



## **BEARFACTS 1990 – 2000**

### **Prowers , Colorado [08099]**

Prowers is one of 63 counties in Colorado. It is not part of a Metropolitan Area. Its 2000 population of 14,440 ranked 31st in the state.

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

In 2000 Prowers had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$22,146. This PCPI ranked 41st in the state and was 66 percent of the state average, \$33,364, and 74 percent of the national average, \$29,847. The 2000 PCPI reflected a decrease of 5.4 percent from 1999. The 1999-2000 state change was 9.4 percent and the national change was 6.8 percent. In 1990 the PCPI of Prowers was \$15,476 and ranked 41st in the state. The 1990-2000 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 3.6 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 5.5 percent and for the nation was 4.4 percent.

#### **TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

In 2000 Prowers had a total personal income (TPI) of \$319,789\*. This TPI ranked 31st in the state and accounted for 0.2 percent of the state total. In 1990 the TPI of Prowers was \$206,424\* and ranked 26th in the state. The 2000 TPI reflected a decrease of 6.0 percent from 1999. The 1999-2000 state change was 12.1 percent and the national change was 8.0 percent. The 1990-2000 average annual growth rate of TPI was 4.5 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 8.4 percent and for the nation was 5.6 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 Prowers. In 2000 net earnings accounted for 62.9 percent of TPI (compared with 65.1 in 1990); dividends, interest, and rent were 18.4 percent (compared with 19.7 in 1990); and personal current transfer receipts were 18.7 percent (compared with 15.2 in 1990). From 1999 to 2000 net earnings decreased 11.3 percent; dividends, interest, and rent increased 5.6 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 3.8 percent. From 1990 to 2000 net earnings increased on average 4.1 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 3.8 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 6.6 percent.

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

Earnings of persons employed in Prowers decreased from \$250,585\* in 1999 to \$225,969\* in 2000, a decrease of 9.8 percent. The 1999-2000 state change was 12.7 percent and the national change was 8.0 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1990 estimate of \$146,155\* to the 2000 estimate was 4.5 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 8.8 percent and for the nation was 5.8 percent.

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

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