



## **BEARFACTS 1990 – 2000**

### **Giles , Virginia [51071]**

Giles is one of 105 counties in Virginia. It is part of the [Blacksburg-Christiansburg-Radford, VA \(MSA\)](#). Its 2000 population of 16,721 ranked 73rd in the state.

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

In 2000 Giles had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$20,793. This PCPI ranked 76th in the state and was 67 percent of the state average, \$31,086, and 70 percent of the national average, \$29,847. The 2000 PCPI reflected an increase of 0.1 percent from 1999. The 1999-2000 state change was 6.4 percent and the national change was 6.8 percent. In 1990 the PCPI of Giles was \$14,717 and ranked 65th in the state. The 1990-2000 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 3.5 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.3 percent and for the nation was 4.4 percent.

#### **TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

In 2000 Giles had a total personal income (TPI) of \$347,674\*. This TPI ranked 75th in the state and accounted for 0.2 percent of the state total. In 1990 the TPI of Giles was \$240,648\* and ranked 68th in the state. The 2000 TPI reflected an increase of 1.1 percent from 1999. The 1999-2000 state change was 7.9 percent and the national change was 8.0 percent. The 1990-2000 average annual growth rate of TPI was 3.7 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 5.7 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 Giles. In 2000 net earnings accounted for 62.8 percent of TPI (compared with 63.4 in 1990); dividends, interest, and rent were 15.5 percent (compared with 18.0 in 1990); and personal current transfer receipts were 21.6 percent (compared with 18.6 in 1990). From 1999 to 2000 net earnings decreased 2.1 percent; dividends, interest, and rent increased 8.6 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 6.0 percent. From 1990 to 2000 net earnings increased on average 3.7 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 2.2 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 5.3 percent.

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

Earnings of persons employed in Giles decreased from \$220,837\* in 1999 to \$203,526\* in 2000, a decrease of 7.8 percent. The 1999-2000 state change was 9.2 percent and the national change was 8.0 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1990 estimate of \$166,951\* to the 2000 estimate was 2.0 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 5.9 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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