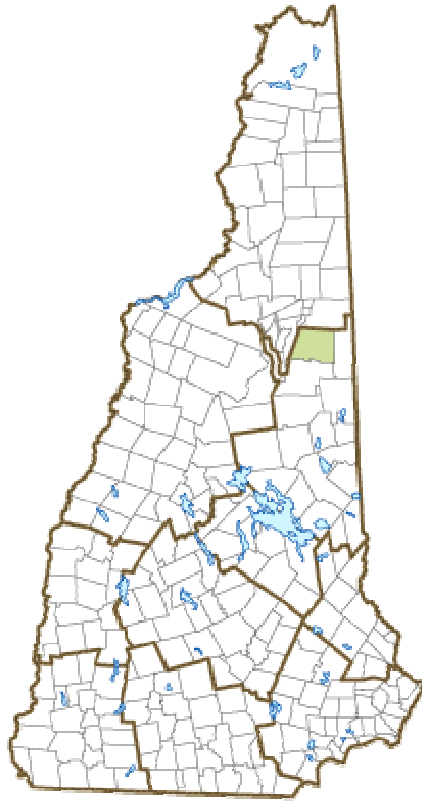


# Jackson, NH



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## Municipal Office Hours

**Selectmen: Monday through Thursday, 8 am - 3 pm, Friday, 8 am - 12 noon; Town Clerk, Tax Collector: Monday, Wednesday, Thursday, 8 am - 3 pm, Tuesday, 8 am - 5 pm, Friday, 8 am - 12 noon**

County  
 Labor Market Area  
 Tourism Region  
 Planning Commission  
 Regional Development

**Carroll**  
**Conway, NH-ME LMA, NH part**  
**White Mountains**  
**North Country Council**  
**Mount Washington Valley Economic Council**

## Election Districts

US Congress  
 Executive Council  
 State Senate  
 State Representative

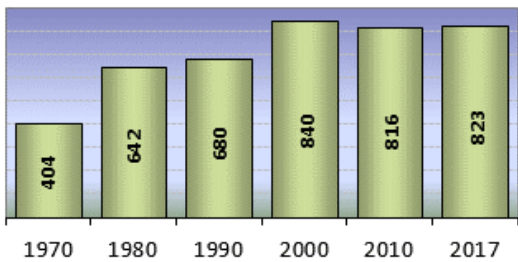
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**District 3**  
**Carroll County Districts 1, 7**

**Incorporated:** 1800

**Origin:** Once consisting of several large land grants given by Governor John Wentworth, the town was first named New Madbury, after the seacoast town. In 1800, the town was incorporated as Adams, in honor of President John Adams, who was then in office. The name Adams stuck until 1829, when General Andrew Jackson was inaugurated as President. Governor Benjamin Pierce, a staunch backer of President Jackson, was influential in changing the name of the town to Jackson. Jackson is the location of the Honeymoon Bridge, a scenic covered bridge built in 1876 that is popular with newlyweds for wedding photographs.

**Villages and Place Names:** Black Mountain Cabin, Ducks Head, Dundee, Jackson Falls, Panno Place

**Population, Year of the First Census Taken:** 180 residents in 1800



**Population Trends:** Population change for Jackson totaled 508 over 57 years, from 315 in 1960 to 823 in 2017. The largest decennial percent change was a 59 percent increase between 1970 and 1980. The 2017 Census estimate for Jackson was 823 residents, which ranked 193rd among New Hampshire's incorporated cities and towns.

**Population Density and Land Area, 2017 (US Census Bureau):** 12.3 persons per square mile of land area. Jackson contains 66.8 square miles of land area and 0 square miles of inland water area.



<b>MUNICIPAL SERVICES</b>	
Type of Government	<b>Selectmen</b>
Budget: Municipal Appropriations, 2018	<b>\$2,801,295</b>
Budget: School Appropriations, 2017-2018	<b>\$2,568,116</b>
Zoning Ordinance	<b>1971/17</b>
Master Plan	<b>2017</b>
Capital Improvement Plan	<b>Yes</b>
Industrial Plans Reviewed By	<b>Planning Board</b>

#### Boards and Commissions

Elected: **Selectmen; Library; Checklist; Trust Funds; Cemetery**  
 Appointed: **Planning; Zoning; Conservation**

Public Library **Jackson Public**

#### **EMERGENCY SERVICES**

Police Department **Full-time**  
 Fire Department **Volunteer**  
 Emergency Medical Service **Volunteer**

Nearest Hospital(s)	Distance	Staffed Beds
<b>Memorial Hospital, North Conway</b>	<b>7 miles</b>	<b>25</b>

#### **UTILITIES**

Electric Supplier **NH Electric Coop**  
 Natural Gas Supplier **None**  
 Water Supplier **Jackson Water Precinct**

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 **Time Warner**  
 Cellular Telephone Access **Yes**  
 Cable Television Access **Yes**  
 Public Access Television Station **Yes**  
 High Speed Internet Service: Business **Yes**  
   Residential **Yes**

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

2017 Total Tax Rate (per \$1000 of value) **\$11.88**  
 2017 Equalization Ratio **95.7**  
 2017 Full Value Tax Rate (per \$1000 of value) **\$11.33**

2017 Percent of Local Assessed Valuation by Property Type

Residential Land and Buildings	<b>90.0%</b>
Commercial Land and Buildings	<b>9.5%</b>
Public Utilities, Current Use, and Other	<b>0.6%</b>

#### **HOUSING** (ACS 2012-2016)

Total Housing Units **990**

Single-Family Units, Detached or Attached	<b>850</b>
Units in Multiple-Family Structures:	
Two to Four Units in Structure	<b>122</b>
Five or More Units in Structure	<b>13</b>
Mobile Homes and Other Housing Units	<b>5</b>

<b>POPULATION (1-YEAR ESTIMATES/DECENNIAL)</b>		(US Census Bureau)
Total Population	Community	County
2017	<b>823</b>	<b>48,064</b>
2010	<b>816</b>	<b>47,818</b>
2000	<b>840</b>	<b>43,918</b>
1990	<b>680</b>	<b>35,526</b>
1980	<b>642</b>	<b>27,929</b>
1970	<b>404</b>	<b>18,548</b>

#### **DEMOGRAPHICS, AMERICAN COMMUNITY SURVEY** (ACS) 2012-2016

Population by Gender

Male	<b>526</b>	Female	<b>556</b>
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#### Population by Age Group

Under age 5	<b>67</b>
Age 5 to 19	<b>120</b>
Age 20 to 34	<b>142</b>
Age 35 to 54	<b>237</b>
Age 55 to 64	<b>197</b>
Age 65 and over	<b>319</b>
Median Age	<b>52.8 years</b>

#### Educational Attainment, population 25 years and over

High school graduate or higher	<b>99.1%</b>
Bachelor's degree or higher	<b>58.2%</b>

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

Per capita income	<b>\$38,484</b>
Median family income	<b>\$78,333</b>
Median household income	<b>\$79,306</b>

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

Male	<b>\$57,750</b>
Female	<b>\$39,531</b>

Individuals below the poverty level **11.7%**

#### **LABOR FORCE** (NHES – ELMi)

	2007	2017
Annual Average		
Civilian labor force	<b>470</b>	<b>355</b>
Employed	<b>459</b>	<b>346</b>
Unemployed	<b>11</b>	<b>9</b>
Unemployment rate	<b>2.3%</b>	<b>2.5%</b>

#### **EMPLOYMENT & WAGES** (NHES – ELMi)

	2006	2016
Annual Average Covered Employment		
Goods Producing Industries		
Average Employment	<b>14</b>	<b>6</b>
Average Weekly Wage	<b>\$ 722</b>	<b>\$ 795</b>
Service Providing Industries		
Average Employment	<b>499</b>	<b>449</b>
Average Weekly Wage	<b>\$ 456</b>	<b>\$ 727</b>
Total Private Industry		
Average Employment	<b>513</b>	<b>454</b>
Average Weekly Wage	<b>\$ 463</b>	<b>\$ 727</b>
Government (Federal, State, and Local)		
Average Employment	<b>38</b>	<b>43</b>
Average Weekly Wage	<b>\$ 459</b>	<b>\$ 632</b>
Total, Private Industry plus Government		
Average Employment	<b>551</b>	<b>497</b>
Average Weekly Wage	<b>\$ 463</b>	<b>\$ 719</b>

**EDUCATION AND CHILD CARE**

Schools students attend: **Jackson operates grades K-6; grades 7-8 are tuitioned to Bartlett; grades 9-12 are tuitioned to Conway** District: **SAU 9**

Career Technology Center(s): **Mt. Washington Valley CTC (Conway)** Region: **6**

Educational Facilities (includes Charter Schools)	Elementary	Middle/Junior High	High School	Private/Parochial
Number of Schools	1			
Grade Levels	K 1-6			
Total Enrollment	40			

Nearest Community College: **White Mountains**

Nearest Colleges or Universities: **Granite State College-Conway**

2017 NH Licensed Child Care Facilities (DHHS-Bureau of Child Care Licensing) Total Facilities: 0 Total Capacity: 0

LARGEST BUSINESSES	PRODUCT/SERVICE	EMPLOYEES	ESTABLISHED
Black Mountain Ski Area	Alpine skiing		
Christmas Farm Inn	Inn		
Eagle Mountain House	Inn, convention center		
Jackson Ski Touring Foundation	Cross country skiing, tours		
Red Fox	Restaurant, pub		
Shannon Door Pub	Restaurant, pub		
The Inn at Thorn Hill	Inn		
Wentworth Inn	Inn		
Wildcat Inn & Tavern	Inn, restaurant		

Employer Information Supplied by Municipality

TRANSPORTATION (distances estimated from city/town hall)			
Road Access	US Routes		
	State Routes	<b>16, 16A, 16B</b>	
Nearest Interstate, Exit		<b>I-93, Exit 35 or 23</b>	
	Distance	<b>42 miles; 62 miles</b>	
Railroad		<b>No</b>	
Public Transportation		<b>No</b>	
Nearest Public Use Airport, General Aviation			
<b>Gorham Airport</b>	Runway	<b>2,800 ft. turf</b>	
Lighted?	<b>No</b>	Navigation Aids?	<b>No</b>
Nearest Airport with Scheduled Service			
<b>Portland (ME) International</b>	Distance	<b>70 miles</b>	
Number of Passenger Airlines Serving Airport		<b>6</b>	
Driving distance to select cities:			
Manchester, NH		<b>109 miles</b>	
Portland, Maine		<b>72 miles</b>	
Boston, Mass.		<b>146 miles</b>	
New York City, NY		<b>357 miles</b>	
Montreal, Quebec		<b>213 miles</b>	

RECREATION, ATTRACTIONS, AND EVENTS	
X	Municipal Parks
	YMCA/YWCA
	Boys Club/Girls Club
X	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
	Youth Organizations (i.e., Scouts, 4-H)
X	Youth Sports: Baseball
X	Youth Sports: Soccer
	Youth Sports: Football
	Youth Sports: Basketball
	Youth Sports: Hockey
	Campgrounds
X	Fishing/Hunting
	Boating/Marinas
	Snowmobile Trails
X	Bicycle Trails
X	Cross Country Skiing
	Beach or Waterfront Recreation Area
	Overnight or Day Camps
	Nearest Ski Area(s): <b>Wildcat, Mount Cranmore, Black Mountain, Attitash</b>
	Other: <b>Snow Shoeing</b>

COMMUTING TO WORK (ACS 2012-2016)	
Workers 16 years and over	
Drove alone, car/truck/van	<b>75.8%</b>
Carpooled, car/truck/van	<b>7.0%</b>
Public transportation	<b>0.0%</b>
Walked	<b>1.3%</b>
Other means	<b>0.0%</b>
Worked at home	<b>15.9%</b>
Mean Travel Time to Work	<b>18.4 minutes</b>
<b>Percent of Working Residents: ACS 2012-2016</b>	
Working in community of residence	<b>33.3</b>
Commuting to another NH community	<b>62.7</b>
Commuting out-of-state	<b>4.0</b>