

<b>2007-08 PROPOSED BUDGET INCREASES BY STATE</b>		
<b>STATE</b>	<b>PROPOSED INCREASE (%)</b>	<b>RANK</b>
Montana	28.4%	1
Oregon	23.7%	2
Mississippi	19.3%	3
North Dakota	18.1%	4
Louisiana	17.9%	5
Utah	12.4%	6
Illinois	11.6%	7
New Hampshire	10.8%	8
Idaho	9.6%	9
Connecticut	9.1%	10
New Jersey	8.8%	11
Iowa	8.7%	12
Nevada	7.8%	13
Kansas	7.7%	14
Arkansas	7.1%	15
Tennessee	6.9%	16
Minnesota	6.6%	17
Kentucky	6.4%	18
Missouri	6.4%	18
Alabama	6.3%	20
Maine	5.8%	21
South Dakota	5.8%	21
North Carolina	5.7%	23
Rhode Island	5.6%	24
Oklahoma	5.5%	25
Georgia	4.5%	26
Washington	4.4%	27
New York	4.2%	28
Indiana	3.8%	29
South Carolina	3.8%	29
Colorado	3.7%	31
Nebraska	3.7%	31
Pennsylvania	3.6%	33
Michigan	3.5%	34
Maryland	2.8%	35
Vermont	1.9%	36
California	1.0%	37
Hawaii	1.0%	37
Wisconsin	1.0%	37

Massachusetts	0.9%	40
Florida	0.6%	41
Arizona	0.5%	42
Ohio	0.2%	43
Wyoming	-0.6%	44
Delaware	-1.0%	45
Virginia	-2.1%	46
New Mexico	-2.3%	47
West Virginia	-4.2%	48
Alaska	-6.8%	49
Texas	N/A	N/A

Source. Table A-4, The Fiscal Survey of the States, NASBO, June 2007

[http://www.nasbo.org/Publications/PDFs/Fiscal Survey of the States June 2007.pdf](http://www.nasbo.org/Publications/PDFs/Fiscal%20Survey%20of%20the%20States%20June%202007.pdf)