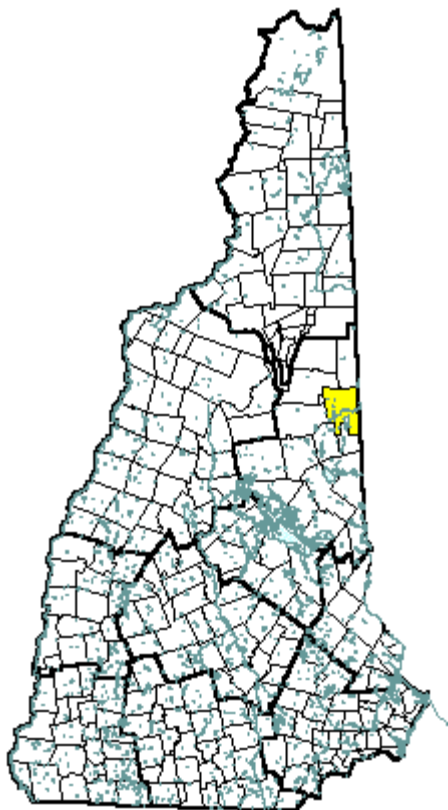


Conway, NH



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County	Carroll
Labor Market Area	Conway NH-ME LMA, NH Portion
Tourism Region	White Mountains
Planning Commission	North Country Council
Regional Development	Mount Washington Valley Economic Council
Election Districts	
US Congress	District 1
Executive Council	District 1
State Senate	District 3
State Representative	Carroll County District 1

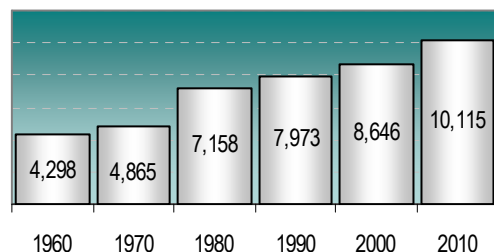
Incorporated: 1765

Origin: Conway was named for Henry Seymour Conway, ambitious son of a prominent English family, who was elected to the House of Commons at age twenty, fought at the Battle of Culloden in Scotland, and with Pitt and Rockingham supported the cause of the colonies. He was made Secretary of State in 1765, and the town was named Conway that same year. Early settlers in the area had named the area Pequawket, known colloquially as Pigwacket, after the nearby mountain. Conway boasts many natural features such as Cathedral Ledge, Echo Lake State Park, and Mount Cranmore.

Villages and Place Names: Center Conway, East Conway, North Conway, Intervale, Kearsarge, Quint, Redstone, South Conway

Population, Year of the First Census Taken: 640 residents in 1790

Population Trends: Population change for Conway totaled 5,817 over 50 years, from 4,298 in 1960 to 10,115 in 2010. The largest decennial percent change was a 47 percent increase



between 1970 and 1980, accounting for over half the total numeric growth. The 2010 Census estimate for Conway was 10,115 residents, which ranked 29th among New Hampshire's incorporated cities and towns.



Population Density and Land Area, 2010 (US Census Bureau): 145.7 persons per square mile of land area. Conway contains 69.4 square miles of land area and 2.3 square miles of inland water area.

MUNICIPAL SERVICES

Type of Government	Selectmen
Budget: Municipal Appropriations, 2011	\$8,998,983
Budget: School Appropriations, 2010-2011	\$32,798,634
Zoning Ordinance	1980/11
Master Plan	2003
Capital Improvement Plan	Yes
Industrial Plans Reviewed By	Planning Board

Boards and Commissions

Elected:	Selectmen; Planning
Appointed:	Zoning; Conservation; Library

Public Library **Conway Public; North Conway Public****EMERGENCY SERVICES**

Police Department	Full-time
Fire Department	Volunteer
Emergency Medical Service	Municipal & volunteer

Nearest Hospital(s)	Distance	Staffed Beds
Memorial Hospital, North Conway	Local	25

UTILITIES

Electric Supplier	PSNH; NH Electric Coop
Natural Gas Supplier	None
Water Supplier	N. Conway; Conway Village

Sanitation	Municipal
Municipal Wastewater Treatment Plant	Yes
Solid Waste Disposal	
Curbside Trash Pickup	None
Pay-As-You-Throw Program	No
Recycling Program	Mandatory

Telephone Company	Fairpoint; Northland
Cellular Telephone Access	Yes
Cable Television Access	Yes
Public Access Television Station	Yes
High Speed Internet Service:	
Business	unknown
Residential	unknown

PROPERTY TAXES *(NH Dept. of Revenue Administration)*

2010 Total Tax Rate (per \$1000 of value)	\$17.87
2010 Equalization Ratio	95.2
2010 Full Value Tax Rate (per \$1000 of value)	\$16.91

2010 Percent of Local Assessed Valuation by Property Type

Residential Land and Buildings	68.6%
Commercial Land and Buildings	30.1%
Public Utilities, Current Use, and Other	1.3%

HOUSING*(ACS 2006-2010)*

Total Housing Units	6,765
Single-Family Units, Detached or Attached	3,975
Units in Multiple-Family Structures:	
Two to Four Units in Structure	913
Five or More Units in Structure	1,107
Mobile Homes and Other Housing Units	770

DEMOGRAPHICS*(US Census Bureau)*

Total Population	Community	County
2010	10,115	47,818
2000	8,646	43,918
1990	7,973	35,526
1980	7,158	27,929
1970	4,865	18,548

Demographics, American Community Survey (ACS) 2006-2010

Population by Gender

Male	5,209	Female	4,786
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Population by Age Group

Under age 5	589
Age 5 to 19	1,615
Age 20 to 34	1,708
Age 35 to 54	3,176
Age 55 to 64	1,383
Age 65 and over	1,524
Median Age	43.2 years

Educational Attainment, population 25 years and over

High school graduate or higher	87.7%
Bachelor's degree or higher	25.9%

INCOME, 2010 INFLATION ADJUSTED \$*(ACS 2006-2010)*

Per capita income	\$25,492
Median 4-person family income	\$55,547
Median household income	\$44,034

Median Earnings, full-time, year-round workers

Male	\$34,784
Female	\$33,708

Families below the poverty level

5.1%**LABOR FORCE***(NHES - ELMI)*

Annual Average	2000	2010
Civilian labor force	5,219	5,492
Employed	5,073	5,149
Unemployed	146	343
Unemployment rate	2.8%	6.2%

EMPLOYMENT & WAGES*(NHES - ELMI)*

Annual Average Covered Employment	2000	2010
Goods Producing Industries		
Average Employment	813	841
Average Weekly Wage	\$547	\$723
Service Providing Industries		
Average Employment	6,736	6,928
Average Weekly Wage	\$398	\$546
Total Private Industry		
Average Employment	7,548	7,769
Average Weekly Wage	\$414	\$565
Government (Federal, State, and Local)		
Average Employment	583	759
Average Weekly Wage	\$577	\$672
Total, Private Industry plus Government		
Average Employment	8,132	8,527
Average Weekly Wage	\$426	\$575

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EDUCATION AND CHILD CARE*(NH Dept. of Education)*

Schools students attend: **Conway operates grades K-12**
 Career Technology Center(s): **Kennett High School, Conway**

District: **SAU 9**
 Region: **06**

Educational Facilities	Elementary	Middle/Junior High	High School	Private/Parochial
Number of Schools	3	1	1	1
Grade Levels	K 1-6	7-8	9-12	4-12
Total Enrollment	714	322	872	6

2011 NH Licensed Child Care Facilities (*DHHS – Bureau of Child Care Licensing*): Total Facilities: **12** Total Capacity: **421**

Nearest Community/Technical College: **White Mountains; Lakes Region**
 Nearest Colleges or Universities: **Plymouth State University; Granite State College**

LARGEST BUSINESSES	PRODUCT/SERVICE	EMPLOYEES	ESTABLISHED
Memorial Hospital	Health care services	350	
Conway School District	Education	274	
Hannaford Brothers	Supermarket	175	
Wal-Mart	Retail Store	140-170	
Red Jacket Inn	Hotel	156	
North Conway Grand Hotel	Hotel	80-100	

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

Road Access	US Routes	302
	State Routes	16, 112, 113, 153
Nearest Interstate, Exit		I-93, Exit 32 or 24
	Distance	39 miles; 49 miles
Railroad		Conway Scenic
Public Transportation		No
Nearest Public Use Airport, General Aviation		
	Eastern Slopes, Fryeburg ME	Runway 4,200 ft. asphalt
	Lighted? Yes	Navigation Aids? Yes
Nearest Airport with Scheduled Service		
	Portland (ME) International Jetport	Distance 54 miles
	Number of Passenger Airlines Serving Airport	8
Driving distance to select cities:		
	Manchester, NH	100 miles
	Portland, Maine	56 miles
	Boston, Mass.	134 miles
	New York City, NY	347 miles
	Montreal, Quebec	222 miles

COMMUTING TO WORK (*ACS 2006-2010*)

Workers 16 years and over	
Drove alone, car/truck/van	85.6%
Carpooled, car/truck/van	4.6%
Public transportation	0.0%
Walked	3.6%
Other means	2.2%
Worked at home	3.9%
Mean Travel Time to Work	18.8 minutes

Percent of Working Residents: ACS 2006-2010

Working in community of residence	70.8%
Commuting to another NH community	24.2%
Commuting out-of-state	5.0%

RECREATION, ATTRACTIONS, AND EVENTS

X	Municipal Parks
	YMCA/YWCA
	Boys Club/Girls Club
X	Golf Courses
X	Swimming: Indoor Facility
X	Swimming: Outdoor Facility
X	Tennis Courts: Indoor Facility
X	Tennis Courts: Outdoor Facility
X	Ice Skating Rink: Indoor Facility
	Bowling Facilities
X	Museums
X	Cinemas
X	Performing Arts Facilities
X	Tourist Attractions
X	Youth Organizations (i.e., Scouts, 4-H)
X	Youth Sports: Baseball
X	Youth Sports: Soccer
X	Youth Sports: Football
X	Youth Sports: Basketball
X	Youth Sports: Hockey
X	Campgrounds
X	Fishing/Hunting
	Boating/Marinas
X	Snowmobile Trails
X	Bicycle Trails
X	Cross Country Skiing
	Beach or Waterfront Recreation Area
	Overnight or Day Camps
	Nearest Ski Area(s): Cranmore
	Other: Conway Scenic Railroad; Dahl Wildlife Sanctuary; Mount Washington Observatory