



## **BEARFACTS 1994 – 2004**

### **Douglas , Colorado [08035]**

Douglas is one of 64 counties in Colorado. It is part of the [Denver-Aurora, CO \(MSA\)](#). Its 2004 population of 235,081 ranked 8th in the state.

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

In 2004 Douglas had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$41,083. This PCPI ranked 7th in the state and was 116 percent of the state average, \$35,523, and 124 percent of the national average, \$33,123. The 2004 PCPI reflected an increase of 4.9 percent from 2003. The 2003-2004 state change was 4.5 percent and the national change was 5.1 percent. In 1994 the PCPI of Douglas was \$37,097 and ranked 2nd in the state. The 1994-2004 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 1.0 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.4 percent and for the nation was 4.1 percent.

#### **TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

In 2004 Douglas had a total personal income (TPI) of \$9,657,842\*. This TPI ranked 7th in the state and accounted for 5.9 percent of the state total. In 1994 the TPI of Douglas was \$3,331,128\* and ranked 8th in the state. The 2004 TPI reflected an increase of 11.0 percent from 2003. The 2003-2004 state change was 5.8 percent and the national change was 6.1 percent. The 1994-2004 average annual growth rate of TPI was 11.2 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 6.7 percent and for the nation was 5.2 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 2004 net earnings accounted for 82.6 percent of TPI (compared with 84.3 in 1994); dividends, interest, and rent were 13.8 percent (compared with 13.0 in 1994); and personal current transfer receipts were 3.6 percent (compared with 2.7 in 1994). From 2003 to 2004 net earnings increased 10.2 percent; dividends, interest, and rent increased 16.6 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 7.7 percent. From 1994 to 2004 net earnings increased on average 11.0 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 11.9 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 14.4 percent.

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

Earnings of persons employed in Douglas increased from \$3,665,948\* in 2003 to \$4,278,361\* in 2004, an increase of 16.7 percent. The 2003-2004 state change was 6.3 percent and the national change was 6.5 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1994 estimate of \$743,020\* to the 2004 estimate was 19.1 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 7.1 percent and for the nation was 5.5 percent.

*\*Note: All income estimates with the exception of PCPI are in thousands of dollars, not adjusted for inflation.*