



## **BEARFACTS 1996 – 2006**

### **Roberts , Texas [48393]**

Roberts is one of 254 counties in Texas. It is part of the Pampa, TX Micropolitan SA. Its 2006 population of 805 ranked 249th in the state.

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

In 2006 Roberts had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$25,727. This PCPI ranked 146th in the state and was 73 percent of the state average, \$35,162, and 70 percent of the national average, \$36,794. The 2006 PCPI reflected a decrease of 10.0 percent from 2005. The 2005-2006 state change was 5.8 percent and the national change was 6.1 percent. In 1996 the PCPI of Roberts was \$15,826 and ranked 184th in the state. The 1996-2006 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 5.0 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 4.7 percent and for the nation was 4.3 percent.

#### **TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

In 2006 Roberts had a total personal income (TPI) of \$20,710\*. This TPI ranked 249th in the state and accounted for 0.0 percent of the state total. In 1996 the TPI of Roberts was \$15,082\* and ranked 249th in the state. The 2006 TPI reflected a decrease of 11.8 percent from 2005. The 2005-2006 state change was 8.3 percent and the national change was 7.1 percent. The 1996-2006 average annual growth rate of TPI was 3.2 percent. The average annual growth rate for the state was 6.7 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 Roberts. In 2006 net earnings accounted for 68.6 percent of TPI (compared with 58.8 in 1996); dividends, interest, and rent were 15.8 percent (compared with 23.4 in 1996); and personal current transfer receipts were 15.6 percent (compared with 17.8 in 1996). From 2005 to 2006 net earnings decreased 18.6 percent; dividends, interest, and rent increased 11.7 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 4.1 percent. From 1996 to 2006 net earnings increased on average 4.8 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent decreased on average 0.7 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 1.9 percent.

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

Earnings of persons employed in Roberts decreased from \$8,798\* in 2005 to \$5,055\* in 2006, a decrease of 42.5 percent. The 2005-2006 state change was 8.7 percent and the national change was 5.8 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1996 estimate of \$4,517\* to the 2006 estimate was 1.1 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.*

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