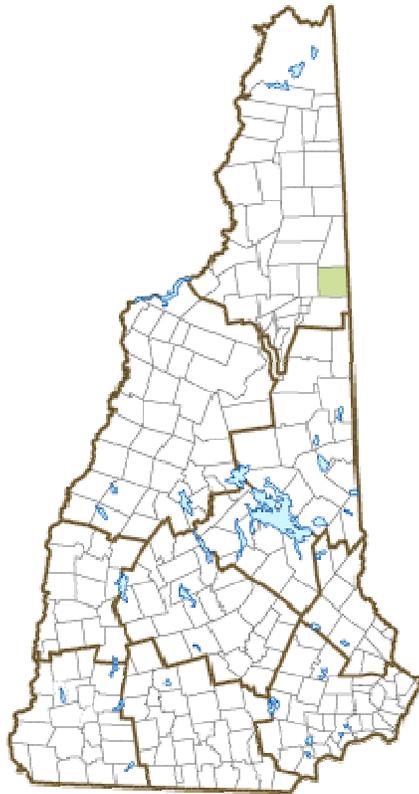


# Shelburne, NH



## Community Contact

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## Municipal Office Hours

**Administrative Assistant: Open daily by appointment; Town Clerk, Tax Collector: Monday, 4 pm - 6 pm, Tuesday, 3 pm - 6:30 pm, Friday, 10 am - 2 pm**

County  
Labor Market Area  
Tourism Region  
Planning Commission  
Regional Development

**Coös  
Berlin, NH Micropolitan NECTA  
White Mountains  
North Country Council  
Coös Economic Development Corp.**

## Election Districts

US Congress  
Executive Council  
State Senate  
State Representative

**District 2  
District 1  
District 1  
Coös County District 6**

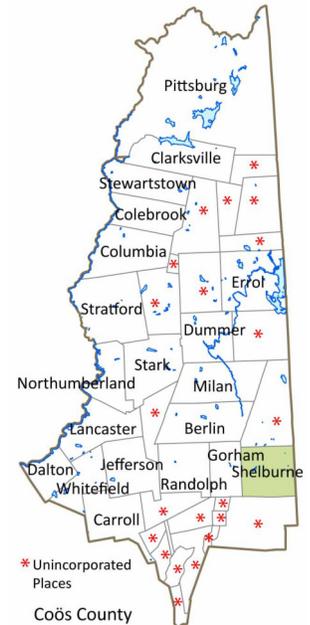
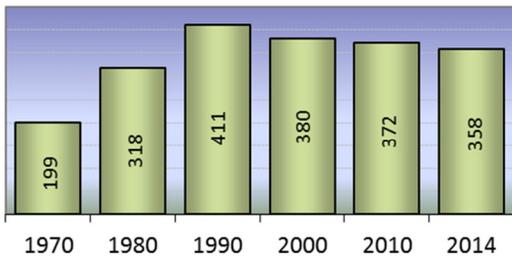
**Incorporated: 1820**

**Origin:** This territory was first chartered in 1769 and named for William Petty Fitzmaurice, Earl of Shelburne. Lord Shelburne was a supporter of independence for the American colonies, and at his insistence, the king recognized the independence of the United States. The first survey of the grant found much of the land covered with water and mountains. In 1770, the seven grantees petitioned for additional property, and were given another 40 thousand acres, known as Shelburne Addition. The town was incorporated in 1820 when Shelburne voters chose to keep the name. Shelburne Addition was separated and incorporated as Gorham in 1836.

**Villages and Place Names:** unknown

**Population, Year of the First Census Taken:** 35 residents in 1790

**Population Trends:** Population change for Shelburne totaled 132 over 54 years, from 226 in 1960 to 358 in 2014. The largest decennial percent change was a 60 percent increase between 1970 and 1980; population decreased from 1960 to 1970, 1990 to 2000, and from 2000 to 2010. The 2014 Census estimate for Shelburne was 358 residents, which ranked 221st among New Hampshire's incorporated cities and towns.



**Population Density and Land Area, 2014 (US Census Bureau):** 7.5 persons per square mile of land area. Shelburne contains 47.9 square miles of land area and 0.9 square miles of inland water area.

<b>MUNICIPAL SERVICES</b>	
Type of Government	<b>Selectmen</b>
Budget: Municipal Appropriations, 2016-2017	<b>\$549,870</b>
Budget: School Appropriations, 2015-2016	<b>\$598,095</b>
Zoning Ordinance	<b>1964/14</b>
Master Plan	<b>2000</b>
Capital Improvement Plan	<b>No</b>
Industrial Plans Reviewed By	<b>Planning Board</b>

Boards and Commissions  
 Elected: **Selectmen; Budget; Library; Memorial Forest; Cemetery; Trust Funds**  
 Appointed: **Planning; Zoning; Conservation; Park; Heritage; Land Fill**

Public Library **Shelburne Public**

<b>EMERGENCY SERVICES</b>	
Police Department	<b>State Police</b>
Fire Department	<b>Volunteer &amp; On-Call</b>
Emergency Medical Service	<b>Contract with Gorham</b>

Nearest Hospital(s)	Distance	Staffed Beds
<b>Androscoggin Valley, Berlin</b>	<b>14 miles</b>	<b>25</b>

<b>UTILITIES</b>	
Electric Supplier	<b>Eversource Energy</b>
Natural Gas Supplier	<b>None</b>
Water Supplier	<b>Private wells</b>
Sanitation	<b>Private septic</b>
Municipal Wastewater Treatment Plant	<b>No</b>
Solid Waste Disposal	
Curbside Trash Pickup	<b>None</b>
Pay-As-You-Throw Program	<b>Yes</b>
Recycling Program	<b>Mandatory</b>
Telephone Company	<b>Fairpoint/Time Warner</b>
Cellular Telephone Access	<b>Yes</b>
Cable Television Access	<b>Limited</b>
Public Access Television Station	<b>No</b>
High Speed Internet Service:	
Business	<b>Limited</b>
Residential	<b>Limited</b>

<b>PROPERTY TAXES</b> <i>(NH Dept. of Revenue Administration)</i>	
2015 Total Tax Rate (per \$1000 of value)	<b>\$15.58</b>
2015 Equalization Ratio	<b>103.0</b>
2015 Full Value Tax Rate (per \$1000 of value)	<b>\$17.53</b>
2015 Percent of Local Assessed Valuation by Property Type	
Residential Land and Buildings	<b>48.8%</b>
Commercial Land and Buildings	<b>13.3%</b>
Public Utilities, Current Use, and Other	<b>37.9%</b>

<b>HOUSING</b> <i>(ACS 2010-2014)</i>	
Total Housing Units	<b>204</b>
Single-Family Units, Detached or Attached	<b>177</b>
Units in Multiple-Family Structures:	
Two to Four Units in Structure	<b>14</b>
Five or More Units in Structure	<b>0</b>
Mobile Homes and Other Housing Units	<b>13</b>

<b>DEMOGRAPHICS</b> <i>(US Census Bureau)</i>		
Total Population	Community	County
2014	<b>358</b>	<b>32,202</b>
2010	<b>372</b>	<b>33,055</b>
2000	<b>380</b>	<b>33,156</b>
1990	<b>411</b>	<b>34,879</b>
1980	<b>318</b>	<b>35,014</b>
1970	<b>199</b>	<b>34,189</b>

**Demographics, American Community Survey (ACS) 2010-2014**

Population by Gender			
Male	<b>194</b>	Female	<b>164</b>

Population by Age Group	
Under age 5	<b>13</b>
Age 5 to 19	<b>48</b>
Age 20 to 34	<b>39</b>
Age 35 to 54	<b>75</b>
Age 55 to 64	<b>95</b>
Age 65 and over	<b>88</b>
Median Age	<b>55.5 years</b>

Educational Attainment, population 25 years and over	
High school graduate or higher	<b>95.0%</b>
Bachelor's degree or higher	<b>30.1%</b>

**INCOME, INFLATION ADJUSTED \$** *(ACS 2010-2014)*

Per capita income	<b>\$30,606</b>
Median family income	<b>\$57,188</b>
Median household income	<b>\$54,063</b>

Median Earnings, full-time, year-round workers	
Male	<b>\$50,000</b>
Female	<b>\$38,611</b>

Individuals below the poverty level	<b>3.6%</b>
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**LABOR FORCE** *(NHES – ELMII)*

	2005	2015
Annual Average		
Civilian labor force	<b>225</b>	<b>209</b>
Employed	<b>216</b>	<b>198</b>
Unemployed	<b>9</b>	<b>11</b>
Unemployment rate	<b>4.0%</b>	<b>5.3%</b>

**EMPLOYMENT & WAGES** *(NHES – ELMII)*

	2004	2014
Annual Average Covered Employment		
Goods Producing Industries		
Average Employment	<b>n</b>	<b>n</b>
Average Weekly Wage	<b>n</b>	<b>n</b>
Service Providing Industries		
Average Employment	<b>n</b>	<b>n</b>
Average Weekly Wage	<b>n</b>	<b>n</b>
Total Private Industry		
Average Employment	<b>137</b>	<b>114</b>
Average Weekly Wage	<b>\$ 272</b>	<b>\$ 370</b>
Government (Federal, State, and Local)		
Average Employment	<b>15</b>	<b>18</b>
Average Weekly Wage	<b>\$ 116</b>	<b>\$ 122</b>
Total, Private Industry plus Government		
Average Employment	<b>152</b>	<b>133</b>
Average Weekly Wage	<b>\$ 256</b>	<b>\$ 336</b>

If "n" appears, data do not meet disclosure standards.

**EDUCATION AND CHILD CARE**

Schools students attend: **Grades K-12 are part of Gorham-Randolph-Shelburne Cooperative** District: **SAU 20**  
 Career Technology Center(s): **Berlin Regional Career & Technical Center** Region: **2**

Educational Facilities (includes Charter Schools) Elementary Middle/Junior High High School Private/Parochial  
 Number of Schools  
 Grade Levels  
 Total Enrollment

Nearest Community College: **White Mountains**  
 Nearest Colleges or Universities: **Plymouth State University; Granite State College-Berlin**

2016 NH Licensed Child Care Facilities (DHHS-Bureau of Child Care Licensing) Total Facilities: **0** Total Capacity: **0**

LARGEST BUSINESSES	PRODUCT/SERVICE	EMPLOYEES	ESTABLISHED
Androscoggin Valley Hospital	Health care services		
Gorham Papers	Manufacturing		
Gorham-Randolph-Shelburne Cooperative School	Education		
R J Chipping	Manufacture of wood chips		
Town & Country Motor Inn	Inn		

## Employer Information Supplied by Municipality

**TRANSPORTATION** (distances estimated from city/town hall)

Road Access	US Routes	<b>2</b>
	State Routes	
Nearest Interstate, Exit	<b>I-93, Exits 35 - 36</b>	
	Distance	<b>42 miles</b>
Railroad	<b>Canadian National</b>	
Public Transportation		<b>No</b>
Nearest Public Use Airport, General Aviation		
<b>Gorham Airport</b>	Runway	<b>2,800 ft. turf</b>
Lighted?	<b>No</b>	Navigation Aids?
		<b>No</b>
Nearest Airport with Scheduled Service		
<b>Portland (ME) International</b>	Distance	<b>87 miles</b>
Number of Passenger Airlines Serving Airport		<b>6</b>
Driving distance to select cities:		
Manchester, NH		<b>133 miles</b>
Portland, Maine		<b>88 miles</b>
Boston, Mass.		<b>184 miles</b>
New York City, NY		<b>383 miles</b>
Montreal, Quebec		<b>185 miles</b>

**COMMUTING TO WORK** (ACS 2010-2014)

Workers 16 years and over	
Drove alone, car/truck/van	<b>86.6%</b>
Carpooled, car/truck/van	<b>4.3%</b>
Public transportation	<b>0.0%</b>
Walked	<b>0.5%</b>
Other means	<b>0.0%</b>
Worked at home	<b>8.6%</b>
Mean Travel Time to Work	<b>23.8 minutes</b>
<b>Percent of Working Residents: ACS 2010-2014</b>	
Working in community of residence	<b>17.2</b>
Commuting to another NH community	<b>76.3</b>
Commuting out-of-state	<b>6.5</b>

**RECREATION, ATTRACTIONS, AND EVENTS**

<b>X</b>	Municipal Parks
	YMCA/YWCA
	Boys Club/Girls Club
<b>X</b>	Golf Courses
	Swimming: Indoor Facility
	Swimming: Outdoor Facility
	Tennis Courts: Indoor Facility
	Tennis Courts: Outdoor Facility
	Ice Skating Rink: Indoor Facility
	Bowling Facilities
	Museums
	Cinemas
	Performing Arts Facilities
	Tourist Attractions
	Youth Organizations (i.e., Scouts, 4-H)
	Youth Sports: Baseball
	Youth Sports: Soccer
	Youth Sports: Football
	Youth Sports: Basketball
	Youth Sports: Hockey
<b>X</b>	Campgrounds
<b>X</b>	Fishing/Hunting
	Boating/Marinas
<b>X</b>	Snowmobile Trails
	Bicycle Trails
	Cross Country Skiing
	Beach or Waterfront Recreation Area
	Overnight or Day Camps
	Nearest Ski Area(s): <b>Wildcat, Sunday River (ME)</b>
	Other: <b>Canoeing; Kayaking</b>