



BEARFACTS 1993 – 2003

Harding , South Dakota [46063]

Harding is one of 66 counties in South Dakota. It is not part of a Metropolitan Area. Its 2003 population of 1,284 ranked 65th in the state.

PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME

In 2003 Harding had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$22,571. This PCPI ranked 57th in the state and was 77 percent of the state average, \$29,191, and 72 percent of the national average, \$31,504. The 2003 PCPI reflected an increase of 18.1 percent from 2002. The 2002-2003 state change was 8.0 percent and the national change was 2.2 percent. In 1993 the PCPI of Harding was \$13,156 and ranked 58th in the state. The 1993-2003 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 5.5 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.8 percent and for the nation was 4.0 percent.

TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME

In 2003 Harding had a total personal income (TPI) of \$28,981*. This TPI ranked 66th in the state and accounted for 0.1 percent of the state total. In 1993 the TPI of Harding was \$20,418* and ranked 66th in the state. The 2003 TPI reflected an increase of 18.1 percent from 2002. The 2002-2003 state change was 8.7 percent and the national change was 3.1 percent. The 1993-2003 average annual growth rate of TPI was 3.6 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 5.4 percent and for the nation was 5.1 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 Harding. In 2003 net earnings accounted for 55.9 percent of TPI (compared with 53.3 in 1993); dividends, interest, and rent were 30.9 percent (compared with 33.2 in 1993); and personal current transfer receipts were 13.2 percent (compared with 13.5 in 1993). From 2002 to 2003 net earnings increased 33.7 percent; dividends, interest, and rent increased 3.1 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 2.1 percent. From 1993 to 2003 net earnings increased on average 4.1 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 2.8 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 3.3 percent.

EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK

Earnings of persons employed in Harding increased from \$14,341* in 2002 to \$18,256* in 2003, an increase of 27.3 percent. The 2002-2003 state change was 11.1 percent and the national change was 3.8 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1993 estimate of \$12,227* to the 2003 estimate was 4.1 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 5.3 percent and for the nation was 5.3 percent.

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

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