



Yakima County Development Association

Economic Data Profile

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Cost of Living

Table 20

ACCRA Cost of Living Index - Selected Cities - First Quarter, 2010							
Weight	Cost	Yakima WA	Seattle WA	Olympia Wa	Portland OR	Spokane WA	Tri-Cities WA
100%	Composite Index	96.4	123.3	103.7	109.5	93.0	91.1
12%	Grocery Items	103.5	119.6	107.7	104.9	91.4	87.5
30%	Housing	87.2	145.5	100.6	131.6	84.4	83.8
10%	Utilities	91.3	84.2	82.1	87.2	89.0	84.4
10%	Transportation	104.9	117.5	110.9	101.2	103.8	106.4
4%	Health Care	118.0	118.7	119.7	110.9	107.2	109.0
34%	Misc. Goods &	97.7	119.6	106.8	101.3	96.8	91.1
	Average Rent	\$583	\$1,364	\$896	\$1,026	\$717	\$723
	Average Home	\$269,800	\$389,423	\$291,679	\$392,967	\$247,368	\$245,262