



## **BEARFACTS 1990 – 2000**

### **Rutherford , Tennessee [47149]**

Rutherford is one of 95 counties in Tennessee. It is part of the [Nashville-Davidson-Murfreesboro-Franklin, TN \(MSA\)](#). Its 2000 population of 183,569 ranked 5th in the state.

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

In 2000 Rutherford had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$26,609. This PCPI ranked 8th in the state and was 102 percent of the state average, \$26,097, and 89 percent of the national average, \$29,847. The 2000 PCPI reflected an increase of 5.4 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 Rutherford was \$17,004 and ranked 8th in the state. The 1990-2000 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 4.6 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 Rutherford had a total personal income (TPI) of \$4,884,667\*. This TPI ranked 6th in the state and accounted for 3.3 percent of the state total. In 1990 the TPI of Rutherford was \$2,037,895\* and ranked 6th in the state. The 2000 TPI reflected an increase of 9.0 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 9.1 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 Rutherford. In 2000 net earnings accounted for 79.1 percent of TPI (compared with 77.3 in 1990); dividends, interest, and rent were 11.4 percent (compared with 13.6 in 1990); and personal current transfer receipts were 9.5 percent (compared with 9.2 in 1990). From 1999 to 2000 net earnings increased 8.6 percent; dividends, interest, and rent increased 9.0 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 12.6 percent. From 1990 to 2000 net earnings increased on average 9.4 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 7.3 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 9.5 percent.

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

Earnings of persons employed in Rutherford increased from \$3,635,249\* in 1999 to \$3,822,274\* in 2000, an increase of 5.1 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 \$1,684,362\* to the 2000 estimate was 8.5 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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