



## **BEARFACTS 1993 – 2003**

### **Natrona , Wyoming [56025]**

Natrona is one of 23 counties in Wyoming. It is part of the [Casper, WY \(MSA\)](#). Its 2003 population of 67,939 ranked 2nd in the state.

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

In 2003 Natrona had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$35,479. This PCPI ranked 2nd in the state and was 108 percent of the state average, \$32,902, and 113 percent of the national average, \$31,530. The 2003 PCPI reflected an increase of 4.8 percent from 2002. The 2002-2003 state change was 5.7 percent and the national change was 2.2 percent. In 1993 the PCPI of Natrona was \$23,068 and ranked 2nd in the state. The 1993-2003 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 4.4 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 5.1 percent and for the nation was 4.0 percent.

#### **TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

In 2003 Natrona had a total personal income (TPI) of \$2,410,419\*. This TPI ranked 2nd in the state and accounted for 14.7 percent of the state total. In 1993 the TPI of Natrona was \$1,475,909\* and ranked 2nd in the state. The 2003 TPI reflected an increase of 5.7 percent from 2002. The 2002-2003 state change was 6.2 percent and the national change was 3.1 percent. The 1993-2003 average annual growth rate of TPI was 5.0 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 5.7 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 Natrona. In 2003 net earnings accounted for 65.9 percent of TPI (compared with 62.3 in 1993); dividends, interest, and rent were 21.0 percent (compared with 24.9 in 1993); and personal current transfer receipts were 13.2 percent (compared with 12.8 in 1993). From 2002 to 2003 net earnings increased 6.6 percent; dividends, interest, and rent increased 1.6 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 8.4 percent. From 1993 to 2003 net earnings increased on average 5.6 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 3.3 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 5.3 percent.

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

Earnings of persons employed in Natrona increased from \$1,657,266\* in 2002 to \$1,768,384\* in 2003, an increase of 6.7 percent. The 2002-2003 state change was 5.1 percent and the national change was 3.8 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1993 estimate of \$1,020,908\* to the 2003 estimate was 5.6 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 5.0 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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