



## **BEARFACTS 1990 – 2000**

### **Washington , New York [36115]**

Washington is one of 62 counties in New York. It is part of the [Glens Falls, NY \(MSA\)](#). Its 2000 population of 60,984 ranked 43rd in the state.

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

In 2000 Washington had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$21,373. This PCPI ranked 52nd in the state and was 61 percent of the state average, \$34,898, and 72 percent of the national average, \$29,847. The 2000 PCPI reflected an increase of 8.4 percent from 1999. The 1999-2000 state change was 6.3 percent and the national change was 6.8 percent. In 1990 the PCPI of Washington was \$14,122 and ranked 55th in the state. The 1990-2000 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 4.2 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.0 percent and for the nation was 4.4 percent.

#### **TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

In 2000 Washington had a total personal income (TPI) of \$1,303,410\*. This TPI ranked 45th in the state and accounted for 0.2 percent of the state total. In 1990 the TPI of Washington was \$840,345\* and ranked 46th in the state. The 2000 TPI reflected an increase of 8.3 percent from 1999. The 1999-2000 state change was 7.0 percent and the national change was 8.0 percent. The 1990-2000 average annual growth rate of TPI was 4.5 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.6 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 Washington. In 2000 net earnings accounted for 65.2 percent of TPI (compared with 63.7 in 1990); dividends, interest, and rent were 15.2 percent (compared with 19.6 in 1990); and personal current transfer receipts were 19.7 percent (compared with 16.7 in 1990). From 1999 to 2000 net earnings increased 9.9 percent; dividends, interest, and rent increased 6.4 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 4.8 percent. From 1990 to 2000 net earnings increased on average 4.7 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 1.9 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 6.2 percent.

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

Earnings of persons employed in Washington increased from \$629,582\* in 1999 to \$682,499\* in 2000, an increase of 8.4 percent. The 1999-2000 state change was 7.8 percent and the national change was 8.0 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1990 estimate of \$508,047\* to the 2000 estimate was 3.0 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.9 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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