

# Greenfield, NH

Greenfield Board of Selectmen **Community Contact** 

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County Hillsborough

Nashua, NH-MA NECTA Division Labor Market Area

**Tourism Region** Monadnock **Southwest Region Planning Commission** 

Regional Development Monadnock Economic Development Corp.

**Election Districts** 

**US Congress** District 2 **Executive Council** District 5 District 9 State Senate

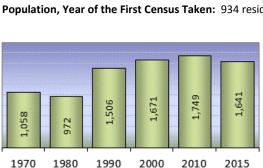
State Representative Hillsborough County Districts 3, 38

Incorporated: 1791

Origin: This area was part of Cumberland or the "Society Land" which had been set aside by the Masonian Proprietors for their own estates. When first settled in 1753 by the Lynde family, it was known as Lyndeborough Addition. The Monadnock hills cut residents off from Lyndeborough's church and school, so in 1791 they petitioned for the right to form their own town. The name was chosen to indicate the town's location on a level, fertile ground between the hills. Greenfield is the location of the Crotched Mountain Foundation, a rehabilitation center for handicapped children; the Crotched Mountain Ski Area; and Greenfield State Park, on Otter Lake.

Villages and Place Names: unknown

Population, Year of the First Census Taken: 934 residents in 1800





Hillsborough County

Population Trends: Population change for Greenfield totaled 1,103 over 55 years, from 538 in 1960 to 1,641 in 2015. The largest decennial percent change was a 55 percent increase between 1980 and 1990, preceded by an eight percent decrease the previous decade. The 2015 Census estimate for Greenfield was 1,641 residents, which ranked 154th among New Hampshire's incorporated cities and towns.

Population Density and Land Area, 2015 (US Census Bureau): 61.9 persons per square mile of land area. Greenfield contains 26.5 square miles of land area and 0.6 square miles of inland water area.

MUNICIPAL SERVICES	
Type of Government	Selectmen
Budget: Municipal Appropriations, 2016	\$2,211,371
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Zoning Ordinance	1936/11
Master Plan	2005
Capital Improvement Plan	Yes
Industrial Plans Reviewed By	Planning Board

**Boards and Commissions** 

Elected: Selectmen; Planning; Budget

Appointed: Conservation; Library; Cemetery; Zoning; Recycle;

**Energy; Recreation** 

Public Library Stephenson Memorial

EMERGENCY SERVICES		
Police Department		Full-time
Fire Department		Volunteer
Emergency Medical Service		Volunteer
Nearest Hospital(s)  Monadnock Community, Peterborough	Distance 6 miles	Staffed Beds 25

UTILITIES		
Electric Supplier		Eversource Energy
Natural Gas Supplier		None
Water Supplier		Private wells
Sanitation		Private septic
Municipal Wastewater Treatm	nent Plant	Yes
Solid Waste Disposal		
Curbside Trash Pickup		None
Pay-As-You-Throw Program		No
Recycling Program		Mandatory
Telephone Company		Fairpoint
Cellular Telephone Access		Yes
Cable Television Access		No
Public Access Television Static	on	No
High Speed Internet Service:	Business	Limited
	Residential	Limited
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	Residential	Limited
PROPERTY TAXES	(NH Dept. of Reve	nue Administration)
2015 Total Tax Rate (per \$	1000 of value)	\$27.76
2015 Equalization Ratio		96.4
2015 Full Value Tax Rate (p	per \$1000 of value)	\$25.27
2015 Percent of Local Asse	•	, ,,
Residential Land and B	· ·	91.8%
Commercial Land and I		5.3%
Public Utilities, Current	Use, and Other	2.9%
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Housing		(ACS 2011-2015)
Total Housing Units		701
Single-Family Units, Detacl	ned or Attached	648
Units in Multiple-Family St	ructures:	
Two to Four Units in	Structure	34

Five or More Units in Structure

Mobile Homes and Other Housing Units

DEMOGRAPHICS		(US Census Bureau)
Total Population	Community	County
2015	1,641	403,972
2010	1,749	400,721
2000	1,671	382,384
1990	1,506	336,549
1980	972	276,608
1970	1,058	233,941

Demographics, American	Community Survey	(ACS) 2011-2015
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Population	by	Gender
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Male	877	Female	764
Population b	y Age Group		
Under age	: 5		72
Age 5 to 1	9	:	233
Age 20 to	34		283
Age 35 to	54	!	519
Age 55 to	64		266
Age 65 an	d over		268
Medi	an Age	48.	1 years

## Educational Attainment, population 25 years and over

High school graduate or higher 89.1% Bachelor's degree or higher 25.2%

INCOME, INFLATION ADJUSTED \$	(ACS 2011-2015)
Per capita income	\$29,390
Median family income	\$72,917
Median household income	\$62,273

## Median Earnings, full-time, year-round workers, 16 years and over

Male \$50,719 Female \$31,875

Individuals below the poverty level 7.9%

LABOR FORCE		(NHES – ELMI)
Annual Average	2005	2015
Civilian labor force	956	987
Employed	929	951
Unemployed	27	36
Unemployment rate	2.8%	3.6%

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EMPLOYMENT & WAGES	(NH	ES – ELMI)
Annual Average Covered Employment	2005	2015
Goods Producing Industries		
Average Employment	n	n
Average Weekly Wage	n	n
Service Providing Industries		
Average Employment	n	n
Average Weekly Wage	n	n
Total Private Industry		
Average Employment	895	1,048
Average Weekly Wage	\$ 668	\$ 807
Government (Federal, State, and Local)		
Average Employment	32	43
Average Weekly Wage	\$ 446	\$ 566
Total, Private Industry plus Government		
Average Employment	928	1,091
Average Weekly Wage	\$ 660	\$ 797

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**EDUCATION AND CHILD CARE** 

Schools students attend: Grades K-12 are part of Contoocook Valley Cooperative (Antrim, Bennington, Dublin, District: SAU 1

Francestown, Greenfield, Hancock, Peterborough, Sharon, Temple)

Career Technology Center(s): Region 14 Applied Technology Center Region: 14

Educational Facilities (includes Charter Schools) Elementary Middle/Junior High High School Private/Parochial Number of Schools 1

Grade Levels PK 1-4 PK 1-12
Total Enrollment 95 101

Nearest Community College: Manchester

Nearest Colleges or Universities: Franklin Pierce University; Keene State; New England

2016 NH Licensed Child Care Facilities (DHHS-Bureau of Child Care Licensing)

Total Facilities: 2 Total Capacity: 193

LARGEST BUSINESSES	Product/Service	EMPLOYEES	ESTABLISHED
Crotched Mountain	Brain injury rehabilitation center	900	1953
Brantwood Camp	Summer camp	50	
Greenfield State Park	NH State Park	30	
Delays Harvester Market	Convenience store	15	
American Steel	Steel erection, fabrication		1981

### **Employer Information Supplied by Municipality**

Transportation (distances estimated from city/town hall)				
Road Access  Nearest Inters	US Routes State Routes cate, Exit Distance		31, 136 I-89, Exit 5 29 miles	
Railroad Public Transpo	rtation		No No	
Hawthorne-	Use Airport, General Feather, Antrim Yes		60 ft. asphalt No	
Nearest Airport with Scheduled Service  Manchester-Boston Regional Distance Number of Passenger Airlines Serving Airport 4				
Driving distand Manchester, Portland, Ma Boston, Mas New York Ci Montreal, Q	aine s. ty, NY		28 miles 124 miles 71 miles 239 miles 253 miles	

COMMUTING TO WORK	(ACS 2011-2015)
Workers 16 years and over	
Drove alone, car/truck/van	77.2%
Carpooled, car/truck/van	8.9%
Public transportation	0.0%
Walked	1.3%
Other means	0.8%
Worked at home	11.9%
Mean Travel Time to Work	31.5 minutes

### Percent of Working Residents: ACS 2011-2015

Working in community of residence	25.2
Commuting to another NH community	69.2
Commuting out-of-state	5.6

RECDEATION	ATTRACTIONS	AND EVENITE

X Municipal Parks YMCA/YWCA Boys Club/Girls Club Golf Courses

Swimming: Indoor Facility
 X Swimming: Outdoor Facility
 Tennis Courts: Indoor Facility
 X Tennis Courts: Outdoor Facility

Ice Skating Rink: Indoor Facility

Bowling Facilities
Museums
Cinemas

Performing Arts Facilities Tourist Attractions

X Youth Organizations (i.e., Scouts, 4-H)

 X Youth Sports: Baseball Youth Sports: Soccer
 X Youth Sports: Football Youth Sports: Basketball Youth Sports: Hockey

X Campgrounds

X Fishing/Hunting

**X** Boating/Marinas

X Snowmobile TrailsX Bicycle Trails

X Bicycle TrailsX Cross Country Skiing

X Beach or Waterfront Recreation Area

X Overnight or Day Camps

Nearest Ski Area(s): Pat's Peak, Crotched Mountain

Other: Two (2) Town Beaches; Greenfield State Park; Hiking