BEARFACTS 1988 – 1998
Ellsworth , Kansas [20053]

Ellsworth is one of 105 counties in Kansas. It is not part of a Metropolitan Area. Its 1998 population of 6,525 ranked 61st in the state.

PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME

In 1998 Ellsworth had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of $20,735. This PCPI ranked 74th in the state and was 81 percent of the state average, $25,483, and 77 percent of the national average, $26,883. The 1998 PCPI reflected an increase of 8.1 percent from 1997. The 1997-1998 state change was 6.0 percent and the national change was 6.1 percent. In 1988 the PCPI of Ellsworth was $12,868 and ranked 91st in the state. The 1988-1998 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 4.9 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.6 percent and for the nation was 4.5 percent.

TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME

In 1998 Ellsworth had a total personal income (TPI) of $135,293*. This TPI ranked 63rd in the state and accounted for 0.2 percent of the state total. In 1988 the TPI of Ellsworth was $82,520* and ranked 70th in the state. The 1998 TPI reflected an increase of 7.9 percent from 1997. The 1997-1998 state change was 7.0 percent and the national change was 7.4 percent. The 1988-1998 average annual growth rate of TPI was 5.1 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 5.4 percent and for the nation was 5.8 percent.

COMPONENTS OF TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME

Total personal income includes net earnings by place of residence; dividends, interest, and rent; and personal current transfer receipts received by the residents of Ellsworth. In 1998 net earnings accounted for 54.0 percent of TPI (compared with 50.8 in 1988); dividends, interest, and rent were 25.6 percent (compared with 30.8 in 1988); and personal current transfer receipts were 20.3 percent (compared with 18.4 in 1988). From 1997 to 1998 net earnings increased 10.2 percent; dividends, interest, and rent increased 10.4 percent; and personal current transfer receipts decreased 0.2 percent. From 1988 to 1998 net earnings increased on average 5.7 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 3.2 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 6.1 percent.

EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK

Earnings of persons employed in Ellsworth increased from $75,539* in 1997 to $82,210* in 1998, an increase of 8.8 percent. The 1997-1998 state change was 7.4 percent and the national change was 7.8 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1988 estimate of $46,675* to the 1998 estimate was 5.8 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 5.5 percent and for the nation was 5.5 percent.

**Note: All income estimates with the exception of PCPI are in thousands of dollars, not adjusted for inflation.*

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