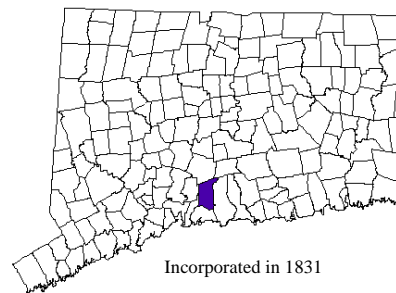


North Branford, Connecticut

CERC Town Profile 2009

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



Demographics

<i>Population (2008)</i>				<i>Race/Ethnicity (2008)</i>									
	<i>Town</i>	<i>County</i>	<i>State</i>		<i>Town</i>	<i>County</i>	<i>State</i>						
1990	12,996	804,219	3,287,116	White	13,042	652,226	2,807,439						
2000	13,906	824,008	3,405,565	Black	507	106,745	340,407						
2008	14,229	857,311	3,540,846	Asian Pacific	273	31,106	128,690						
2013	14,579	877,540	3,621,281	Native American	12	1,677	6,679						
'08-'13 Growth / Yr	0.5%	0.5%	0.5%	Other/Multi-Race	395	65,557	257,631						
				Hispanic (any race)	389	112,088	415,806						
Land Area (sq. miles)	25	606	5,009	<i>Poverty Rate (1999)</i>	1.6%	9.5%	7.9%						
Pop./ Sq. Mile (2008)	571	1,415	707	<i>Educational Attainment (2008)</i>									
Median Age (2008)	41	39	40	Persons Age 25 or Older	<i>Town</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>%</i>					
Households (2008)	5,037	321,391	1,333,050	High School Graduate	3,471	35%	723,175	30%					
Med HH Inc. (2008)	\$78,248	\$60,718	\$67,236	Some College	2,741	28%	592,297	25%					
				Bachelors or More	2,996	30%	824,309	34%					
<i>Age Distribution (2008)</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	429 3%	1,288 9%	503 4%	2,487 17%	1,452 10%	803 6%	6,962						
Female	412 3%	1,246 9%	448 3%	2,540 18%	1,568 11%	1,053 7%	7,267						
County Total	50,334 6%	143,836 17%	82,658 10%	298,373 35%	161,695 19%	120,415 14%	857,311						
State Total	209,662 6%	597,403 17%	332,316 9%	1,219,043 34%	692,305 20%	490,117 14%	3,540,846						

Economics

<i>Business Profile (2005)</i>			<i>Top Five Grand List (2006)</i>		
<i>Sector</i>	<i>Establishments</i>	<i>Employment</i>		<i>Amount</i>	<i>% of Net</i>
Agriculture	5.6%	4.0%	South Central Conn Region	\$29,721,930	2.5%
Const. and Mining	19.3%	13.0%	Shoreline Life Care LLC	\$26,096,770	2.2%
Manufacturing	7.1%	24.7%	South Central Conn Region	\$24,877,830	2.1%
Trans. and Utilities	6.0%	7.4%	Fire Lite Alarms Inc	\$6,386,170	0.5%
Trade	21.5%	16.9%	Totoket Woods Rlty Co	\$5,270,720	0.4%
Finance, Ins. and Real Estate	4.7%	2.3%	Net Grand List (2006)	\$1,202,508,260	
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 (2006)</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>
			All Outlets	\$126,189,685	\$131,862,299,674

Education

<i>2005-2006 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	2,613	566,606	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		
<i>For more education data please see: http://www.state.ct.us/sde/</i>			<i>Students per Computer</i>			<i>Average Class Size</i>			<i>Average SAT Score</i>		
			<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>	
	Elementary:	2.0	4.0	Grade K	19.0	Grade 2	24.0	Verbal	509	508	
	Middle:	2.0	3.0	Grade 5	23.0	Grade 7	24.0	Math	508	508	
	Secondary:	2.6	3.2	High School	18.9						

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Government

Government Form: Council-Manager

Total Revenue (2006)	\$39,211,194
Tax Revenue	\$28,646,777
Non-tax Revenue	\$10,564,417
Intergovernmental	\$9,653,772
Per Capita Tax (2006)	\$2,008
As % of State Average	96.1%

Total Expenditures (2006)	\$38,424,722
Education	\$25,672,515
Other	\$12,752,207
Total Indebtness (2006)	\$25,253,533
As % of Expenditures	65.7%
Per Capita	\$1,770
As % of State Average	88.0%

Annual Debt Service (2006)	\$2,837,878
As % of Expenditures	7.4%
Eq. Net Grand List (2004)	\$1,965,766,156
Per Capita	\$134,706
As % of State Average	96%
Date of Last Revaluation (2005)	2005
Moody's Bond Rating (2006)	A1
Actual Mill Rate (2006)	30.70
Equalized Mill Rate (2006)	14.06
% of Grand List Com/Ind (2003)	9.4%

Housing/Real Estate

Housing Stock (2007)	Town	County	State
Existing Units (total)	5,455	351,139	1,445,682
% Single Unit	83.1%	59.4%	64.8%
New Permits Auth. (2007)	3	1,256	7,746
As % Existing Units	0.05%	0.36%	0.54%
Demolitions (2007)	8	270	1,285
House Sales (2007)	114	7,111	32,395
Median Price	\$314,950	\$261,155	\$295,000
Built Pre 1950 share (2000)	11.3%	33.2%	31.5%

Owner Occupied Dwellings (2000)	4,323	201,349	869,742
As % Total Dwellings	82%	59%	63%
Subsidize Housing (2007)	118	42,528	149,340
<i>Distribution of House Sales (2007)</i>			
	Town	County	State
Number of Sales			
Less than \$100,000	0	155	495
\$100,000-\$199,999	4	1,602	5,866
\$200,000-\$299,999	41	2,612	10,094
\$300,000-\$399,999	52	1,340	5,655
\$400,000 or More	17	1,402	10,285

Labor Force

Place of Residence (2007)

	Town	County	State
Labor Force	8,449	445,698	1,865,499
Employed	8,110	423,224	1,780,481
Unemployed	339	22,474	85,018
Unemployment Rate	4.0%	5.0%	4.6%

Place of Work (2007)

	Town	County	State
# of Units	362	22,502	104,094
Total Employment	4,426	366,841	1,686,262
2000-'07 Growth AAGR	-1.4%	0.0%	0.1%
Mfg Employment	988	41,361	191,264

Commuters (2000)

Commuters into Town from:	Town Residents	Commuting to:	
North Branford	1,159	New Haven	1,402
Guilford	334	North Branford	1,159
New Haven	305	North Haven	783
Branford	260	Branford	645
Wallingford	212	Hamden	381
East Haven	174	Wallingford	377
North Haven	166	West Haven	233
West Haven	153	Guilford	218
Hamden	144	Milford	192
Madison	78	Meriden	181

Quality of Life

	Town	State
Banks (2007)	6	1,029
Lodging (1998)	1	756
Day Care Facilities (1999)	12	1,721
Infant Mortality Rate		
Per 1,000 births (2001)	0.0	4.5
Crime Rate (2004)		
Per 100,000 Residents	1,494	2,981
Hospitals (1999)	0	7
Total Beds	0	2,487

Library (2001)	
Total Volumes	63,674
Circulation Per Capita	5.9
<i>Distance to Major Cities Miles</i>	
Hartford	28
Boston	113
New York City	78
Providence	77

Residential Utilities

Electric Provider	The United Illuminating Co. (800) 257-0141
Gas Provider	Southern Connecticut Gas Company (203) 382-8111
Water Provider	South Central CT Regional Water Auth. (203) 562-4020
Cable Provider	COMCAST/BRANFORD (800) 266-2278