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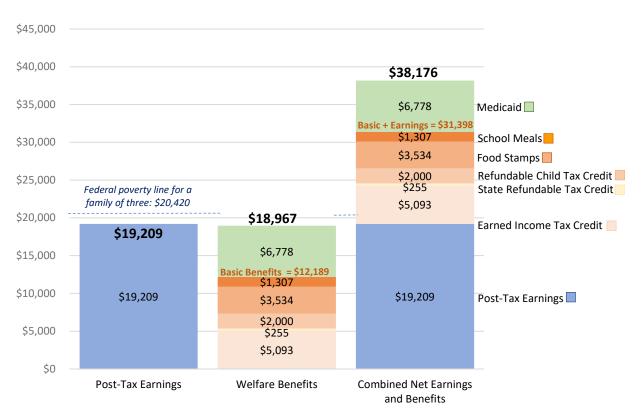
Minimum wage = \$10.00 per hour or \$20,800 annually.

The mom does not qualify for Medicaid, but the children do (estimated at \$3,389 each).

Maine matches the federal Earned Income Tax Credit with a refundable tax credit.

CHART 1: MAINE

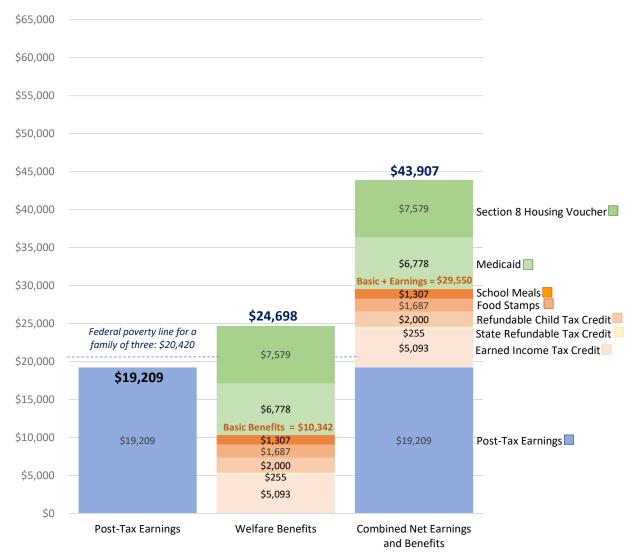
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CHART 2: MAINE

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