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## LOCAL COSTS OF THE IRAQ WAR

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The following table breaks down the cost of the Iraq War for various towns, cities and counties across the U.S. The breakdown is based on a total cost of \$251 billion.

Previously, the National Priorities Project estimated the cost of the Iraq War by analyzing the legislation for the appropriations made by Congress for the war. Through fiscal year 2005, this totaled about \$205 billion. At the end of September 2005, Congress allocated more money for the Iraq and Afghanistan Wars as well as enhanced security abroad (in the continuing resolution).

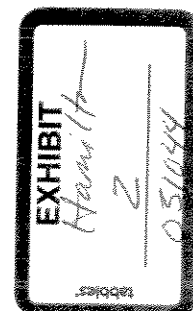
In October 2005, a report published by the Congressional Research Service (CRS) concluded that \$251 billion had been obligated or appropriated for the Iraq War. The research was based not just on Congressional appropriations, but on the Department of Defense's (DOD) DFAS monthly obligations reports. The researcher also concluded that as war-related expenses were higher than anticipated, the DOD transferred money from peacetime funds (which they were permitted to do under certain circumstances as outlined in appropriations legislation). The DOD also transferred funds appropriated for Afghanistan or general war to the Iraq War.

The table below is based on \$251 billion for the Iraq War as concluded in the CRS report.

The state-level costs in the table are computed based on how much each state contributes in tax revenues, according to IRS data. The local-level costs are based on the state costs, and on relative population and income levels in each location. These numbers were updated for the latest IRS data in May 2005.

*NPP will calculate the value for your town or county if you send us a request including your name, address, contact information, and any group with which you are affiliated (if any) and how you intend to use the information.*

STATE	CITY	Cost of Iraq War (through mid FY2006)
United States	Entire U.S.	\$251 billion
	Per Household	2,378
	Per Person	892
Alabama	Entire State	2.4 billion
	Birmingham	102.8 million
	Etowah County	51.1 million
	Gadsden	15.3 million
	Montgomery	113.8 million
Alaska	Entire State	468.9 million
	Anchorage	209.7 million
	Fairbanks	17.8 million
	Valdez	3.9 million



	Utah County	190.7 million
	West Jordan	43 million
	West Valley	56.3 million
<b>Vermont</b>	Entire State	387.9 million
	Burlington	20.1 million
	Brattleboro	6 million
	Montpelier	4.7 million
	Rutland County	36.3 million
	Strafford	0.8 million
<b>Virginia</b>	Entire State	6.6 billion
	Charlottesville	27.8 million
	Nelson County	10.6 million
	Richmond	122.6 million
<b>Washington</b>	Entire State	5.9 billion
	Edmonds	46 million
	Island County	70.8 million
	Olympia	37.8 million
	Thurston County	211.9 million
	Seattle	560.5 million
	Spokane	137.3 million
	Vancouver	130 million
	White Salmon	1.7 million
	Yakima County	168.6 million
	Yakima	46.1 million
<b>West Virginia</b>	Entire State	710.1 million
	Charles Town	1.3 million
	Charleston	24 million
	Martinsburg	5.8 million
	Mingo County	8 million
	Wood County	38.7 million
<b>Wisconsin</b>	Entire State	4.1 billion
	Appleton City	57.3 million
	Ashland County	9.2 million
	Bayside	6.9 million
	Beaver Dam	9.9 million
	Belgium	1.6 million
	Beloit	22.5 million
	Brookfield City	50.9 million
	Brookfield Town	6.1 million
	Brown County	182 million
	Brown Deer	10.7 million
	Cedarburg	10.6 million
	Chenequa	1.5 million
	5th Cong. Dist.	312.1 million



	8th Cong. Dist.	455.9 million
	Columbia County	40.9 million
	Delafield	6.9 million
	Door County	18.8 million
	Eagle River City	0.6 million
	Eau Claire	38.8 million
	Elm Grove	9.3 million
	Florence County	3.1 million
	Forest County	5.5 million
	Fox Point	9.8 million
	Fredonia	1.8 million
	Germantown	19.1 million
	Glendale	12.8 million
	Grafton	9.6 million
	Grant County	31 million
	Green Bay	68.6 million
	Hartford	8.8 million
	Hartland	8 million
	Iowa County	16.7 million
	Iron County	3.5 million
	Jackson	4.6 million
	Janesville	47.2 million
	Jefferson	5.2 million
	Johnson Creek	1.2 million
	Kewanee County	15.3 million
	Kewaskum	2.8 million
	LaCrosse	27.8 million
	Lafayette County	10.4 million
	Langlade County	11.9 million
	Lannon	0.8 million
	Luxemburg Village	1.5 million
	Madison	150.8 million
	Manitowoc	22.5 million
	Marinette County	26.4 million
	Menominee County	2.3 million
	Menomonee Falls	32.7 million
	Mequon	34.2 million
	Merton	2.4 million
* - City -	Milwaukee	332.3 million
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	Nashotah	1.7 million
	New Berlin	44.6 million
	Oconomowoc	11 million
	Oconto County	25.4 million

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