



BEARFACTS 1990 – 2000

Pitkin , Colorado [08097]

Pitkin is one of 63 counties in Colorado. It is not part of a Metropolitan Area. Its 2000 population of 14,790 ranked 29th in the state.

PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME

In 2000 Pitkin had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$66,510. This PCPI ranked 1st in the state and was 199 percent of the state average, \$33,364, and 223 percent of the national average, \$29,847. The 2000 PCPI reflected an increase of 19.4 percent from 1999. The 1999-2000 state change was 9.4 percent and the national change was 6.8 percent. In 1990 the PCPI of Pitkin was \$31,376 and ranked 1st in the state. The 1990-2000 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 7.8 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 5.5 percent and for the nation was 4.4 percent.

TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME

In 2000 Pitkin had a total personal income (TPI) of \$983,688*. This TPI ranked 15th in the state and accounted for 0.7 percent of the state total. In 1990 the TPI of Pitkin was \$400,300* and ranked 15th in the state. The 2000 TPI reflected an increase of 17.1 percent from 1999. The 1999-2000 state change was 12.1 percent and the national change was 8.0 percent. The 1990-2000 average annual growth rate of TPI was 9.4 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 8.4 percent and for the nation was 5.6 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 Pitkin. In 2000 net earnings accounted for 60.6 percent of TPI (compared with 64.3 in 1990); dividends, interest, and rent were 37.1 percent (compared with 33.0 in 1990); and personal current transfer receipts were 2.2 percent (compared with 2.7 in 1990). From 1999 to 2000 net earnings increased 26.4 percent; dividends, interest, and rent increased 4.9 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 11.4 percent. From 1990 to 2000 net earnings increased on average 8.8 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 10.7 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 7.6 percent.

EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK

Earnings of persons employed in Pitkin increased from \$722,859* in 1999 to \$932,762* in 2000, an increase of 29.0 percent. The 1999-2000 state change was 12.7 percent and the national change was 8.0 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1990 estimate of \$384,576* to the 2000 estimate was 9.3 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 8.8 percent and for the nation was 5.8 percent.

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

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