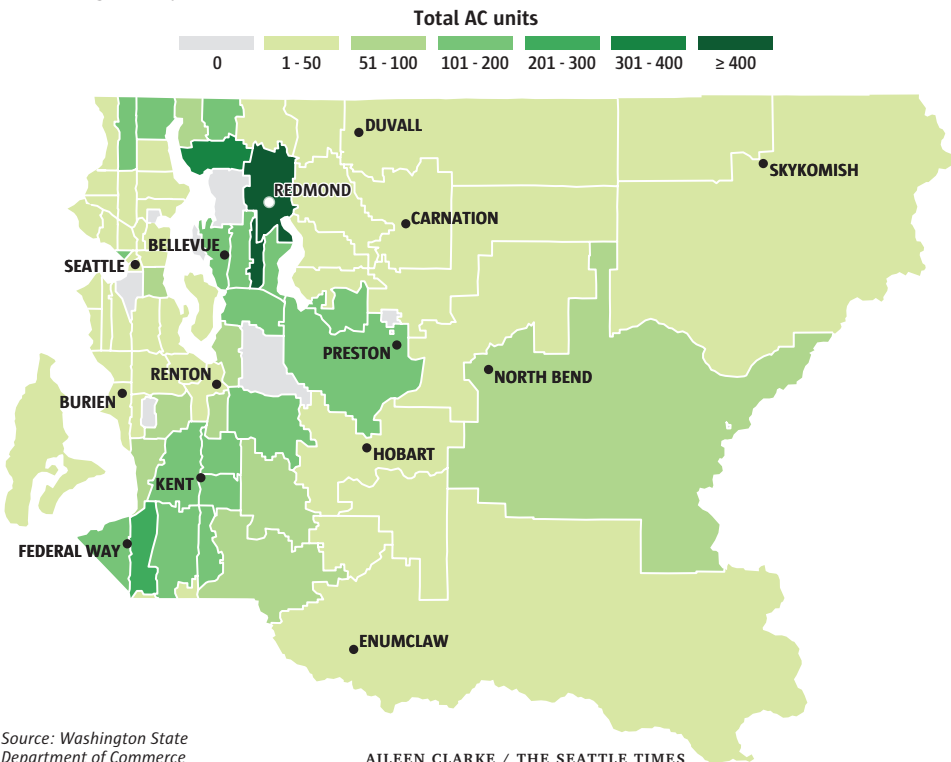


Air conditioners for low-income Washington residents

Since Washington expanded the federal Low-Income Housing Energy Assistance Program to cover cooling in October 2021, more than 11,500 households statewide have received a free portable air conditioning unit to deal with rising summer temperatures. More than half were distributed to King County, with a majority of those ending up in Eastside communities and South King County.



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