# BEARFACTS 1996 – 2006
# Brantley , Georgia [13025]

Brantley is one of 159 counties in Georgia. It is part of the Brunswick, GA (MSA). Its 2006 population of 15,403 ranked 105th in the state.

## PER CAPITA PERSONAL INCOME

In 2006 Brantley had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of $22,135. This PCPI ranked 115th in the state and was 69 percent of the state average, $32,299, and 60 percent of the national average, $36,794. The 2006 PCPI reflected an increase of 5.2 percent from 2005. The 2005-2006 state change was 3.3 percent and the national change was 6.1 percent. In 1996 the PCPI of Brantley was $15,040 and ranked 147th in the state. The 1996-2006 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 3.9 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 3.5 percent and for the nation was 4.3 percent.

## TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME

In 2006 Brantley had a total personal income (TPI) of $340,948*. This TPI ranked 105th in the state and accounted for 0.1 percent of the state total. In 1996 the TPI of Brantley was $198,133* and ranked 111th in the state. The 2006 TPI reflected an increase of 6.1 percent from 2005. The 2005-2006 state change was 5.9 percent and the national change was 7.1 percent. The 1996-2006 average annual growth rate of TPI was 5.6 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 5.7 percent and for the nation was 5.4 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 Brantley. In 2006 net earnings accounted for 64.4 percent of TPI (compared with 65.8 in 1996); dividends, interest, and rent were 9.3 percent (compared with 11.9 in 1996); and personal current transfer receipts were 26.3 percent (compared with 22.3 in 1996). From 2005 to 2006 net earnings increased 4.3 percent; dividends, interest, and rent increased 13.9 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 7.7 percent. From 1996 to 2006 net earnings increased on average 5.3 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 3.1 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 7.3 percent.

## EARNINGS BY PLACE OF WORK

Earnings of persons employed in Brantley decreased from $93,794* in 2005 to $92,021* in 2006, a decrease of 1.9 percent. The 2005-2006 state change was 4.9 percent and the national change was 5.8 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1996 estimate of $56,916* to the 2006 estimate was 4.9 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 5.8 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.*

USDOC, Bureau of Economic Analysis, April 23, 2009