# BEARFACTS 1995 – 2005
# Hamilton , Indiana [18057]

Hamilton is one of 92 counties in Indiana. It is part of the Indianapolis-Carmel, IN (MSA). Its 2005 population of 241,796 ranked 5th in the state.

## PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME

In 2005 Hamilton had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of $43,612. This PCPI ranked 2nd in the state and was 143 percent of the state average, $30,593, and 126 percent of the national average, $34,690. The 2005 PCPI reflected an increase of 1.1 percent from 2004. The 2004-2005 state change was 2.0 percent and the national change was 4.6 percent. In 1995 the PCPI of Hamilton was $33,471 and ranked 1st in the state. The 1995-2005 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 2.7 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 3.6 percent and for the nation was 4.2 percent.

## TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME

In 2005 Hamilton had a total personal income (TPI) of $10,545,131*. This TPI ranked 4th in the state and accounted for 5.5 percent of the state total. In 1995 the TPI of Hamilton was $4,766,715* and ranked 5th in the state. The 2005 TPI reflected an increase of 5.6 percent from 2004. The 2004-2005 state change was 2.7 percent and the national change was 5.6 percent. The 1995-2005 average annual growth rate of TPI was 8.3 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.3 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 Hamilton. In 2005 net earnings accounted for 77.1 percent of TPI (compared with 75.8 in 1995); dividends, interest, and rent were 17.2 percent (compared with 18.7 in 1995); and personal current transfer receipts were 5.7 percent (compared with 5.4 in 1995). From 2004 to 2005 net earnings increased 5.2 percent; dividends, interest, and rent increased 5.2 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 11.6 percent. From 1995 to 2005 net earnings increased on average 8.4 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 7.4 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 8.8 percent.

## EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK

Earnings of persons employed in Hamilton increased from $5,755,275* in 2004 to $6,138,696* in 2005, an increase of 6.7 percent. The 2004-2005 state change was 2.5 percent and the national change was 5.3 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1995 estimate of $2,535,813* to the 2005 estimate was 9.2 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.4 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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