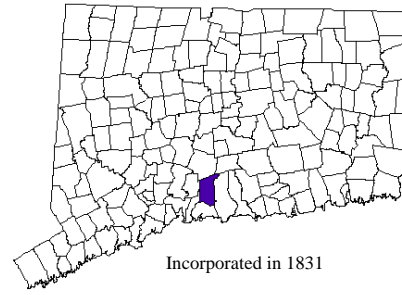


North Branford, Connecticut

CERC Town Profile 2007

Town Hall
P.O. Box 287
North Branford, CT 06471-0287
(203) 315-6000

Belongs to
New Haven County
New Haven Labor Market Area
South Central Economic Dev. Region
South Central Connecticut Planning Area



Incorporated in 1831

Demographics

<i>Population (2006)</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>County</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Race/Ethnicity (2006)</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>County</i>	<i>State</i>
1990	12,996	804,219	3,287,116	White	13,309	656,488	2,817,144
2000	13,906	824,008	3,405,565	Black	380	101,126	336,250
2006	14,266	853,981	3,551,413	Asian Pacific	222	27,327	117,614
2011	14,573	878,081	3,667,369	Native American	6	1,197	5,713
'06-'11 Growth / Yr	0.4%	0.6%	0.6%	Other/Multi-Race	349	67,843	274,692
				Hispanic (any race)	362	107,126	403,194
Land Area (sq. miles)	25	606	5,009	<i>Poverty Rate (1999)</i>	1.6%	9.5%	7.9%
Pop./ Sq. Mile (2006)	572	1,410	709	<i>Educational Attainment (2000)</i>			
Median Age (2006)	41	39	39	Persons Age 25 or Older	<i>Town</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>State</i>
Households (2006)	5,245	329,852	1,343,258	High School Graduate	3,068	32%	653,300
Med HH Inc. (2006)	\$72,088	\$55,411	\$61,879	Some College	2,753	29%	553,667
				Bachelors or More	2,637	28%	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	436 3%	1,311 9%	504 4%	2,500 18%	1,383 10%	800 6%	6,934
Female	420 3%	1,276 9%	448 3%	2,585 18%	1,503 11%	1,100 8%	7,332
County Total	50,874 6%	147,119 17%	80,680 9%	299,636 35%	155,642 18%	120,030 14%	853,981
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>% of Total</i>		<i>Top Five Grand List (2004)</i>	<i>Amount</i>	<i>% of Net</i>
<i>Sector</i>	<i>Firms</i>	<i>Employment</i>			
Agriculture	5.6%	4.0%	South Central CT Regional Water Autho	\$30,460,570	3.4%
Const. and Mining	19.3%	13.0%	Shoreline Life Care LLC	\$20,137,110	2.3%
Manufacturing	7.1%	24.7%	Fire-Lite Alarms Inc.	\$8,400,320	0.9%
Trans. and Utilities	6.0%	7.4%	Tilcon Inc.	\$7,094,430	0.8%
Trade	21.5%	16.9%	Totoket Woods	\$4,014,010	0.4%
Finance, Ins. and Real Estate	4.7%	2.3%	Net Grand List (2004)	\$892,440,391	
Services	32.8%	31.1%	<i>Top Five Major Employers (2006)</i>		
Government	3.1%	0.6%	Fire Lite Alarms	Tilcon Connecticut, Inc.	
			D & G Sign and Label	Advanced Composite Products	
			Evergreen Woods		
			<i>Retail Sales (2002)</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>
			All Outlets	\$127,289,223	\$105,014,859,890

Education

<i>2004-2005 School Year</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Connecticut Mastery Test Percent Above Goal</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	2,579	563,216	Reading	52	53	62	60	75	65
Most public school students in North Branford attend North Branford School District, which has 2,525 students.			Math	44	57	62	61	72	56
			Writing	66	63	61	61	64	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:	2.0	4.0	Grade K	19.0	Grade 2	24.0	<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>
	Middle:	2.0	3.0	Grade 5	23.0	Grade 7	24.0	Verbal	509
	Secondary:	2.6	3.2	High School	18.9	Math	508	508	

North Branford Connecticut



Government

Government Form: Council-Manager		Annual Debt Service (2005)	\$2,795,087
		As % of Expenditures	7.8%
Total Revenue (2005)	\$36,399,463	Total Expenditures (2005)	\$35,668,067
Tax Revenue	\$26,720,069	Education	\$23,251,228
Non-tax Revenue	\$9,679,394	Other	\$12,416,839
Intergovernmental	\$8,804,945	Total Indebtness (2005)	\$27,045,775
Per Capita Tax (2005)	\$1,856	As % of Expenditures	75.8%
As % of State Average	93.4%	Per Capita	\$1,879
		As % of State Average	97.4%
		Eq. Net Grand List (2003)	\$1,768,184,166
		Per Capita	\$126,227
		As % of State Average	88%
		Date of Last Revaluation (2005)	2005
		Moody's Bond Rating (2005)	A1
		Actual Mill Rate (2005)	29.12
		Equalized Mill Rate (2005)	14.48
		% of Grand List Com/Ind (2003)	9.4%

Housing/Real Estate

<i>Housing Stock (2005)</i>	Town	County	State	Owner Occupied Dwellings (2000)	4,323	201,349	869,742
Existing Units (total)	5,457	348,703	1,431,569	As % Total Dwellings	82%	59%	63%
% Single Unit	83.1%	59.3%	64.7%	Subsidize Housing (2001)	116	42,124	148,930
New Permits Auth. (2005)	64	2,251	11,885	<i>Distribution of House Sales (2006)</i>	Town	County	State
As % Existing Units	1.17%	0.65%	0.83%	Number of Sales			
Demolitions (2005)	3	215	1,386	Less than \$100,000	2	374	1,332
House Sales (2006)	126	8,490	37,483	\$100,000-\$199,999	9	1,878	7,461
Median Price	\$314,250	\$253,000	\$275,000	\$200,000-\$299,999	42	3,173	11,804
Built Pre 1950 share (2000)	11.3%	33.2%	31.5%	\$300,000-\$399,999	54	1,600	6,393
				\$400,000 or More	19	1,465	10,493

Labor Force

<i>Place of Residence (2005)</i>	Town	County	State	<i>Commuters (2000)</i>			
Labor Force	8,152	434,250	1,817,032	Commuters into Town from:	Town Residents Commuting to:		
Employed	7,795	411,107	1,727,934	North Branford	1,159	New Haven	1,402
Unemployed	357	23,143	89,098	Guilford	334	North Branford	1,159
Unemployment Rate	4.4%	5.3%	4.9%	New Haven	305	North Haven	783
<i>Place of Work (2005)</i>				Branford	260	Branford	645
Total Employment	4,188	360,787	1,643,963	Wallingford	212	Hamden	381
'92-'05 Growth	3.8%	0.4%	0.6%	East Haven	174	Wallingford	377
AAGR				North Haven	166	West Haven	233
Manufacturing	962	n.a.	195,400	West Haven	153	Guilford	218
				Hamden	144	Milford	192
				Madison	78	Meriden	181

Quality of Life

	Town	State	Library (2001)	Town	<i>Residential Utilities</i>
Banks (2003)	6	1,226	Total Volumes	63,674	Electric Provider
Lodging (1998)	1	756	Circulation Per Capita	5.9	The United Illuminating Co.
Day Care Facilities (1999)	12	1,721			(800) 257-0141
Infant Mortality Rate			<i>Distance to Major Cities Miles</i>		Gas Provider
Per 1,000 births (2001)	0.0	4.5	Hartford	28	Southern Connecticut Gas Company
Crime Rate (1999)			Boston	113	(203) 382-8111
Per 1,000 Residents	10	33	New York City	78	Water Provider
% Open Land (1990)	65.8%	68.7%	Providence	77	South Central CT Regional Water Auth.
	Town	County			(203) 562-4020
Hospitals (1999)	0	7			Cable Provider
Total Beds	0	2,487			TCI Cablevision of South Central CT
					888-824-2273