BEARFACTS 1995 – 2005
Boone , Indiana [18011]

Boone is one of 92 counties in Indiana. It is part of the Indianapolis-Carmel, IN (MSA). Its 2005 population of 51,439 ranked 27th in the state.

PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME

In 2005 Boone had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of $44,760. This PCPI ranked 1st in the state and was 145 percent of the state average, $30,900, and 129 percent of the national average, $34,757. The 2005 PCPI reflected an increase of 4.9 percent from 2004. The 2004-2005 state change was 3.2 percent and the national change was 4.9 percent. In 1995 the PCPI of Boone was $27,430 and ranked 2nd in the state. The 1995-2005 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 5.0 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 3.7 percent and for the nation was 4.2 percent.

TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME

In 2005 Boone had a total personal income (TPI) of $2,302,397*. This TPI ranked 23rd in the state and accounted for 1.2 percent of the state total. In 1995 the TPI of Boone was $1,150,713* and ranked 26th in the state. The 2005 TPI reflected an increase of 7.3 percent from 2004. The 2004-2005 state change was 3.8 percent and the national change was 5.9 percent. The 1995-2005 average annual growth rate of TPI was 7.2 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.4 percent and for the nation was 5.3 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 Boone. In 2005 net earnings accounted for 70.5 percent of TPI (compared with 70.2 in 1995); dividends, interest, and rent were 21.0 percent (compared with 20.9 in 1995); and personal current transfer receipts were 8.4 percent (compared with 8.8 in 1995). From 2004 to 2005 net earnings increased 4.9 percent; dividends, interest, and rent increased 15.1 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 9.7 percent. From 1995 to 2005 net earnings increased on average 7.2 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 7.2 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 6.7 percent.

EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK

Earnings of persons employed in Boone increased from $1,034,292* in 2004 to $1,082,717* in 2005, an increase of 4.7 percent. The 2004-2005 state change was 3.2 percent and the national change was 5.4 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1995 estimate of $411,875* to the 2005 estimate was 10.1 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.5 percent and for the nation was 5.5 percent.

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

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