

# Counting for Dollars 2020

## The Role of the Decennial Census in the Geographic Distribution of Federal Funds

REPORT

COUNTING FOR DOLLARS 2020:

# NEBRASKA

**Allocation of Funds from 55 Large Federal Spending Programs  
Guided by Data Derived from the 2010 Census (Fiscal Year 2016)**

**Total Program Obligations: \$3,995,092,442**

Program	Dept.	Obligations	Program	Dept.	Obligations
<b>Financial Assistance Programs</b>		<b>\$3,893,230,657</b>			
Medical Assistance Program (Medicaid)	HHS	\$1,093,989,000	Community Facilities Loans/Grants	USDA	\$36,823,096
Federal Direct Student Loans	ED	\$636,867,389	Supporting Effective Instruction State Grants	ED	\$10,913,258
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program	USDA	\$240,677,417	Crime Victim Assistance	DOJ	\$13,278,442
Medicare Suppl. Medical Insurance (Part B)	HHS	\$377,229,875	CDBG Entitlement Grants	HUD	\$6,580,657
Highway Planning and Construction	DOT	\$324,505,843	Public Housing Capital Fund	HUD	\$8,775,000
Federal Pell Grant Program	ED	\$121,500,000	Block Grants for the Prevention and Treatment of Substance Abuse	HHS	\$7,641,241
Section 8 Housing Choice Vouchers	HUD	\$68,456,000	Water and Waste Disposal Systems for Rural Communities	USDA	\$13,545,100
Temporary Assistance for Needy Families	HHS	\$59,370,440	Social Services Block Grant	HHS	\$9,296,948
Very Low to Moderate Income Housing Loans	USDA	\$99,395,630	Rural Rental Assistance Payments	USDA	\$8,413,614
Title I Grants to LEAs	ED	\$71,155,073	Business and Industry Loans	USDA	\$31,223,000
State Children's Health Insurance Program	HHS	\$78,189,000	Career and Technical Education - Basic Grants to States	ED	\$6,816,893
National School Lunch Program	USDA	\$69,791,000	Homeland Security Grant Program	DHS	\$3,330,325
Special Education Grants	ED	\$76,256,524	WIOA Dislocated Worker Grants	DOL	\$1,986,165
Section 8 Housing Assistance Payments Program	HUD	\$28,336,416	HOME	HUD	\$4,597,362
Federal Transit Formula Grants	DOT	\$25,446,000	State CDBG	HUD	\$9,944,180
Head Start	HHS	\$56,385,370	WIOA Youth Activities	DOL	\$2,311,700
WIC	USDA	\$33,063,000	WIOA Adult Activities	DOL	\$2,028,448
Title IV-E Foster Care	HHS	\$20,597,837	Employment Service/Wagner-Peyser	DOL	\$5,884,898
Health Care Centers	HHS	\$20,714,113	Community Services Block Grant	HHS	\$4,961,048
School Breakfast Program	USDA	\$17,717,000	Special Programs for the Aging, Title III, Part C, Nutrition Services	HHS	\$4,002,880
Rural Electrification Loans and Loan Guarantees	USDA	\$0	Cooperative Extension Service	USDA	\$6,783,433
Public and Indian Housing	HUD	\$13,944,000	Native Amer. Employment & Training	DOL	\$363,635
Low Income Home Energy Assistance	HHS	\$29,369,995			
Child and Adult Care Food Program	USDA	\$32,315,000	<b>Federal Tax Expenditures</b>		<b>\$72,270,730</b>
Vocational Rehabilitation Grants to the States	ED	\$20,390,205	Low Income Housing Tax Credit	Treas	\$50,901,649
Child Care Mandatory and Matching Funds	HHS	\$21,356,000	New Markets Tax Credit	Treas	\$21,369,081
Unemployment Insurance Administration	DOL	\$15,440,000			
Federal Transit - Capital Investment Grants	DOT	\$0	<b>Federal Procurement Programs</b>		<b>\$29,591,055</b>
Child Care and Development Block Grant	HHS	\$15,531,000	HUBZones Program	SBA	\$29,591,055
Adoption Assistance	HHS	\$25,740,207			

Prepared by Andrew Reamer, the George Washington Institute of Public Policy, the George Washington University. Spending data analysis provided by Sean Moulton, Open Government Program Manager, Project on Government Oversight. | January 30, 2019

**Note:** The sequence of the above programs is consistent with U.S. rank order by program expenditures. (See U.S. sheet in series.)

Counting for Dollars 2020 publications and spreadsheet with above data available at <https://gwipp.gwu.edu/counting-dollars-2020-role-decennial-census-geographic-distribution-federal-funds>

**GW Institute  
of Public Policy**

THE GEORGE WASHINGTON UNIVERSITY

For further information:

**Andrew Reamer**, Research Professor  
The George Washington University  
[areamer@gwu.edu](mailto:areamer@gwu.edu)