An Itemized Taxpayer Receipt for 2010

Household Income		\$50,000
Income/FICA Taxes Paid		\$6,883
CATEGORY		YOU PAID
Social Security		\$1,110.96
National Defense		1,107.39
Overseas combat operations	250.46	
Medicare		703.93
Net interest on the federal debt		654.61
Low-income assistance programs		595.24
Housing assistance	118.52	
Food stamps and other food programs	152.84	
Other federal health programs National Institutes of Health and other health research and training programs	56.84	573.32
Food, drug, consumer safety, and other health-related regulatory activities	56.84 7.65	
Unemployment benefits	7.00	299.14
Veterans benefits and services		191.94
Education		183.59
K-12 and vocational education	129.48	105.53
Higher education	31.49	
Job training and assistance	16.77	
Highway, mass transit, and railroad funding		126.3
Federal employee retirement and disability benefits		103.87
Justice and law enforcement funding, including the FBI, federal courts, and federal prisons		95.6
Foreign aid		63.32
National parks and other land, water, and natural resources funding		61.80
Science and technology research and advancement		58.44
NASA	33.27	
Air transportation, including the Federal Aviation Administration		38.48
Farm subsidies		36.98
Alternate energy funding, energy regulation, and the Strategic Petroleum Reserve		32.9
Disaster relief and insurance, including the Federal Emergency Management Administration		28.75
Diplomacy and embassies		25.39
Enviromental Protection Agency and pollution control programs		19.97
Internal Revenue Service and Treasury operations		19.63
Coast Guard and maritime programs		18.03
Community Development Block Grants		17.05
U.S. Congress and legislative branch activities		7.49
U.S. Postal Service		1.80
Executive Office of the President		0.99
All other net federal spending		7.09
The total federal debt (as of January 1, 2011):		,215,218,709
Amount of debt per legal U.S. resident:		\$45,411
Amount of additional federal borrowing per legal U.S. resident in 2010:		\$5,559

Source: "Budget of the United States Government: Public Budget Database Fiscal Year 2011," available at http://www.gpoaccess.gov/usbudget/fy11/db.html.