



## **BEARFACTS 1990 – 2000**

### **Macon , Tennessee [47111]**

Macon is one of 95 counties in Tennessee. It is part of the [Nashville-Davidson-Murfreesboro-Franklin, TN \(MSA\)](#). Its 2000 population of 20,445 ranked 62nd in the state.

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

In 2000 Macon had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$20,932. This PCPI ranked 50th in the state and was 80 percent of the state average, \$26,097, and 70 percent of the national average, \$29,847. The 2000 PCPI reflected an increase of 9.4 percent from 1999. The 1999-2000 state change was 4.8 percent and the national change was 6.8 percent. In 1990 the PCPI of Macon was \$12,512 and ranked 61st in the state. The 1990-2000 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 5.3 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.6 percent and for the nation was 4.4 percent.

#### **TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

In 2000 Macon had a total personal income (TPI) of \$427,948\*. This TPI ranked 59th in the state and accounted for 0.3 percent of the state total. In 1990 the TPI of Macon was \$199,795\* and ranked 67th in the state. The 2000 TPI reflected an increase of 11.4 percent from 1999. The 1999-2000 state change was 6.0 percent and the national change was 8.0 percent. The 1990-2000 average annual growth rate of TPI was 7.9 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 6.2 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 Macon. In 2000 net earnings accounted for 67.7 percent of TPI (compared with 67.2 in 1990); dividends, interest, and rent were 12.9 percent (compared with 14.7 in 1990); and personal current transfer receipts were 19.5 percent (compared with 18.1 in 1990). From 1999 to 2000 net earnings increased 12.6 percent; dividends, interest, and rent increased 8.7 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 9.3 percent. From 1990 to 2000 net earnings increased on average 8.0 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 6.5 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 8.7 percent.

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

Earnings of persons employed in Macon increased from \$136,650\* in 1999 to \$163,997\* in 2000, an increase of 20.0 percent. The 1999-2000 state change was 5.1 percent and the national change was 8.0 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1990 estimate of \$100,227\* to the 2000 estimate was 5.0 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 6.3 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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