



## **BEARFACTS 1990 – 2000**

### **Multnomah , Oregon [41051]**

Multnomah is one of 36 counties in Oregon. It is part of the [Portland-Vancouver-Beaverton, OR-WA \(MSA\)](#). Its 2000 population of 661,766 ranked 1st in the state.

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

In 2000 Multnomah had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$32,314. This PCPI ranked 3rd in the state and was 115 percent of the state average, \$28,099, and 108 percent of the national average, \$29,847. The 2000 PCPI reflected an increase of 7.7 percent from 1999. The 1999-2000 state change was 6.1 percent and the national change was 6.8 percent. In 1990 the PCPI of Multnomah was \$20,770 and ranked 3rd in the state. The 1990-2000 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 4.5 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.5 percent and for the nation was 4.4 percent.

#### **TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

In 2000 Multnomah had a total personal income (TPI) of \$21,384,426\*. This TPI ranked 1st in the state and accounted for 22.2 percent of the state total. In 1990 the TPI of Multnomah was \$12,184,159\* and ranked 1st in the state. The 2000 TPI reflected an increase of 8.4 percent from 1999. The 1999-2000 state change was 7.3 percent and the national change was 8.0 percent. The 1990-2000 average annual growth rate of TPI was 5.8 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 6.5 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 Multnomah. In 2000 net earnings accounted for 68.1 percent of TPI (compared with 64.7 in 1990); dividends, interest, and rent were 19.8 percent (compared with 22.7 in 1990); and personal current transfer receipts were 12.1 percent (compared with 12.5 in 1990). From 1999 to 2000 net earnings increased 9.8 percent; dividends, interest, and rent increased 5.9 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 4.4 percent. From 1990 to 2000 net earnings increased on average 6.3 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 4.4 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 5.4 percent.

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

Earnings of persons employed in Multnomah increased from \$21,618,497\* in 1999 to \$23,345,316\* in 2000, an increase of 8.0 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 \$12,631,561\* to the 2000 estimate was 6.3 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 6.8 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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