



## **BEARFACTS 1989 – 1999**

### **Harrisburg-Carlisle-Lebanon (BEA-EA) [57070]**

Harrisburg-Carlisle-Lebanon is one of 179 BEA Economic Areas in the nation. Its 1999 population of 2,002,349 ranked 36th in the nation.

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

In 1999 Harrisburg-Carlisle-Lebanon had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$25,959. This PCPI ranked 49th in the United States and was 93 percent of the national average, \$27,939. The 1999 PCPI reflected an increase of 2.8 percent from 1998. The 1998-1999 national change was 3.9 percent. In 1989 the PCPI of Harrisburg-Carlisle-Lebanon was \$18,106 and ranked 28th in the United States. The 1989-1999 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 3.7 percent. The average annual growth rate for the nation was 4.2 percent.

#### **TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

In 1999 Harrisburg-Carlisle-Lebanon had a total personal income (TPI) of \$51,979,507\*. This TPI ranked 34th in the United States. In 1989 the TPI of Harrisburg-Carlisle-Lebanon was \$33,305,539\* and ranked 32nd in the United States. The 1999 TPI reflected an increase of 3.3 percent from 1998. The 1998-1999 national change was 5.1 percent. The 1989-1999 average annual growth rate of TPI was 4.6 percent. The average annual growth rate for the nation was 5.5 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 Harrisburg-Carlisle-Lebanon. In 1999 net earnings accounted for 68.1 percent of TPI (compared with 68.1 in 1989); dividends, interest, and rent were 18.0 percent (compared with 19.9 in 1989); and personal current transfer receipts were 13.9 percent (compared with 12.0 in 1989). From 1998 to 1999 net earnings increased 4.2 percent; dividends, interest, and rent decreased 1.4 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 5.4 percent. From 1989 to 1999 net earnings increased on average 4.6 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 3.5 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 6.1 percent.

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

Earnings of persons employed in Harrisburg-Carlisle-Lebanon increased from \$37,771,364\* in 1998 to \$39,317,803\* in 1999, an increase of 4.1 percent. The 1998-1999 national change was 6.8 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1989 estimate of \$25,120,502\* to the 1999 estimate was 4.6 percent. The average annual growth rate for the nation was 5.6 percent.

*\*Note: All income estimates with the exception of PCPI are in thousands of dollars, not adjusted for inflation.*

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