BEARFACTS 1990 – 2000
Bay City (MSA) [13020]

Bay City is one of 363 Metropolitan Statistical Areas (MSAs) in the nation. Its 2000 population of 110,090 ranked 311th in the nation.

PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME

In 2000 Bay City had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of $25,959. This PCPI ranked 174th in the United States and was 87 percent of the national average, $29,847. The 2000 PCPI reflected an increase of 5.3 percent from 1999. The 1999-2000 national change was 6.8 percent. In 1990 the PCPI of Bay City was $16,817 and ranked 188th in the United States. The 1990-2000 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 4.4 percent. The average annual growth rate for the nation was 4.4 percent.

TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME

In 2000 Bay City had a total personal income (TPI) of $2,857,805*. This TPI ranked 292nd in the United States. In 1990 the TPI of Bay City was $1,880,244* and ranked 278th in the United States. The 2000 TPI reflected an increase of 5.1 percent from 1999. The 1999-2000 national change was 8.0 percent. The 1990-2000 average annual growth rate of TPI was 4.3 percent. The average annual growth rate 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 Bay City. In 2000 net earnings accounted for 64.7 percent of TPI (compared with 65.1 in 1990); dividends, interest, and rent were 18.3 percent (compared with 18.5 in 1990); and personal current transfer receipts were 17.0 percent (compared with 16.3 in 1990). From 1999 to 2000 net earnings increased 4.2 percent; dividends, interest, and rent increased 9.3 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 4.3 percent. From 1990 to 2000 net earnings increased on average 4.2 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 4.1 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 4.7 percent.

EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK

Earnings of persons employed in Bay City increased from $1,706,814* in 1999 to $1,757,114* in 2000, an increase of 2.9 percent. The 1999-2000 national change was 8.0 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1990 estimate of $1,105,394* to the 2000 estimate was 4.7 percent. The average annual growth rate 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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