

The Fiscal Burden of

Illegal Immigration on South Carolina


How much does it cost taxpayers in the Palmetto State?

An estimated
70,000

illegal aliens
live in
South Carolina.

Illegal aliens
cost taxpayers
\$391 million

in state
& local costs,

But they only
pay an
estimated
\$21 million

in taxes
collected
by the state;

Leaving a burden
of more than
\$370 million

for South Carolina
taxpayers.

What Are Taxpayers Supporting?


Education
\$266 million


Healthcare
\$37 million


Justice
& Law
Enforcement
\$28 million


Public
Assistance
\$21 million


General
Government
Services
\$38 million

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