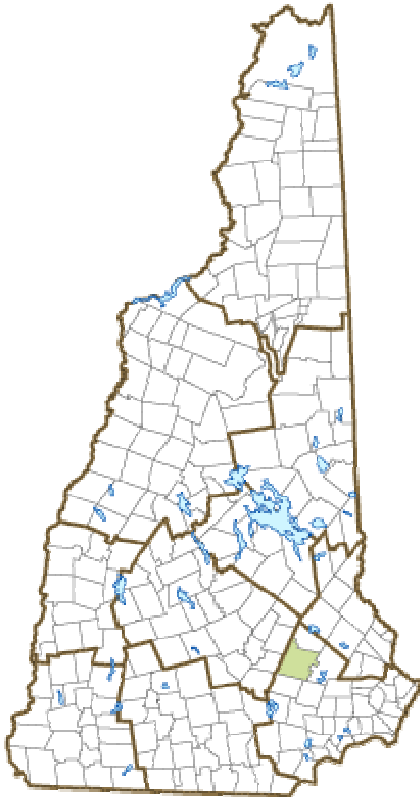


Deerfield, NH



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Municipal Office Hours

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County
 Labor Market Area
 Tourism Region
 Planning Commission
 Regional Development

Rockingham
Raymond, NH LMA
Merrimack Valley
Southern NH
Regional Economic Development Corp.

Election Districts

US Congress
 Executive Council
 State Senate
 State Representative

District 2
District 4
District 17
Rockingham County Districts 2, 32

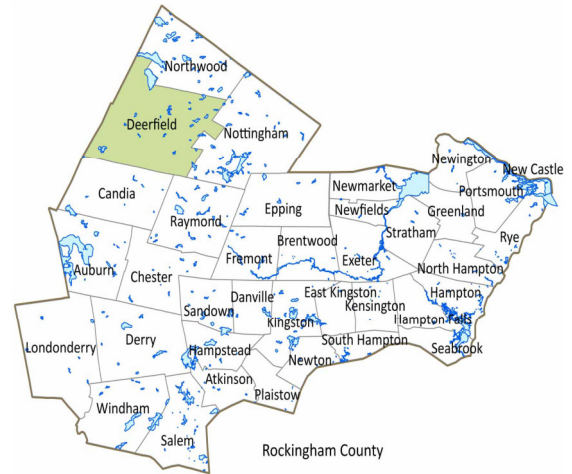
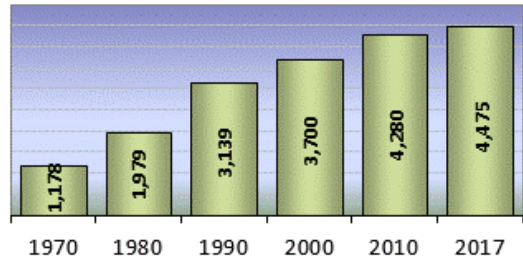
Incorporated: 1766

Origin: Originally a parish of Nottingham, Deerfield was incorporated as a separate town in 1766. It was probably named for Deerfield, Massachusetts, from where several early settlers had come to New Hampshire. An early resident was John Simpson, who achieved fame at the Battle of Bunker Hill by disobeying orders not to fire "until you see the whites of their eyes" and firing the first shot in the Revolution. Situated on the main road between Portsmouth and Concord, Deerfield was once a candidate for the state capitol. Deerfield has been home to the Deerfield Fair since 1876.

Villages and Place Names: Deerfield Center, Deerfield Parade, Leavitts Hill, South Deerfield, Mt. Delight

Population, Year of the First Census Taken: 1,619 residents in 1790

Population Trends: Population change for Deerfield totaled 3,761 over 57 years, from 714 in 1960 to 4,475 in 2017. The largest decennial percent change was a 68 percent increase between 1970 and 1980, which followed a 65 percent increase in the previous decade. The 2017 Census estimate for Deerfield was 4,475 residents, ranking 83rd among New Hampshire's incorporated cities and towns.



Population Density and Land Area, 2017 (US Census Bureau): 88.1 persons per square mile of land area. Deerfield contains 50.8 square miles of land area and 1.3 square miles of inland water area.

MUNICIPAL SERVICES

Type of Government	Town Meeting
Budget: Municipal Appropriations, 2018	\$4,751,659
Budget: School Appropriations, 2018-2019	\$13,542,614
Zoning Ordinance	1970/10
Master Plan	2009
Capital Improvement Plan	Yes
Industrial Plans Reviewed By	Planning Board

Boards and Commissions

Elected:	Selectmen; Planning; Treasurer; Trust Fund; Philbrick James Library Trustees; Water; Checklist; Budget
Appointed:	Emergency Mgmt; Animal Control Officer; Heritage; Veasey Park; Zoning; Conservation; Parks & Recreation; Cemetery; Energy; Forestry

Public Library **Philbrick-James****EMERGENCY SERVICES**

Police Department	Full-time	
Fire Department	Volunteer	
Emergency Medical Service	Volunteer	
Nearest Hospital(s)	Distance	Staffed Beds
Concord Hospital, Concord	23 miles	242
Elliot Hospital, Manchester	18 miles	258
Catholic Medical Center, Manchester	19 miles	258

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	
Curbside Trash Pickup	None
Pay-As-You-Throw Program	No
Recycling Program	Voluntary
Telephone Company	Consolidated Communications
Cellular Telephone Access	Yes
Cable Television Access	Yes
Public Access Television Station	Yes
High Speed Internet Service: Business	Limited
Residential	Limited

PROPERTY TAXES (NH Dept. of Revenue Administration)

2017 Total Tax Rate (per \$1000 of value)	\$23.30
2017 Equalization Ratio	87.4
2017 Full Value Tax Rate (per \$1000 of value)	\$21.23
2017 Percent of Local Assessed Valuation by Property Type	
Residential Land and Buildings	84.9%
Commercial Land and Buildings	3.0%
Public Utilities, Current Use, and Other	12.5%

HOUSING (ACS 2012-2016)

Total Housing Units	1,793
Single-Family Units, Detached or Attached	1,602
Units in Multiple-Family Structures:	
Two to Four Units in Structure	102
Five or More Units in Structure	22
Mobile Homes and Other Housing Units	67

POPULATION (1-YEAR ESTIMATES/DECENNIAL) (US Census Bureau)

Total Population	Community	County
2017	4,475	306,363
2010	4,280	295,223
2000	3,700	278,748
1990	3,139	246,744
1980	1,979	190,345
1970	1,178	138,951

DEMOGRAPHICS, AMERICAN COMMUNITY SURVEY (ACS) 2012-2016

Population by Gender		
Male	2,267	Female
		2,115

Population by Age Group

Under age 5	217
Age 5 to 19	880
Age 20 to 34	681
Age 35 to 54	1,366
Age 55 to 64	716
Age 65 and over	522
Median Age	44.3 years

Educational Attainment, population 25 years and over

High school graduate or higher	95.0%
Bachelor's degree or higher	38.9%

INCOME, INFLATION ADJUSTED \$ (ACS 2012-2016)

Per capita income	\$34,858
Median family income	\$91,386
Median household income	\$91,576

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

Male	\$61,278
Female	\$48,882

Individuals below the poverty level **4.0%****LABOR FORCE** (NHES - ELMi)

Annual Average	2007	2017
Civilian labor force	2,306	2,699
Employed	2,218	2,638
Unemployed	88	61
Unemployment rate	3.8%	2.3%

EMPLOYMENT & WAGES (NHES - ELMi)

Annual Average Covered Employment	2006	2016
Goods Producing Industries		
Average Employment	104	163
Average Weekly Wage	\$ 860	\$ 843
Service Providing Industries		
Average Employment	212	236
Average Weekly Wage	\$ 406	\$ 585
Total Private Industry		
Average Employment	316	400
Average Weekly Wage	\$ 555	\$ 690
Government (Federal, State, and Local)		
Average Employment	153	49
Average Weekly Wage	\$ 659	\$ 652
Total, Private Industry plus Government		
Average Employment	469	449
Average Weekly Wage	\$ 589	\$ 686

EDUCATION AND CHILD CARE

Schools students attend: **Deerfield operates grades K-8; grades 9-12 are tuitioned to Concord or Pembroke** District: **SAU 53**
 Career Technology Center(s): **Manchester School of Technology; Concord Regional Technical Center; Pinkerton Academy Center for CTE; Salem HS Career & Technical Ed Ctr** Region: **15 & 17**

Educational Facilities (includes Charter Schools)	Elementary	Middle/Junior High	High School	Private/Parochial
Number of Schools	1			1
Grade Levels	P K 1-8			9-12
Total Enrollment	515			21

Nearest Community College: **NHTI-Concord; Manchester**
 Nearest Colleges or Universities: **St. Anselm; Southern NH University; UNH-Manchester**

2017 NH Licensed Child Care Facilities (DHHS-Bureau of Child Care Licensing) Total Facilities: **1** Total Capacity: **24**

LARGEST BUSINESSES	PRODUCT/SERVICE	EMPLOYEES	ESTABLISHED
The Cordwainer Shop	Handmade custom shoes	4	1954

Employer Information Supplied by Municipality

TRANSPORTATION (distances estimated from city/town hall)

Road Access	US Routes	
	State Routes	43, 107
Nearest Interstate, Exit		I-93, Exit 7
	Distance	15 miles
Railroad		No
Public Transportation		No
Nearest Public Use Airport, General Aviation		
Manchester-Boston Regional	Runway	9,250 ft. asphalt
Lighted? Yes	Navigation Aids?	Yes
Nearest Airport with Scheduled Service		
Manchester-Boston Regional	Distance	22 miles
Number of Passenger Airlines Serving Airport		4
Driving distance to select cities:		
Manchester, NH		18 miles
Portland, Maine		82 miles
Boston, Mass.		66 miles
New York City, NY		265 miles
Montreal, Quebec		268 miles

COMMUTING TO WORK (ACS 2012-2016)

Workers 16 years and over	
Drove alone, car/truck/van	79.8%
Carpooled, car/truck/van	6.6%
Public transportation	0.0%
Walked	2.1%
Other means	5.4%
Worked at home	6.2%
Mean Travel Time to Work	33.6 minutes
Percent of Working Residents: ACS 2012-2016	
Working in community of residence	14.5
Commuting to another NH community	79.4
Commuting out-of-state	6.1

RECREATION, ATTRACTIONS, AND EVENTS

X	Municipal Parks
	YMCA/YWCA
	Boys Club/Girls Club
	Golf Courses
	Swimming: Indoor Facility
	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
X	Youth Sports: Soccer
	Youth Sports: Football
X	Youth Sports: Basketball
	Youth Sports: Hockey
	Campgrounds
X	Fishing/Hunting
X	Boating/Marinas
	Snowmobile Trails
X	Bicycle Trails
	Cross Country Skiing
	Beach or Waterfront Recreation Area
X	Overnight or Day Camps
	Nearest Ski Area(s): Pat's Peak
	Other: Youth Flag Football; Deerfield Fair