

AMAZON AND EMPTY STOREFRONTS



Wisconsin: Essential Findings

In 2014, Amazon sold **\$774.1 million** worth of retail goods statewide, all while avoiding **\$3.3 million** in state and local sales taxes.

That is the equivalent of **544** retail storefronts, **1.9 million** square feet of commercial space, which might have paid **\$9.9 million** in property taxes.

A total of more than **\$13.2 million** in revenue lost to state and local governments, **\$5.76** for every household in Wisconsin.

Amazon also operated **1.6 million** square feet of distribution space in Wisconsin, employing roughly **3,273** workers.

Even counting all the jobs in Amazon distribution centers, Amazon sales produced a net loss of **1,467** retail jobs in Wisconsin.

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