



## **BEARFACTS 1996 – 2006**

### **Wyoming , Pennsylvania [42131]**

Wyoming is one of 67 counties in Pennsylvania. It is part of the [Scranton-Wilkes-Barre, PA \(MSA\)](#). Its 2006 population of 27,874 ranked 60th in the state.

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

In 2006 Wyoming had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$28,269. This PCPI ranked 43rd in the state and was 77 percent of the state average, \$36,825, and 77 percent of the national average, \$36,714. The 2006 PCPI reflected an increase of 7.4 percent from 2005. The 2005-2006 state change was 5.4 percent and the national change was 5.6 percent. In 1996 the PCPI of Wyoming was \$19,323 and ranked 41st in the state. The 1996-2006 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 3.9 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 Wyoming had a total personal income (TPI) of \$787,978\*. This TPI ranked 60th in the state and accounted for 0.2 percent of the state total. In 1996 the TPI of Wyoming was \$553,723\* and ranked 60th in the state. The 2006 TPI reflected an increase of 7.2 percent from 2005. The 2005-2006 state change was 5.7 percent and the national change was 6.7 percent. The 1996-2006 average annual growth rate of TPI was 3.6 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.4 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 Wyoming. In 2006 net earnings accounted for 63.1 percent of TPI (compared with 68.0 in 1996); dividends, interest, and rent were 15.0 percent (compared with 14.7 in 1996); and personal current transfer receipts were 21.9 percent (compared with 17.3 in 1996). From 2005 to 2006 net earnings increased 5.3 percent; dividends, interest, and rent increased 13.9 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 8.6 percent. From 1996 to 2006 net earnings increased on average 2.8 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 3.8 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 6.1 percent.

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

Earnings of persons employed in Wyoming increased from \$464,909\* in 2005 to \$489,023\* in 2006, an increase of 5.2 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 \$394,393\* to the 2006 estimate was 2.2 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.6 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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