# BEARFACTS 1996 – 2006
# Saline , Arkansas [05125]

Saline is one of 75 counties in Arkansas. It is part of the Little Rock-North Little Rock-Conway, AR (MSA). Its 2006 population of 93,109 ranked 7th in the state.

## PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME

In 2006 Saline had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of $31,299. This PCPI ranked 5th in the state and was 110 percent of the state average, $28,473, and 85 percent of the national average, $36,714. The 2006 PCPI reflected an increase of 6.0 percent from 2005. The 2005-2006 state change was 5.5 percent and the national change was 5.6 percent. In 1996 the PCPI of Saline was $19,791 and ranked 8th in the state. The 1996-2006 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 4.7 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.2 percent and for the nation was 4.3 percent.

## TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME

In 2006 Saline had a total personal income (TPI) of $2,914,232*. This TPI ranked 5th in the state and accounted for 3.6 percent of the state total. In 1996 the TPI of Saline was $1,516,015* and ranked 7th in the state. The 2006 TPI reflected an increase of 9.3 percent from 2005. The 2005-2006 state change was 6.9 percent and the national change was 6.7 percent. The 1996-2006 average annual growth rate of TPI was 6.8 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 5.1 percent and for the nation was 5.4 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 Saline. In 2006 net earnings accounted for 69.3 percent of TPI (compared with 71.8 in 1996); dividends, interest, and rent were 13.4 percent (compared with 11.4 in 1996); and personal current transfer receipts were 17.4 percent (compared with 16.9 in 1996). From 2005 to 2006 net earnings increased 8.5 percent; dividends, interest, and rent increased 11.7 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 11.0 percent. From 1996 to 2006 net earnings increased on average 6.4 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 8.5 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 7.1 percent.

## EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK

Earnings of persons employed in Saline increased from $834,734* in 2005 to $890,264* in 2006, an increase of 6.7 percent. The 2005-2006 state change was 4.8 percent and the national change was 5.7 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1996 estimate of $502,518* to the 2006 estimate was 5.9 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.8 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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