



BEARFACTS 1989 – 1999

Long , Georgia [13183]

Long is one of 159 counties in Georgia. It is part of the [Hinesville-Fort Stewart, GA \(MSA\)](#). Its 1999 population of 10,108 ranked 125th in the state.

PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME

In 1999 Long had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$14,106. This PCPI ranked 158th in the state and was 54 percent of the state average, \$26,359, and 50 percent of the national average, \$27,939. The 1999 PCPI reflected an increase of 4.3 percent from 1998. The 1998-1999 state change was 4.3 percent and the national change was 3.9 percent. In 1989 the PCPI of Long was \$9,803 and ranked 157th in the state. The 1989-1999 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 3.7 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.7 percent and for the nation was 4.2 percent.

TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME

In 1999 Long had a total personal income (TPI) of \$142,580*. This TPI ranked 137th in the state and accounted for 0.1 percent of the state total. In 1989 the TPI of Long was \$56,849* and ranked 150th in the state. The 1999 TPI reflected an increase of 7.4 percent from 1998. The 1998-1999 state change was 6.7 percent and the national change was 5.1 percent. The 1989-1999 average annual growth rate of TPI was 9.6 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 7.1 percent and for the nation was 5.5 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 Long. In 1999 net earnings accounted for 71.6 percent of TPI (compared with 74.2 in 1989); dividends, interest, and rent were 12.9 percent (compared with 13.2 in 1989); and personal current transfer receipts were 15.5 percent (compared with 12.6 in 1989). From 1998 to 1999 net earnings increased 8.6 percent; dividends, interest, and rent remained unchanged; and personal current transfer receipts increased 8.5 percent. From 1989 to 1999 net earnings increased on average 9.2 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 9.4 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 11.9 percent.

EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK

Earnings of persons employed in Long increased from \$21,660* in 1998 to \$22,190* in 1999, an increase of 2.4 percent. The 1998-1999 state change was 8.6 percent and the national change was 6.8 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1989 estimate of \$10,545* to the 1999 estimate was 7.7 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 7.2 percent and for the nation was 5.6 percent.

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

USDOC, Bureau of Economic Analysis, April 23, 2009