BEARFACTS 1991 – 2001
Douglas , Colorado [08035]

Douglas is one of 63 counties in Colorado. It is part of the Denver-Aurora-Broomfield, CO (MSA). Its 2001 population of 197,290 ranked 8th in the state.

PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME

In 2001 Douglas had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of $42,474. This PCPI ranked 3rd in the state and was 123 percent of the state average, $34,455, and 139 percent of the national average, $30,582. The 2001 PCPI reflected a decrease of 2.4 percent from 2000. The 2000-2001 state change was 3.3 percent and the national change was 2.5 percent. In 1991 the PCPI of Douglas was $29,864 and ranked 2nd in the state. The 1991-2001 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 2001 Douglas had a total personal income (TPI) of $8,379,662*. This TPI ranked 7th in the state and accounted for 5.5 percent of the state total. In 1991 the TPI of Douglas was $2,002,655* and ranked 9th in the state. The 2001 TPI reflected an increase of 6.8 percent from 2000. The 2000-2001 state change was 5.8 percent and the national change was 3.5 percent. The 1991-2001 average annual growth rate of TPI was 15.4 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 Douglas. In 2001 net earnings accounted for 82.9 percent of TPI (compared with 85.2 in 1991); dividends, interest, and rent were 14.3 percent (compared with 11.8 in 1991); and personal current transfer receipts were 2.8 percent (compared with 3.0 in 1991). From 2000 to 2001 net earnings increased 6.0 percent; dividends, interest, and rent increased 9.7 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 19.2 percent. From 1991 to 2001 net earnings increased on average 15.1 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 17.7 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 14.3 percent.

EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK

Earnings of persons employed in Douglas increased from $2,603,854* in 2000 to $3,112,817* in 2001, an increase of 19.5 percent. The 2000-2001 state change was 5.6 percent and the national change was 3.1 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1991 estimate of $479,260* to the 2001 estimate was 20.6 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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