



BEARFACTS 1992 – 2002

Williamson , Texas [48491]

Williamson is one of 254 counties in Texas. It is part of the [Austin-Round Rock, TX \(MSA\)](#). Its 2002 population of 289,747 ranked 14th in the state.

PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME

In 2002 Williamson had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$27,567. This PCPI ranked 34th in the state and was 96 percent of the state average, \$28,858, and 89 percent of the national average, \$30,838. The 2002 PCPI reflected a decrease of 6.8 percent from 2001. The 2001-2002 state change was -0.6 percent and the national change was 0.8 percent. In 1992 the PCPI of Williamson was \$18,142 and ranked 50th in the state. The 1992-2002 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 4.3 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.3 percent and for the nation was 4.0 percent.

TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME

In 2002 Williamson had a total personal income (TPI) of \$7,987,542*. This TPI ranked 13th in the state and accounted for 1.3 percent of the state total. In 1992 the TPI of Williamson was \$2,768,758* and ranked 21st in the state. The 2002 TPI reflected a decrease of 2.3 percent from 2001. The 2001-2002 state change was 1.1 percent and the national change was 1.8 percent. The 1992-2002 average annual growth rate of TPI was 11.2 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 6.4 percent and for the nation was 5.2 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 Williamson. In 2002 net earnings accounted for 81.1 percent of TPI (compared with 78.3 in 1992); dividends, interest, and rent were 10.7 percent (compared with 13.4 in 1992); and personal current transfer receipts were 8.1 percent (compared with 8.3 in 1992). From 2001 to 2002 net earnings decreased 3.4 percent; dividends, interest, and rent decreased 5.3 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 15.5 percent. From 1992 to 2002 net earnings increased on average 11.6 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 8.7 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 11.0 percent.

EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK

Earnings of persons employed in Williamson decreased from \$4,796,726* in 2001 to \$4,218,682* in 2002, a decrease of 12.1 percent. The 2001-2002 state change was 1.0 percent and the national change was 2.1 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1992 estimate of \$996,622* to the 2002 estimate was 15.5 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 6.8 percent and for the nation was 5.4 percent.

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

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