



## **BEARFACTS 1994 – 2004**

### **Harrisburg-Carlisle-Lebanon (BEA-EA) [57070]**

Harrisburg-Carlisle-Lebanon is one of 179 BEA Economic Areas in the nation. Its 2004 population of 2,058,170 ranked 36th in the nation.

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

In 2004 Harrisburg-Carlisle-Lebanon had a per capita personal income (PCPI) of \$30,602. This PCPI ranked 53rd in the United States and was 92 percent of the national average, \$33,123. The 2004 PCPI reflected an increase of 4.9 percent from 2003. The 2003-2004 national change was 5.1 percent. In 1994 the PCPI of Harrisburg-Carlisle-Lebanon was \$21,292 and ranked 38th in the United States. The 1994-2004 average annual growth rate of PCPI was 3.7 percent. The average annual growth rate for the nation was 4.1 percent.

#### **TOTAL PERSONAL INCOME**

In 2004 Harrisburg-Carlisle-Lebanon had a total personal income (TPI) of \$62,983,400\*. This TPI ranked 36th in the United States. In 1994 the TPI of Harrisburg-Carlisle-Lebanon was \$41,404,818\* and ranked 34th in the United States. The 2004 TPI reflected an increase of 5.7 percent from 2003. The 2003-2004 national change was 6.1 percent. The 1994-2004 average annual growth rate of TPI was 4.3 percent. The average annual growth rate 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 Harrisburg-Carlisle-Lebanon. In 2004 net earnings accounted for 68.7 percent of TPI (compared with 68.0 in 1994); dividends, interest, and rent were 15.4 percent (compared with 18.0 in 1994); and personal current transfer receipts were 15.9 percent (compared with 14.0 in 1994). From 2003 to 2004 net earnings increased 6.3 percent; dividends, interest, and rent increased 3.5 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased 5.2 percent. From 1994 to 2004 net earnings increased on average 4.4 percent each year; dividends, interest, and rent increased on average 2.6 percent; and personal current transfer receipts increased on average 5.7 percent.

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

Earnings of persons employed in Harrisburg-Carlisle-Lebanon increased from \$45,114,038\* in 2003 to \$47,923,610\* in 2004, an increase of 6.2 percent. The 2003-2004 national change was 6.5 percent. The average annual growth rate from the 1994 estimate of \$31,528,510\* to the 2004 estimate was 4.3 percent. The average annual growth rate 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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