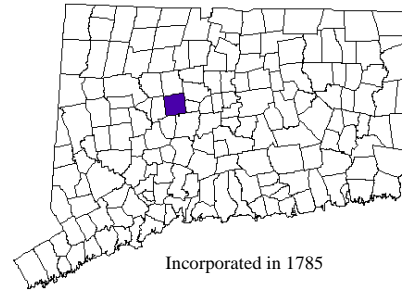


Bristol, Connecticut

CERC Town Profile 2008

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 (2007)</i>				<i>Race/Ethnicity (2007)</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	54,958	674,964	2,875,466
2000	60,062	857,183	3,405,565	Black	2,132	109,432	324,251
2007	60,958	884,968	3,549,606	Asian Pacific	1,534	34,969	125,880
2012	61,636	904,858	3,647,526	Native American	170	2,562	8,220
'07-'12 Growth / Yr	0.2%	0.4%	0.5%	Other/Multi-Race	2,164	63,041	215,789
				Hispanic (any race)	3,810	117,252	405,662
Land Area (sq. miles)	27	735	5,009	<i>Poverty Rate (1999)</i>	6.6%	9.3%	7.9%
Pop./ Sq. Mile (2007)	2,299	1,203	709	<i>Educational Attainment (2000)</i>			
Median Age (2007)	40	40	39	Persons Age 25 or Older	<i>Town</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>State</i>
Households (2007)	24,698	338,687	1,332,283	High School Graduate	15,877	38%	653,300
Med HH Inc. (2007)	\$57,079	\$61,485	\$65,859	Some College	11,189	27%	553,667
				Bachelors or More	6,762	16%	720,994
<i>Age Distribution (2007)</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	1,851 3%	4,978 8%	2,710 4%	11,005 18%	5,433 9%	3,576 6%	29,553
Female	1,709 3%	4,831 8%	2,608 4%	10,947 18%	5,961 10%	5,349 9%	31,405
County Total	52,685 6%	150,608 17%	81,563 9%	300,833 34%	171,208 19%	128,071 14%	884,968
State Total	211,025 6%	609,581 17%	332,254 9%	1,223,861 34%	683,396 19%	489,489 14%	3,549,606

Economics

<i>Business Profile (2005)</i>			<i>Top Five Grand List (2004)</i>		
<i>Sector</i>	<i>Establishments</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>	
Total Town School Enrollment	9,049	567,138		<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>
Most public school students in Bristol attend Bristol School District, which has 8,986 students.				Reading	46 0	55 0	59 0	51 0	56 0
				Math	62 0	54 0	51 0	51 0	56 0
				Writing	61 0	57 0	57 0	56 0	56 0
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:	11.8	4.2	Grade K 17.7	Grade 2 17.9	<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>		
	Middle:	6.1	3.5	Grade 5 23.1	Grade 7 23.4	Verbal	509	504	
	Secondary:	5.3	3.4	High School 20.9		Math	502	508	

Bristol Connecticut



Government

Government Form: Mayor-Council		Annual Debt Service (2006)	\$7,567,000
		As % of Expenditures	5.9%
Total Revenue (2006)	\$161,252,000	Eq. Net Grand List (2004)	\$5,861,678,209
Tax Revenue	\$101,433,000	Per Capita	\$96,423
Non-tax Revenue	\$59,819,000	As % of State Average	69%
Intergovernmental	\$52,033,000	Date of Last Revaluation (2005)	2002
Per Capita Tax (2006)	\$1,668	Moody's Bond Rating (2006)	Aa3
As % of State Average	79.8%	Actual Mill Rate (2006)	33.33
Total Expenditures (2006)	\$129,163,000	Equalized Mill Rate (2006)	17.00
Education	\$83,047,000	% of Grand List Com/Ind (2003)	14.2%
Other	\$46,116,000		
Total Indebtness (2006)	\$43,255,000		
As % of Expenditures	33.5%		
Per Capita	\$711		
As % of State Average	35.3%		

Housing/Real Estate

<i>Housing Stock (2005)</i>	Town	County	State	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. (2006)	69	2,305	9,236	<i>Distribution of House Sales (2006)</i>			
As % Existing Units	0.26%	0.63%	0.64%	Number of Sales			
Demolitions (2006)	11	252	1,584	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 (2006)</i>				<i>Commuters (2000)</i>			
	Town	County	State	Commuters into Town from:	Town Residents Commuting to:		
Labor Force	33,977	449,501	1,844,244	Bristol	11,111	Bristol	11,111
Employed	32,375	428,471	1,765,083	Plymouth	1,146	Farmington	2,584
Unemployed	1,602	21,030	79,161	Southington	1,086	Hartford	2,006
Unemployment Rate	4.7%	4.7%	4.3%	Plainville	785	Southington	1,888
<i>Place of Work (2006)</i>				New Britain	764	Plainville	1,441
# of Units	1,246	25,093	103,662	Burlington	581	New Britain	1,433
Total Employment	20,846	496,867	1,672,161	Farmington	522	West Hartford	783
'92-'06 Growth AAGR	0.7%	0.1%	0.7%	Hartford	496	Berlin	764
Mfg Employment	3,566	60,003	193,727	Waterbury	476	Middletown	625
				West Hartford	413	Waterbury	502

Quality of Life

	Town	State	Library (2001)	Town	<i>Residential Utilities</i>		
Banks (2007)	14	1,029	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		
			Providence	79	Municipal Provider		
	Town	County			local Contact		
Hospitals (1999)	1	9			Cable Provider		
Total Beds	150	2,642			Comcast Cable of Central CT		
					888-824-2273		