohomish	\$44,338.00
10	Thurston	\$38,989.00
14	Whatcom	\$36,504.00