



## **BEARFACTS 1996 – 2006**

### **Asotin , Washington [53003]**

Asotin is one of 39 counties in Washington. It is part of the [Lewiston, ID-WA \(MSA\)](#). Its 2006 population of 21,049 ranked 29th in the state.

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

In 2006 Asotin had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$28,689. This PCPI ranked 16th in the state and was 75 percent of the state average, \$38,212, and 78 percent of the national average, \$36,714. The 2006 PCPI reflected an increase of 5.1 percent from 2005. The 2005-2006 state change was 6.6 percent and the national change was 5.6 percent. In 1996 the PCPI of Asotin was \$19,397 and ranked 25th in the state. The 1996-2006 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 4.0 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.3 percent and for the nation was 4.3 percent.

#### **TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

In 2006 Asotin had a total personal income (TPI) of \$603,867\*. This TPI ranked 29th in the state and accounted for 0.2 percent of the state total. In 1996 the TPI of Asotin was \$393,372\* and ranked 28th in the state. The 2006 TPI reflected an increase of 5.8 percent from 2005. The 2005-2006 state change was 8.4 percent and the national change was 6.7 percent. The 1996-2006 average annual growth rate of TPI was 4.4 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 5.7 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 Asotin. In 2006 net earnings accounted for 58.1 percent of TPI (compared with 56.8 in 1996); dividends, interest, and rent were 16.5 percent (compared with 21.5 in 1996); and personal current transfer receipts were 25.4 percent (compared with 21.6 in 1996). From 2005 to 2006 net earnings increased 3.9 percent; dividends, interest, and rent increased 9.4 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 8.0 percent. From 1996 to 2006 net earnings increased on average 4.6 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 1.6 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 6.1 percent.

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

Earnings of persons employed in Asotin increased from \$253,359\* in 2005 to \$268,387\* in 2006, an increase of 5.9 percent. The 2005-2006 state change was 7.7 percent and the national change was 5.7 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1996 estimate of \$145,883\* to the 2006 estimate was 6.3 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 5.9 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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