



## **BEARFACTS 1990 – 2000**

### **Clark , Kentucky [21049]**

Clark is one of 120 counties in Kentucky. It is part of the [Lexington-Fayette, KY \(MSA\)](#). Its 2000 population of 33,220 ranked 31st in the state.

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

In 2000 Clark had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$25,937. This PCPI ranked 16th in the state and was 106 percent of the state average, \$24,413, and 87 percent of the national average, \$29,847. The 2000 PCPI reflected an increase of 9.0 percent from 1999. The 1999-2000 state change was 7.2 percent and the national change was 6.8 percent. In 1990 the PCPI of Clark was \$15,801 and ranked 20th in the state. The 1990-2000 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 5.1 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.7 percent and for the nation was 4.4 percent.

#### **TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

In 2000 Clark had a total personal income (TPI) of \$861,623\*. This TPI ranked 25th in the state and accounted for 0.9 percent of the state total. In 1990 the TPI of Clark was \$467,246\* and ranked 24th in the state. The 2000 TPI reflected an increase of 10.3 percent from 1999. The 1999-2000 state change was 8.1 percent and the national change was 8.0 percent. The 1990-2000 average annual growth rate of TPI was 6.3 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 5.7 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 Clark. In 2000 net earnings accounted for 68.5 percent of TPI (compared with 69.0 in 1990); dividends, interest, and rent were 17.4 percent (compared with 17.4 in 1990); and personal current transfer receipts were 14.1 percent (compared with 13.6 in 1990). From 1999 to 2000 net earnings increased 11.2 percent; dividends, interest, and rent increased 10.2 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 6.5 percent. From 1990 to 2000 net earnings increased on average 6.2 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 6.3 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 6.7 percent.

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

Earnings of persons employed in Clark increased from \$493,641\* in 1999 to \$552,977\* in 2000, an increase of 12.0 percent. The 1999-2000 state change was 7.0 percent and the national change was 8.0 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1990 estimate of \$286,078\* to the 2000 estimate was 6.8 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 5.7 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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