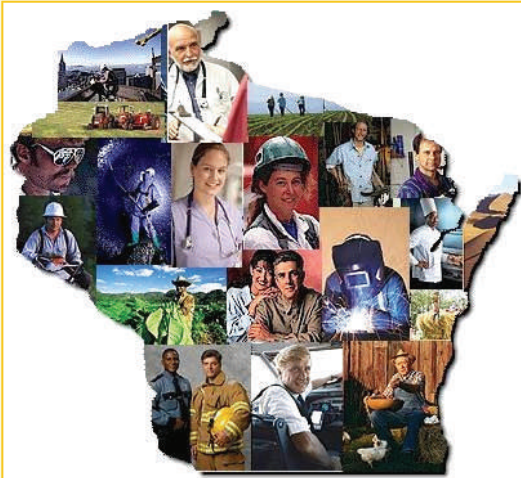


# Manitowoc County



## State Budget Overview

2-year budget: 2011-2013

### Sample cuts

K-12 public schools	\$822 million
Medical assistance	\$480 million
UW and tech colleges	\$322 million
Local government	\$173 million
Low-income & students	\$173 million
Tuition increases	\$107 million
Unemployment benefits	\$96 million



### Loss in state general aid for public schools

(2011 –2012 fiscal year)

<b>TOTAL IMPACT</b>	<b>-\$7.1 million</b>
Kiel Area	-\$881,182
Manitowoc	-\$3,334,654
Mishicot	-\$553,891
Reedsville	-\$415,567
Two Rivers	-\$1,245,461
Valders Area	-\$678,813

### **Estimated impact of cuts to public workers' take-home pay:**

There are **3,725** public workers in Manitowoc County. Under the proposed state budget, each will lose about **\$2,008** in take-home pay.

This will reduce local buying and economic activity by **\$7.5 million**, leading to closed businesses and retail job losses.

Sources: Wisconsin Departments of Public Instruction, Administration, and Workforce Development, Wisconsin Legislative Fiscal Bureau

### Cuts to Cities and County -\$1.9million

(for calendar year 2012)

<b>Manitowoc County</b>	<b>-\$864,255</b>
City of Kiel	-\$47,279
City of Manitowoc	-\$695,374
City of Two Rivers	-\$143,574
Village of Cleveland	-\$15,711
Village of Francis Creek	-\$4,532
Village of Kellnersville	-\$1,217
Village of Maribel	-\$1,013
Village of Mishicot	-\$13,726
Village of Reedsville	\$3,941
Village of Saint Nazianz	-\$5,248
Village of Valders	-\$8,471
Village of Whitelaw	-\$4,187
Town of Cato	-\$9,397
Town of Centerville	-\$1,594
Town of Cooperstown	-\$6,396
Town of Eaton	-\$2,659
Town of Franklin	-\$6,122
Town of Gibson	-\$6,921
Town of Kossuth	-\$12,741
Town of Liberty	-\$6,288
Town of Manitowoc	-\$4,494
Town of Manitowoc Rapids	-\$15,455
Town of Maple Grove	-\$2,672
Town of Meeme	-\$8,012
Town of Mishicot	-\$6,367
Town of Newton	-\$15,736
Town of Rockland	-\$3,839
Town of Schleswig	-\$9,450
Town of Two Creeks	-\$732
Town of Two Rivers	-\$12,346

## Under Walker, Wisconsin is 33,800 jobs short of matching the national pace of job creation



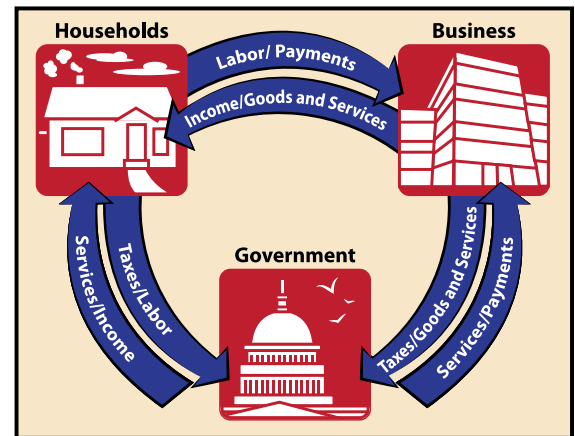
The chart shows the percent change in the number of jobs in Wisconsin and the U.S. since April 2011. The pink area is when Gov. Walker's budget has been law. If only we'd matched the US trend, we'd have 33,800 more jobs.

### Cutting is the worst choice

Money circulating throughout the economy—cycling among businesses, households and governments—makes for prosperity.

But when huge amounts of money are taken out of the economy, as Gov. Walker's policies are doing, it hurts almost everyone. Businesses have fewer customers; workers have fewer jobs; state and local governments have less tax revenue.

*In tough times, the worst thing a governor can do is further shrink the economy.*



### Four ways Walker's policies hurt Wisconsin's economy



- 1** The 2011-'13 state budget cuts about one billion dollars each year from education, health care and other basic services.
- 2** The state budget also slices household incomes through higher taxes on low-income families, higher college tuition and delayed unemployment benefits.
- 3** Act 10—passed in Special Session—hobbled collective bargaining and undermined the right of workers to have unions. It also takes over \$700 million-a-year out of the state's economy, by making massive cuts in public workers' take-home pay.
- 4** Federal funds that could have been used in Wisconsin were either rejected outright or lost because the programs they were to help fund have been slashed.