

Errol, NH



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Municipal Office Hours

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County
 Labor Market Area
 Tourism Region
 Planning Commission
 Regional Development

Coös
Colebrook, NH-VT LMA, NH part
Great North Woods
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 1

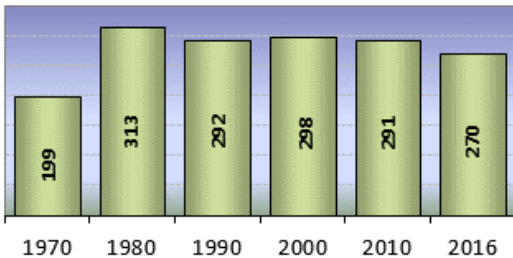
Incorporated: 1836

Origin: Errol was named for James Hay of Scotland, fifteenth Earl of Erroll, and owner of Linlithgow Castle, the birthplace of Mary, Queen of Scots, and King James V. The town was among the last chartered by the Wentworth governors, and many of those named in the charter were fellow Harvard graduates to John Wentworth. Though first chartered in 1774, Errol was not incorporated until 1836. Sitting on the northern end of Maine border, this sparsely populated town is a popular vacation site for snowmobilers. Errol includes half of Umbagog Lake, and has more inland water area than any town in Coos County.

Villages and Place Names: unknown

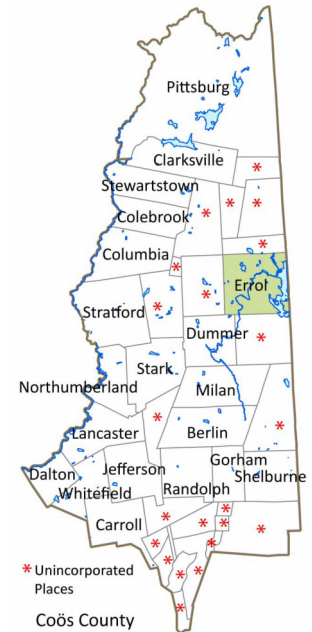
Population, Year of the First Census Taken: 38 residents in 1810

Population Trends: Population change for Errol totaled 50 over 56 years, from 220 in 1960 to 270 in 2016. The largest decennial percent change was 57 percent between 1970 and 1980. The 2016 Census estimate for Errol was 270 residents, which ranked 227th among New Hampshire's incorporated cities and towns, the eighth smallest community.



Population Density and Land Area, 2016

(US Census Bureau): 4.4 persons per square mile of land area, the sixth lowest among the cities and towns. Errol contains 60.8 square miles of land area and 8.6 square miles of inland water area.



MUNICIPAL SERVICES	
Type of Government	Selectmen
Budget: Municipal Appropriations, 2016	\$806,959
Budget: School Appropriations, 2016-2017	\$530,483
Zoning Ordinance	No Ordinance
Master Plan	1996
Capital Improvement Plan	No
Industrial Plans Reviewed By	

Boards and Commissions
 Elected: **Selectmen; Planning; Library; Trust Funds; Zoning**
 Appointed: **Conservation; Forest; Heritage**

Public Library **Errol Public**

EMERGENCY SERVICES			
Police Department		State Police	
Fire Department		Volunteer	
Emergency Medical Service		Volunteer	
Nearest Hospital(s)	Distance	Staffed Beds	
Upper Connecticut Valley, Colebrook	23 miles	12	
Androscoggin Valley, Berlin	28 miles	25	

UTILITIES			
Electric Supplier		Eversource Energy	
Natural Gas Supplier		None	
Water Supplier		Errol Water Works	
Sanitation		Private septic & municipal	
Municipal Wastewater Treatment Plant		No	
Solid Waste Disposal		None	
Curbside Trash Pickup		None	
Pay-As-You-Throw Program		No	
Recycling Program		Mandatory	
Telephone Company		Fairpoint	
Cellular Telephone Access		No	
Cable Television Access		No	
Public Access Television Station		No	
High Speed Internet Service:	Business	unknown	
	Residential	unknown	

PROPERTY TAXES		<i>(NH Dept. of Revenue Administration)</i>	
2016 Total Tax Rate (per \$1000 of value)	\$11.96		
2016 Equalization Ratio	91.5		
2016 Full Value Tax Rate (per \$1000 of value)	\$11.41		
2016 Percent of Local Assessed Valuation by Property Type			
Residential Land and Buildings	78.9%		
Commercial Land and Buildings	6.2%		
Public Utilities, Current Use, and Other	14.9%		

HOUSING		<i>(ACS 2012-2016)</i>	
Total Housing Units	466		
Single-Family Units, Detached or Attached	374		
Units in Multiple-Family Structures:			
Two to Four Units in Structure	16		
Five or More Units in Structure	0		
Mobile Homes and Other Housing Units	76		

POPULATION (1-YEAR ESTIMATES/DECENNIAL)			<i>(US Census Bureau)</i>
Total Population	Community	County	
2016	270	32,039	
2010	291	33,055	
2000	298	33,156	
1990	292	34,879	
1980	313	35,014	
1970	199	34,189	

DEMOGRAPHICS, AMERICAN COMMUNITY SURVEY				<i>(ACS) 2012-2016</i>
Population by Gender				
Male	145	Female	124	
Population by Age Group				
Under age 5			3	
Age 5 to 19			21	
Age 20 to 34			23	
Age 35 to 54			82	
Age 55 to 64			47	
Age 65 and over			93	
Median Age			56.4 years	
Educational Attainment, population 25 years and over				
High school graduate or higher				91.0%
Bachelor's degree or higher				20.1%

INCOME, INFLATION ADJUSTED \$		<i>(ACS 2012-2016)</i>	
Per capita income			\$34,288
Median family income			\$59,375
Median household income			\$34,773
Median Earnings, full-time, year-round workers, 16 years and over			
Male			\$52,083
Female			\$31,875
Individuals below the poverty level			14.1%

LABOR FORCE				<i>(NHES – ELMII)</i>	
Annual Average		2006		2016	
Civilian labor force	166			164	
Employed	156			154	
Unemployed	10			10	
Unemployment rate	6.0%			6.1%	

EMPLOYMENT & WAGES				<i>(NHES – ELMII)</i>	
Annual Average Covered Employment		2006		2016	
Goods Producing Industries					
Average Employment	34			n	
Average Weekly Wage	\$ 673			n	
Service Providing Industries					
Average Employment	70			n	
Average Weekly Wage	\$ 533			n	
Total Private Industry					
Average Employment	105			106	
Average Weekly Wage	\$ 579			\$ 703	
Government (Federal, State, and Local)					
Average Employment	36			29	
Average Weekly Wage	\$ 503			\$ 729	
Total, Private Industry plus Government					
Average Employment	141			134	
Average Weekly Wage	\$ 560			\$ 708	

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

EDUCATION AND CHILD CARE

Schools students attend:	Errol operates grades K-8; grades 9-12 are tuitioned to Berlin				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	1				
Grade Levels	K 1-8				
Total Enrollment	13				

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

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

LARGEST BUSINESSES	PRODUCT/SERVICE	EMPLOYEES	ESTABLISHED
J M L Trucking & Excavating	Construction & excavating	36	2003
L.L. Cote	Convenience store, subway, sporting goods, hardware, & snowmobile retailer	31	1997
Northern Exposure Restaurant	Restaurant	7	2004
Eame's Garage	Auto repair	4	1937
Great North Woods	Convenience store, gas	4	2002
Errol General Store	Convenience store	4	1884
B Hall & Sons	Logging	3	1956
R Sweatt & Sons	Trucking	3	
P & L Oil	Fuel delivery	2	1982

Employer Information Supplied by Municipality

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

Road Access	US Routes	
	State Routes	16, 26
Nearest Interstate, Exit	I-91 (VT), Exit 28; I-93, Exit 35	
Distance	71 miles; 74 miles	
Railroad		No
Public Transportation		No
Nearest Public Use Airport, General Aviation		
Errol Airport	Runway	3,680 ft. gravel
Lighted? No	Navigation Aids?	No
Nearest Airport with Scheduled Service		
Portland (ME) International	Distance	107 miles
Number of Passenger Airlines Serving Airport		6
Driving distance to select cities:		
Manchester, NH		161 miles
Portland, Maine		111 miles
Boston, Mass.		211 miles
New York City, NY		394 miles
Montreal, Quebec		151 miles

COMMUTING TO WORK (*ACS 2012-2016*)

Workers 16 years and over	
Drove alone, car/truck/van	73.3%
Carpooled, car/truck/van	10.0%
Public transportation	0.0%
Walked	0.0%
Other means	3.3%
Worked at home	13.3%
Mean Travel Time to Work	21.2 minutes
Percent of Working Residents: ACS 2012-2016	
Working in community of residence	667.0
Commuting to another NH community	27.5
Commuting out-of-state	5.8

RECREATION, ATTRACTIONS, AND EVENTS

	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
X	Tourist Attractions
X	Youth Organizations (i.e., Scouts, 4-H)
	Youth Sports: Baseball
	Youth Sports: Soccer
	Youth Sports: Football
	Youth Sports: Basketball
	Youth Sports: Hockey
X	Campgrounds
X	Fishing/Hunting
X	Boating/Marinas
X	Snowmobile Trails
	Bicycle Trails
X	Cross Country Skiing
X	Beach or Waterfront Recreation Area
X	Overnight or Day Camps
	Nearest Ski Area(s): Sunday River
	Other: Androscoggin River; Lake Umbagog; ATV Trails; Snowmobile Trails