



## Fueling Job Growth and Saving Consumers Money: The CAFE Provision in H.R. 6

Investments in technology create economic growth in our nation—driving job growth, creating efficient products that save consumers money, and helping the U.S. maintain its global leadership. We have world-class engineers who have developed technologies that can greatly increase the fuel efficiency of our cars, SUVs and trucks. Now we need to put that technology to work to cut our oil addiction, reduce global warming pollution, save consumers money and create jobs throughout the country.

A new analysis by the Union of Concerned Scientists looks at the benefits of fully implementing the Senate target of 35 mpg by 2020. This analysis shows a 35 mpg fleet will create as many as **170,800 jobs in the year 2020**, including **22,300 in the auto industry**, and save consumers nearly \$25 billion on gasoline (assuming gasoline at \$2.55 per gallon – in 2005 dollars).

### **Projected Consumer Savings and Jobs Created from Raising Fuel Economy Standards to 35 mpg by 2020 – 2006 Average Gasoline Price**

State	Jobs created	Annual Net Consumer Savings in 2020 (million \$ per year)	State	Jobs created	Annual Net Consumer Savings in 2020 (million \$ per year)
Alabama	2,700	\$474	Montana	500	\$75
Alaska	200	\$50	Nebraska	1,000	\$150
Arizona	3,200	\$499	Nevada	1,200	\$200
Arkansas	1,500	\$250	New Hampshire	700	\$125
California	22,800	\$2,895	New Jersey	4,900	\$774
Colorado	2,400	\$374	New Mexico	800	\$175
Connecticut	2,300	\$299	New York	9,400	\$1,023
Delaware	600	\$75	North Carolina	5,300	\$774
Dist. of Col.	500	\$25	North Dakota	300	\$50
Florida	10,100	\$1,547	Ohio	7,700	\$923
Georgia	5,200	\$923	Oklahoma	1,100	\$324
Hawaii	700	\$75	Oregon	2,000	\$274
Idaho	700	\$100	Pennsylvania	7,000	\$923
Illinois	7,300	\$923	Rhode Island	500	\$75
Indiana	4,600	\$574	South Carolina	2,700	\$449
Iowa	1,900	\$274	South Dakota	500	\$75
Kansas	1,300	\$200	Tennessee	3,900	\$549
Kentucky	2,600	\$399	Texas	9,900	\$2,096
Louisiana	1,600	\$424	Utah	1,400	\$175
Maine	800	\$125	Vermont	400	\$75
Maryland	3,200	\$474	Virginia	4,600	\$724
Massachusetts	3,900	\$524	Washington	3,600	\$499
Michigan	8,500	\$898	West Virginia	800	\$150
Minnesota	3,200	\$474	Wisconsin	3,400	\$449
Mississippi	1,500	\$299	Wyoming	200	\$50
Missouri	3,900	\$574			
			<b>United States</b>	<b>170,800</b>	<b>\$ 24,904</b>

Based on gasoline use data for 2005. (FHA, Highway Statistics 2005, Table MF-21). Consumer savings based on a gas at \$2.55 per gallon, in 2005 dollars. Jobs estimates based on IMPlan model, originally developed for USDA, and model runs by MRG Associates.

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