



## **BEARFACTS 1988 – 1998**

### **Evansville (BEA-EA) [57054]**

Evansville is one of 179 BEA Economic Areas in the nation. Its 1998 population of 740,741 ranked 87th in the nation.

#### **PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME**

In 1998 Evansville had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$22,987. This PCPI ranked 80th in the United States and was 86 percent of the national average, \$26,883. The 1998 PCPI reflected an increase of 6.2 percent from 1997. The 1997-1998 national change was 6.1 percent. In 1988 the PCPI of Evansville was \$14,441 and ranked 86th in the United States. The 1988-1998 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 4.8 percent. The average annual growth rate for the nation was 4.5 percent.

#### **TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

In 1998 Evansville had a total personal income (TPI) of \$17,027,114\*. This TPI ranked 81st in the United States. In 1988 the TPI of Evansville was \$10,372,467\* and ranked 80th in the United States. The 1998 TPI reflected an increase of 6.5 percent from 1997. The 1997-1998 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 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 Evansville. In 1998 net earnings accounted for 63.4 percent of TPI (compared with 65.6 in 1988); dividends, interest, and rent were 20.6 percent (compared with 20.1 in 1988); and personal current transfer receipts were 15.9 percent (compared with 14.3 in 1988). From 1997 to 1998 net earnings increased 6.4 percent; dividends, interest, and rent increased 10.2 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 2.4 percent. From 1988 to 1998 net earnings increased on average 4.7 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 5.3 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 6.2 percent.

#### **EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK**

Earnings of persons employed in Evansville increased from \$11,736,674\* in 1997 to \$12,462,370\* in 1998, an increase of 6.2 percent. The 1997-1998 national change was 7.8 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1988 estimate of \$7,905,012\* to the 1998 estimate was 4.7 percent. The average annual growth rate 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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