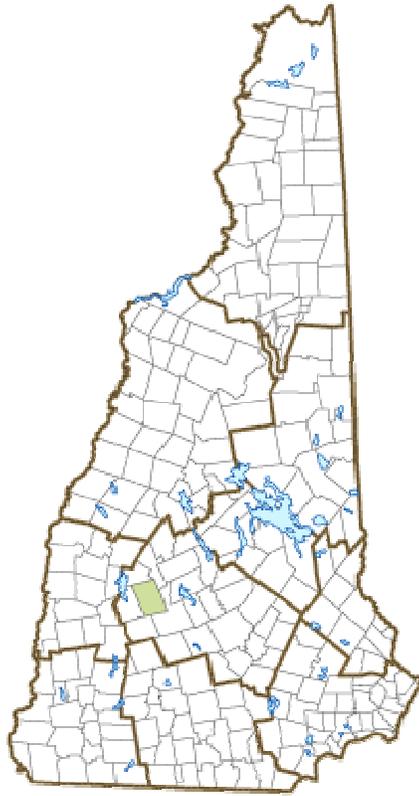


Sutton, NH



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Municipal Office Hours

Selectmen: Monday, Wednesday, Friday, 8 am - 4:30 pm; Town Clerk, Tax Collector: Monday, 8 am - 12 noon, Tuesday, 8 am - 5:45 pm, Wednesday, Thursday, 8 am - 2:45 pm, Saturday, 9 am - 11:45 am

County
Labor Market Area
Tourism Region
Planning Commission
Regional Development

Merrimack
New London, NH LMA
Dartmouth-Lake Sunapee
Central NH Regional
Capital Regional Development Council

Election Districts
US Congress
Executive Council
State Senate
State Representative

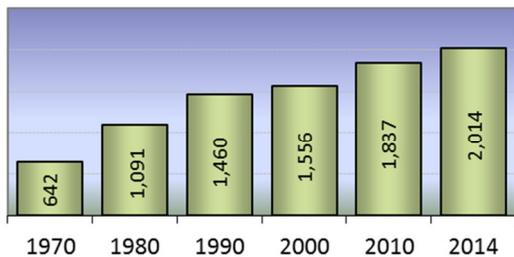
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Incorporated: 1784

Origin: This territory was granted in 1748 to Obadiah Parry and others from Haverhill, Massachusetts, who had petitioned the Masonian Proprietors for a land grant. For a while the settlement was known as Parrystown. Because it was located in Indian country near Mount Kearsarge, many settlers forfeited their claims, even with an extension granted in 1773. In 1783 residents petitioned for incorporation and town privileges under the name Sutton, which was granted in 1784. Sutton was at one time home to a religious sect known as the Osgoodites.

Villages and Place Names: East Sutton, North Sutton, Shingle Mill Corner, South Sutton, Sutton Mills

Population, Year of the First Census Taken: 520 residents in 1790



Population Trends: Population change for Sutton totaled 1,527 over 54 years, from 487 in 1960 to 2,014 in 2014. The largest decennial percent change was an increase of 70 percent between 1970 and 1980. The 2014 Census estimate for Sutton was 2,014 residents, which ranked 140th among New Hampshire's incorporated cities and towns.

Population Density and Land Area, 2014 (US Census Bureau): 47.3 persons per square mile of land area. Sutton contains 42.6 square miles of land area and 0.8 square miles of inland water area.

MUNICIPAL SERVICES	
Type of Government	Selectmen
Budget: Municipal Appropriations, 2016	\$3,178,158
Budget: School Appropriations, 2016-2017	\$4,436,167
Zoning Ordinance	1966/16
Master Plan	2005
Capital Improvement Plan	Yes
Industrial Plans Reviewed By	Planning Board/ZBA

Boards and Commissions
 Elected: **Selectmen; Budget; Library; Trust Funds; Cemetery**
 Appointed: **Planning; Conservation; Zoning; Building**

Public Library **Sutton Free**

EMERGENCY SERVICES	
Police Department	Full-time
Fire Department	Volunteer
Emergency Medical Service	Volunteer
Nearest Hospital(s)	Distance Staffed Beds
New London Hospital, New London	8 miles 25

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

PROPERTY TAXES (NH Dept. of Revenue Administration)	
2015 Total Tax Rate (per \$1000 of value)	\$26.98
2015 Equalization Ratio	99.1
2015 Full Value Tax Rate (per \$1000 of value)	\$26.63
2015 Percent of Local Assessed Valuation by Property Type	
Residential Land and Buildings	93.9%
Commercial Land and Buildings	4.3%
Public Utilities, Current Use, and Other	1.9%

HOUSING (ACS 2010-2014)	
Total Housing Units	1,014
Single-Family Units, Detached or Attached	986
Units in Multiple-Family Structures:	
Two to Four Units in Structure	28
Five or More Units in Structure	0
Mobile Homes and Other Housing Units	0

DEMOGRAPHICS (US Census Bureau)		
Total Population	Community	County
2014	2,014	146,880
2010	1,837	146,445
2000	1,556	136,716
1990	1,460	120,618
1980	1,091	98,302
1970	642	80,925

Demographics, American Community Survey (ACS) 2010-2014

Population by Gender			
Male	1,035	Female	979

Population by Age Group	
Under age 5	117
Age 5 to 19	403
Age 20 to 34	241
Age 35 to 54	494
Age 55 to 64	333
Age 65 and over	426
Median Age	45.4 years

Educational Attainment, population 25 years and over	
High school graduate or higher	95.6%
Bachelor's degree or higher	54.8%

INCOME, INFLATION ADJUSTED \$ (ACS 2010-2014)	
Per capita income	\$32,379
Median family income	\$80,446
Median household income	\$68,295

Median Earnings, full-time, year-round workers	
Male	\$53,529
Female	\$42,798

Individuals below the poverty level	6.1%
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LABOR FORCE (NHES – ELMI)			
Annual Average	2005	2015	
Civilian labor force	967	1,076	
Employed	944	1,045	
Unemployed	23	31	
Unemployment rate	2.4%	2.9%	

EMPLOYMENT & WAGES (NHES – ELMI)			
Annual Average Covered Employment	2004	2014	
Goods Producing Industries			
Average Employment	n	96	
Average Weekly Wage	n	\$1,292	
Service Providing Industries			
Average Employment	n	122	
Average Weekly Wage	n	\$ 468	
Total Private Industry			
Average Employment	167	218	
Average Weekly Wage	\$ 845	\$ 831	
Government (Federal, State, and Local)			
Average Employment	160	228	
Average Weekly Wage	\$ 583	\$ 921	
Total, Private Industry plus Government			
Average Employment	327	446	
Average Weekly Wage	\$ 717	\$ 877	

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EDUCATION AND CHILD CARE

Schools students attend: **Grades K-12 are part of Kearsarge Regional (Bradford, Newbury, New London, Springfield, Sutton, Warner, Wilmot)** District: **SAU 65**
 Career Technology Center(s): **Concord Regional Technical Center** Region: **11**

Educational Facilities (includes Charter Schools)	Elementary	Middle/Junior High	High School	Private/Parochial
Number of Schools	1	1	1	
Grade Levels	K 1-5	6-8	9-12	
Total Enrollment	101	420	566	

Nearest Community College: **River Valley; NHTI-Concord**
 Nearest Colleges or Universities: **Colby-Sawyer; Northeast Catholic College**

2016 NH Licensed Child Care Facilities (DHHS-Bureau of Child Care Licensing) Total Facilities: **1** Total Capacity: **24**

LARGEST BUSINESSES	PRODUCT/SERVICE	EMPLOYEES	ESTABLISHED
Labsphere, Inc.	Light measurement technology	129	
Country Club of New Hampshire	Golf course		

Employer Information Supplied by Municipality

TRANSPORTATION (distances estimated from city/town hall)

Road Access	US Routes	
	State Routes	103, 114
Nearest Interstate, Exit		I-89, Exit 10
	Distance	Local access
Railroad		No
Public Transportation		No
Nearest Public Use Airport, General Aviation		
Parlin Field, Newport	Runway	3,450 ft. asphalt
Lighted? No	Navigation Aids?	No
Nearest Airport with Scheduled Service		
Lebanon Municipal	Distance	36 miles
Number of Passenger Airlines Serving Airport		1
Driving distance to select cities:		
Manchester, NH		44 miles
Portland, Maine		136 miles
Boston, Mass.		94 miles
New York City, NY		267 miles
Montreal, Quebec		219 miles

COMMUTING TO WORK (ACS 2010-2014)

Workers 16 years and over	
Drove alone, car/truck/van	80.1%
Carpooled, car/truck/van	6.6%
Public transportation	0.7%
Walked	1.4%
Other means	2.4%
Worked at home	8.8%
Mean Travel Time to Work	25.8 minutes
Percent of Working Residents: ACS 2010-2014	
Working in community of residence	24.1
Commuting to another NH community	72.8
Commuting out-of-state	3.1

RECREATION, ATTRACTIONS, AND EVENTS

	Municipal Parks
	YMCA/YWCA
	Boys Club/Girls Club
X	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)
X	Youth Sports: Baseball
	Youth Sports: Soccer
	Youth Sports: Football
	Youth Sports: Basketball
	Youth Sports: Hockey
	Campgrounds
X	Fishing/Hunting
X	Boating/Marinas
X	Snowmobile Trails
	Bicycle Trails
	Cross Country Skiing
X	Beach or Waterfront Recreation Area
	Overnight or Day Camps
	Nearest Ski Area(s): Mount Sunapee, Ragged Mountain
	Other: Wadleigh State Park