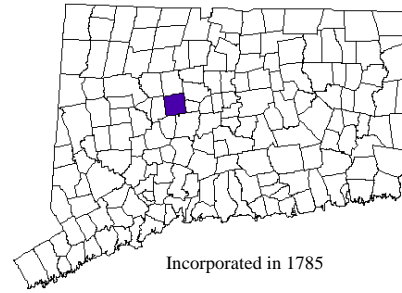


Bristol, Connecticut

CERC Town Profile 2007

Town Hall
111 North Main Street
Bristol, CT 06010
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Belongs to
Hartford County
Hartford Labor Market Area
Central CT Economic Dev. Region
Central Connecticut Planning Area



Incorporated in 1785

Demographics

<i>Population (2006)</i>				<i>Race/Ethnicity (2006)</i>			
	<i>Town</i>	<i>County</i>	<i>State</i>		<i>Town</i>	<i>County</i>	<i>State</i>
1990	60,640	851,783	3,287,116	White	53,423	652,661	2,817,144
2000	60,062	857,183	3,405,565	Black	2,537	107,127	336,250
2006	60,821	881,556	3,551,413	Asian Pacific	1,354	29,164	117,614
2011	61,417	900,748	3,667,369	Native American	78	1,149	5,713
'06-'11 Growth / Yr	0.2%	0.4%	0.6%	Other/Multi-Race	3,429	91,455	274,692
				Hispanic (any race)	3,819	117,359	403,194
Land Area (sq. miles)	27	735	5,009	<i>Poverty Rate (1999)</i>	6.6%	9.3%	7.9%
Pop./ Sq. Mile (2006)	2,294	1,199	709	<i>Educational Attainment (2000)</i>			
Median Age (2006)	39	40	39	Persons Age 25 or Older	<i>Town</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>State</i>
Households (2006)	25,140	344,087	1,343,258	High School Graduate	15,877	38%	653,300
Med HH Inc. (2006)	\$53,864	\$57,927	\$61,879	Some College	11,189	27%	553,667
				Bachelors or More	6,762	16%	720,994
<i>Age Distribution (2006)</i>							
	<i>0-4</i>	<i>5-17</i>	<i>18-24</i>	<i>25-49</i>	<i>50-64</i>	<i>65+</i>	<i>Total</i>
Male	1,853 3%	4,999 8%	2,683 4%	11,081 18%	5,285 9%	3,555 6%	29,456
Female	1,712 3%	4,848 8%	2,573 4%	11,052 18%	5,812 10%	5,368 9%	31,365
County Total	52,347 6%	151,465 17%	80,615 9%	303,026 34%	166,333 19%	127,770 14%	881,556
State Total	212,473 6%	615,114 17%	327,812 9%	1,240,233 35%	666,797 19%	488,984 14%	3,551,413

Economics

<i>Business Profile (2005)</i>			<i>Top Five Grand List (2004)</i>		
<i>Sector</i>	<i>Firms</i>	<i>Employment</i>		<i>Amount</i>	<i>% of Net</i>
Agriculture	2.3%	0.8%	E.S.P.N.	\$222,485,040	7.5%
Const. and Mining	15.4%	6.5%	Ogden Martin	\$38,008,590	1.3%
Manufacturing	8.9%	21.5%	Connecticut Light & Power Co.	\$23,834,470	0.8%
Trans. and Utilities	2.6%	4.3%	Webster Bank	\$17,744,930	0.6%
Trade	22.6%	23.2%	Theis Precision Steel	\$16,035,110	0.5%
Finance, Ins. and Real Estate	7.2%	4.3%	Net Grand List (2004)	\$2,959,283,730	
Services	37.6%	34.9%	<i>Top Five Major Employers (2006)</i>		
Government	3.4%	4.5%	E.S.P.N.	Stop & Shop	
			Bristol Hospital	Associated Spring Company	
			Cigna		
			<i>Retail Sales (2002)</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>
			All Outlets	\$738,940,310	\$105,014,859,890

Education

<i>2004-2005 School Year</i>			<i>Connecticut Mastery Test Percent Above Goal</i>						
	<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Grade 4</i>		<i>Grade 6</i>		<i>Grade 8</i>		
			<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>	
Total Town School Enrollment	9,009	563,216	Reading	51	53	53	60	58	65
Most public school students in Bristol attend Bristol School District, which has 9,029 students.			Math	62	57	52	61	48	56
			Writing	67	63	60	61	54	61
For more education data please see:	<i>Students per Computer</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Average Class Size</i>			<i>Average SAT Score</i>		
http://www.state.ct.us/sde/	Elementary:	12.0	4.0	Grade K	17.0	Grade 2	19.0	<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>
	Middle:	6.0	3.0	Grade 5	21.0	Grade 7	23.0	Verbal	496
	Secondary:	5.0	3.2	High School	21.0	Math	481	508	508

Bristol Connecticut



Government

Government Form: Mayor-Council		Annual Debt Service (2005)	\$6,408,000
		As % of Expenditures	5.4%
Total Revenue (2005)	\$149,452,000	Eq. Net Grand List (2003)	\$5,389,611,885
Tax Revenue	\$97,295,000	Per Capita	\$88,460
Non-tax Revenue	\$52,157,000	As % of State Average	62%
Intergovernmental	\$45,621,000	Date of Last Revaluation (2005)	2002
Per Capita Tax (2005)	\$1,598	Moody's Bond Rating (2005)	Aa3
As % of State Average	80.4%	Actual Mill Rate (2005)	32.83
Total Expenditures (2005)	\$119,752,000	Equalized Mill Rate (2005)	17.70
Education	\$75,860,000	% of Grand List Com/Ind (2003)	14.2%
Other	\$43,892,000		
Total Indebtness (2005)	\$48,561,000		
As % of Expenditures	40.6%		
Per Capita	\$798		
As % of State Average	41.4%		

Housing/Real Estate

<i>Housing Stock (2005)</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>County</i>	<i>State</i>	Owner Occupied Dwellings (2000)	15,420	215,253	869,742
Existing Units (total)	26,747	363,495	1,431,569	As % Total Dwellings	59%	61%	63%
% Single Unit	57.2%	61.1%	64.7%	Subsidize Housing (2001)	3,248	45,714	148,930
New Permits Auth. (2005)	111	2,487	11,885	<i>Distribution of House Sales (2006)</i>			
As % Existing Units	0.41%	0.68%	0.83%	Number of Sales			
Demolitions (2005)	21	142	1,386	Less than \$100,000	36	360	1,332
House Sales (2006)	627	9,506	37,483	\$100,000-\$199,999	234	2,842	7,461
Median Price	\$210,000	\$234,900	\$275,000	\$200,000-\$299,999	266	3,582	11,804
Built Pre 1950 share (2000)	30.9%	30.2%	31.5%	\$300,000-\$399,999	62	1,505	6,393
				\$400,000 or More	29	1,217	10,493

Labor Force

<i>Place of Residence (2005)</i>				<i>Commuters (2000)</i>			
	<i>Town</i>	<i>County</i>	<i>State</i>	Commuters into Town from:	Town Residents Commuting to:		
Labor Force	33,450	443,552	1,817,032	Bristol	11,111	Bristol	11,111
Employed	31,608	419,656	1,727,934	Plymouth	1,146	Farmington	2,584
Unemployed	1,842	23,896	89,098	Southington	1,086	Hartford	2,006
Unemployment Rate	5.5%	5.4%	4.9%	Plainville	785	Southington	1,888
<i>Place of Work (2005)</i>				New Britain	764	Plainville	1,441
Total Employment	21,057	485,691	1,643,963	Burlington	581	New Britain	1,433
'92-'05 Growth	0.8%	0.0%	0.6%	Farmington	522	West Hartford	783
AAGR				Hartford	496	Berlin	764
Manufacturing	3,597	n.a.	195,400	Waterbury	476	Middletown	625
				West Hartford	413	Waterbury	502

Quality of Life

	<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>	Library (2001)	<i>Town</i>	<i>Residential Utilities</i>		
Banks (2003)	14	1,226	Total Volumes	147,806	Electric Provider		
Lodging (1998)	5	756	Circulation Per Capita	4.1	Connecticut Light & Power		
Day Care Facilities (1999)	28	1,721			(800) 286-2000		
Infant Mortality Rate			<i>Distance to Major Cities Miles</i>		Gas Provider		
Per 1,000 births (2001)	0.0	4.5	Hartford	14	Yankee Gas Company		
Crime Rate (1999)			Boston	109	(800) 989-0900		
Per 1,000 Residents	26	33	New York City	87	Water Provider		
% Open Land (1990)	46.8%	68.7%	Providence	79	Municipal Provider		
					local Contact		
Hospitals (1999)	1	9			Cable Provider		
Total Beds	150	2,642			TCI Cable of Central CT		
					888-824-2273		