



## **BEARFACTS 1995 – 2005**

### **Isabella , Michigan [26073]**

Isabella is one of 83 counties in Michigan. It is part of the Mount Pleasant, MI Micropolitan SA. Its 2005 population of 66,107 ranked 28th in the state.

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

In 2005 Isabella had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$24,733. This PCPI ranked 47th in the state and was 77 percent of the state average, \$32,229, and 71 percent of the national average, \$34,690. The 2005 PCPI reflected an increase of 5.6 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 Isabella was \$16,347 and ranked 64th in the state. The 1995-2005 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 4.2 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 3.2 percent and for the nation was 4.2 percent.

#### **TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

In 2005 Isabella had a total personal income (TPI) of \$1,635,012\*. This TPI ranked 30th in the state and accounted for 0.5 percent of the state total. In 1995 the TPI of Isabella was \$965,597\* and ranked 33rd in the state. The 2005 TPI reflected an increase of 6.2 percent from 2004. The 2004-2005 state change was 2.1 percent and the national change was 5.6 percent. The 1995-2005 average annual growth rate of TPI was 5.4 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 3.6 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 Isabella. In 2005 net earnings accounted for 66.2 percent of TPI (compared with 64.9 in 1995); dividends, interest, and rent were 13.6 percent (compared with 17.6 in 1995); and personal current transfer receipts were 20.2 percent (compared with 17.5 in 1995). From 2004 to 2005 net earnings increased 6.5 percent; dividends, interest, and rent increased 4.6 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 6.3 percent. From 1995 to 2005 net earnings increased on average 5.6 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 2.7 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 6.9 percent.

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

Earnings of persons employed in Isabella increased from \$1,168,128\* in 2004 to \$1,260,517\* in 2005, an increase of 7.9 percent. The 2004-2005 state change was 1.7 percent and the national change was 5.3 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1995 estimate of \$699,084\* to the 2005 estimate was 6.1 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 3.6 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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