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Alameda	\$1,000		Y		Y	Car is excluded only if it is worth \$4650 or less
Alpine	\$500	Cash limit is \$50; Personal Property Limit is \$500	Y		Y	Car is excluded only if it worth \$1000 or less
Amador	\$500	Cash limit is \$100; Personal property limit is \$500	Y		Y	Car is excluded only if it is worth \$4650 or less
Butte	\$600		Y	Excluded if market value is less than \$20,000	Y	Car is excluded only if worth \$1500 or less
Calaveras	\$1,500	Cash limit is \$200; Personal property limit is \$1500 (includes the \$200)	Y		Y	Car is excluded if worth less than \$4650
Colusa	\$100	Personal Property cannot exceed \$100	Y		Y	Car excluded if worth \$4650 or less
Contra Costa	\$500		Y		Y	Excluded if worth \$4,500 or less
Del Norte	\$50	Personal Property cannot exceed \$50	Y	Lien is required	Y	Car excluded if worth \$500 or less

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El Dorado	\$2,500		Y		Y	Car is exempt if worth \$2,000 or less
Fresno	\$1,000	Personal Property limit is \$1000	Y		Y	Car value cannot exceed \$1,500; if it does exceed the excess over \$1500 will be included in property limit
Glenn	\$1,000		Y		Y	Car value cannot exceed \$1,500
Humboldt	\$1,000		Y	Home is exempt regardless of value	Y	Car value cannot exceed \$4650
Imperial	\$600	Personal Property limit is \$600 ; Cash limit is \$50	Y	House cannot be valued at more than \$5000; a lien is also taken in this county	Y	Employable clients are allowed to have a car that is valued at \$1,500 or less. Unemployables are allowed to have a car provided that it does not exceed \$600 including all other personal property.

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Inyo	\$1,000	Real Property limit is \$1,000; Cash limit is \$50	Y		Y	Value of car cannot exceed \$2,000; participant can only have one car
Kern	N/A	Liquid assets cannot exceed the amount of one months' worth of assistance; Any balance will be deducted from first month's GA budget	Y		Y	Value of car cannot exceed \$1,500
Kings	\$3,000	Real property limit is \$3,000; Personal Property cannot exceed \$50	Y		Y	Value of car cannot exceed \$1,500
Lake	\$500	Resource Limit is \$500	Y	Lien is required	Y	Value of car cannot exceed \$500; a client that has a car that is worth \$1,000 can qualify for an exemption if they meet all other qualifications of the program

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Lassen	\$1,500	Personal Property Limit is \$1,500; \$300 liquid asset limit (Included in \$1,500)	Y	Lien is required	Y	Cannot exceed TANF regulations
Los Angeles	\$500	Personal Property limit is \$500; Cash limit is \$50 or less at time of application and \$1,500 or less at time of approval	Y	Value of home has to be less than \$34,000; lien is required	Y	Value of car had to be \$4,500 or less; only one car can be retained
Madera	\$100	Cash limit is \$100	Y	If monthly rent is more than the GA grant the client is ineligible; lien is required	Y	Value of car cannot exceed \$4,650
Marin	\$600	\$600 personal Property Limit; \$50 Cash limit	Y	Home will be exempt if equity is \$14,500 or less	Y	Car is exempt if used for Dr. Appt or seek employment; if person is living in a vehicle and has a second car for transportation, both will be exempt
Mariposa	\$3,450		Y		N	

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Mendocino						
Merced	\$500	Cash limit is \$50; Personal Property Limit is \$500	Y	Required to file a home tax exemption and provide proof; lien is required	Y	Value cannot exceed \$1,500
Modoc	\$200	Real property limit is \$1,500; Cash limit is \$50; personal Property Limit is \$200	Y	Lien is required	Y	Value cannot exceed \$1,500
Mono	\$100	Cash Limit is \$100; Personal Property is determined by the Department	Y	Lien is required	Y	Value cannot exceed \$3,000
Monterey	\$1,000	Personal Property Limit is \$1,000; \$100 or less in liquid resources	Y		Y	Equity in a motor vehicle of \$500 or less
Napa	\$500	Personal Property cannot exceed \$500 from which no more than \$100 can be in cash	Y	Value of home has to be \$5,000 or less	Y	Value cannot exceed \$1,500; excess will be applied to Personal Property limit

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Nevada	\$1,000	Personal Property limit is \$1,000 from which no more than \$100 can be cash	Y		Y	Value cannot exceed \$1,500
Orange	\$1,000		Y	Equity value cannot exceed \$5,000	Y	Value not to exceed \$1,500
Placer	\$50	Cash Limit \$50	Y	Lien is required	Y	Value cannot exceed \$1,500
Plumas	\$2,000		Y		Y	Value cannot exceed \$1,500; Excess will be combined with Personal Property Limit
Riverside	\$250		Y		Y	Value of car cannot exceed \$500
Sacramento	\$250	Cash limit is \$10; personal Property Limit is \$250	Y		Y	Cannot exceed a combined gross value of \$5,500 and a net value of \$2,000
San Benito						
San Bernardino	\$500	Personal Property Limit is \$500; \$50 Cash limit	Y	Value must be \$32,000 or less; lien is required	Y	Value of car cannot exceed \$3,000; balance will be counted in Personal Property Limit (\$500)

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San Diego	\$250	Personal Property limit is \$250 (net value); Cash limit is \$5; Overall property limit is \$1,000	Y	Only if lien is executed identifying the property; waiver request required in cases of extreme hardship	Y	Value not to exceed \$1,500; May be approved for waiver of vehicle limit
San Francisco	Cannot exceed monthly stipend available for single individual (\$395)	Other rules state that is person is transitioning from earned income and asset disregard program or SSI they are allowed to have \$2,000 in savings	Y	They may retain property provided that the net monthly housing expenses does not exceed total monthly income/ assets.	Y	Value of car cannot exceed \$4,650
San Joaquin	\$600	Personal Property limit is \$600;	Y	Home value not to exceed \$20,000 net market value	Y	Value exempt up to \$1,500 rest of value counted towards Personal Property Limit
San Luis Obispo	\$250	Personal Property Limit is \$250; Cash limit is \$50	Y		Y	Value of car has to be \$4, 650 or less

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San Mateo	\$500	Personal Property Limit is \$500; Cash limit is \$50	Y	Only if equity is \$2,500 or less	Y	Gross value not to exceed \$1,000 net
Santa Barbara	\$50	Cash limit \$50; all other limits listed individually under Property Limits	Y	Only if net equity is \$5,000 or less	Y	Value of car cannot exceed \$1,500; Value of second car cannot exceed \$500
Santa Clara	\$50		Y		Y	Gross Value of car cannot exceed \$1,000
Santa Cruz	\$200	Personal Property limit is \$200 for an individual; \$300 for household	Y	Cannot exceed \$25,000; lien is required	Y	Value must not exceed \$4,650
Shasta	\$100		Y		Y	Net Equity Value must not exceed \$1,500
Sierra	\$1,000	Property limit is \$1,000; Cash limit is \$100	Y		Y	Value not to exceed \$4,500
Siskiyou	\$600	Personal property limit is \$600; Cash limit is \$100	Y		Y	Value not to exceed \$1,500
Solano	\$345	Cash limit cannot be higher than amount of cash aid limit	Y		Y	No limit to first car; any additional cars would be subject to property limit



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Sonoma	\$500	Property Limit is \$500; cash limit is \$50	Y		Y	Value not to exceed \$2,500
Stanislaus	\$300	Personal Property Limit is \$300; Cash on hand must be applied to current living expenses	Y	Lien is required; All other property not used as a home has to have a value of \$20,000 or less to qualify for GA	Y	Value of car must be \$2,000 or less
Sutter	\$300		Y	Mobile home is exempt up to \$1,000	Y	Value of car cannot exceed \$1,000; \$350 in equity
Tehama						
Trinity	\$500		Y	Lien is required	Y	Value of car must be \$2,000 or less
Tulare	See notes	Cash limit cannot be higher than amount of cash aid limit	Y		Y	Value of car must be less than \$1,500 or less
Tuolumne	\$500	Personal Property Limit is \$500; Cannot exceed GA Standard for household size	Y	Lien is required	Y	Value of car must be \$1,500 or less
Ventura	\$1,000	Cash limit is \$100	Y		Y	Value of car must be \$1,500 or less

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Yolo	\$500		Y		Y	Value of car must be less than \$1,500 or less; excess shall be included in personal Property Limit
Yuba	\$500	Cash limit is \$100	Y	If net market value is \$3,000 or less after deducting liens and encumbrances	Y	Shall be exempt from consideration