



## **BEARFACTS 1991 – 2001**

### **Milwaukee , Wisconsin [55079]**

Milwaukee is one of 72 counties in Wisconsin. It is part of the [Milwaukee-Waukesha-West Allis, WI \(MSA\)](#). Its 2001 population of 943,749 ranked 1st in the state.

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

In 2001 Milwaukee had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$29,802. This PCPI ranked 10th in the state and was 101 percent of the state average, \$29,380, and 97 percent of the national average, \$30,582. The 2001 PCPI reflected an increase of 5.6 percent from 2000. The 2000-2001 state change was 2.8 percent and the national change was 2.5 percent. In 1991 the PCPI of Milwaukee was \$19,639 and ranked 6th in the state. The 1991-2001 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 4.3 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 2001 Milwaukee had a total personal income (TPI) of \$28,125,424\*. This TPI ranked 1st in the state and accounted for 17.7 percent of the state total. In 1991 the TPI of Milwaukee was \$18,931,982\* and ranked 1st in the state. The 2001 TPI reflected an increase of 6.0 percent from 2000. The 2000-2001 state change was 3.5 percent and the national change was 3.5 percent. The 1991-2001 average annual growth rate of TPI was 4.0 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 5.6 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 Milwaukee. In 2001 net earnings accounted for 65.7 percent of TPI (compared with 63.7 in 1991); dividends, interest, and rent were 16.8 percent (compared with 19.7 in 1991); and personal current transfer receipts were 17.5 percent (compared with 16.6 in 1991). From 2000 to 2001 net earnings increased 7.3 percent; dividends, interest, and rent decreased 3.8 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 12.0 percent. From 1991 to 2001 net earnings increased on average 4.4 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 2.4 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 4.6 percent.

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

Earnings of persons employed in Milwaukee increased from \$24,936,115\* in 2000 to \$26,155,219\* in 2001, an increase of 4.9 percent. The 2000-2001 state change was 3.4 percent and the national change was 3.1 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1991 estimate of \$16,877,803\* to the 2001 estimate was 4.5 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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