



American Recovery and Reinvestment Act



Garfield County

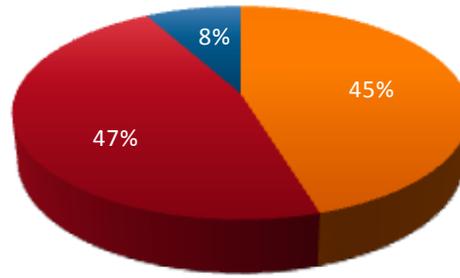
+ \$1,414,000



TAX CUTS

684,000 Nebraskans benefitted from the Making Work Pay tax cut, putting a total of \$346 million into Nebraskans' pockets in 2009 and \$327 million in 2010^{1,2}. The Making Work Pay tax cut put more than **\$329,000** back into the economy of Garfield County in 2009 and **\$311,000** in 2010³.

Division of Funding in Garfield County



- Making Work Pay tax cut
- Education
- Community Improvement

EDUCATION

Garfield County's school district was saved from making further cuts to its budget through the use of over **\$660,000** in Recovery Act funds, including over⁴:

Burwell Public Schools	\$397,000
Educational Service Unit #10*	\$263,000

COMMUNITY IMPROVEMENT

Community improvement projects have been funded through the Recovery Act making investments in vital community needs.

☆ Housing

- \$114,000 - City of Burwell - remodeling of public housing units⁵



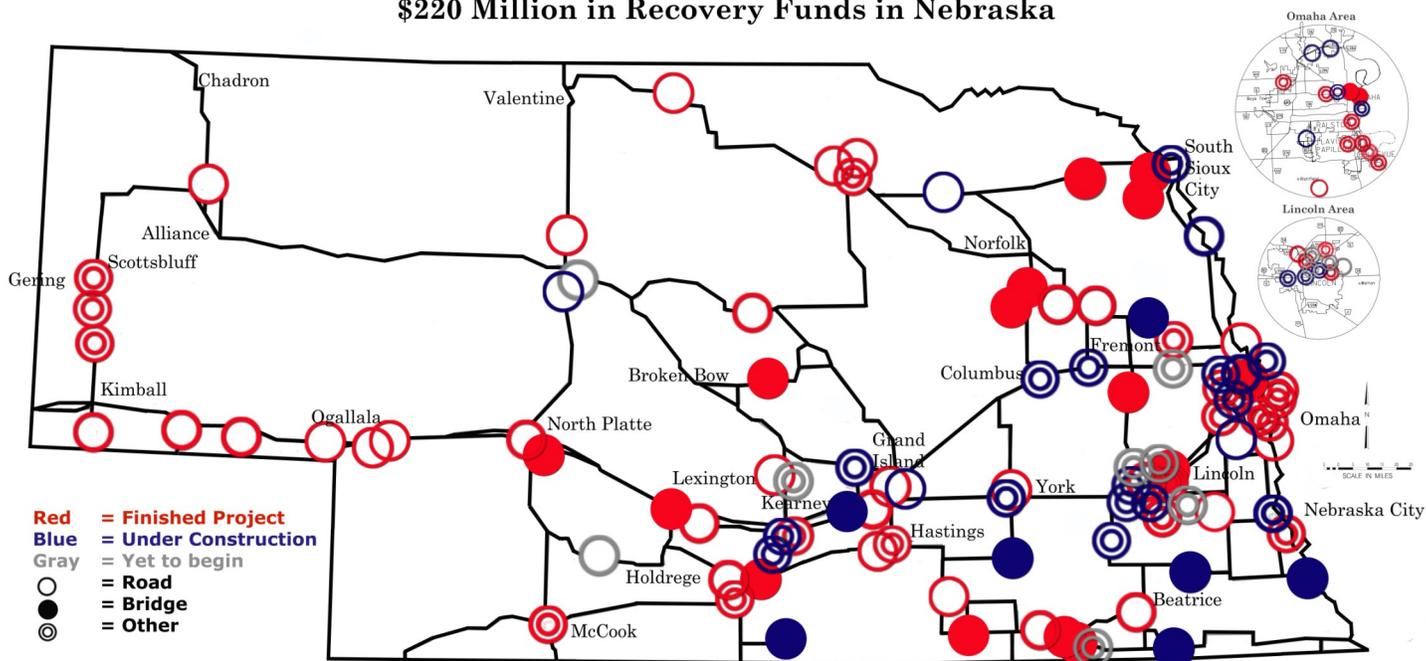
FIRST TIME HOMEBUYER CREDIT

More than 22,000 Nebraskans benefitted from the First Time Homebuyer tax credit, returning more than **\$155.8 million** to the Nebraska economy from 2008 to 2010⁶.



Road Map to Recovery

\$220 Million in Recovery Funds in Nebraska



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Summary

Tax Cuts	\$ 640,000
Education	\$ 660,000
Community Improvement	\$114,000
Total	\$1,414,000

Endnotes

1. Hungerford, Thomas, Congressional Research Service memo to Senator Nelson: "Impact of Making Work Pay Tax Credit on Nebraska"; March 27, 2009.
2. Hungerford, Thomas, Congressional Research Service memo to Senator Nelson: "Impact of Making Work Pay Tax Credit on Nebraska"; February 11, 2011.
3. \$346 million x Garfield County's percentage of Nebraska's population
4. Nebraska Department of Education, "Summary ARRA Allocations," http://www.nde.state.ne.us/ARRA/PDF/ARRA_Grant_Allocations_All_Programs.pdf (Accessed 07/22/2010).
5. "NE_Y10Q1," Recovery.gov, http://download.recovery.gov/recipient/Y10Q1/NE_Y10Q1.xls.zip (Accessed: 07/28/2010).
6. Internal Revenue Service Memo to Senator Nelson, "First Time Homebuyer Credit Volume," July 29, 2010.

* These school districts are located in multiple counties.

This information is accurate as of February 11, 2011.

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