

Lisbon, NH



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County	Grafton
Labor Market Area	Littleton, NH-VT LMA, NH part
Tourism Region	White Mountains
Planning Commission	North Country Council
Regional Development	Grafton County Economic Development Council
Election Districts	
US Congress	District 2
Executive Council	District 1
State Senate	District 1
State Representative	Grafton County Districts 2, 14

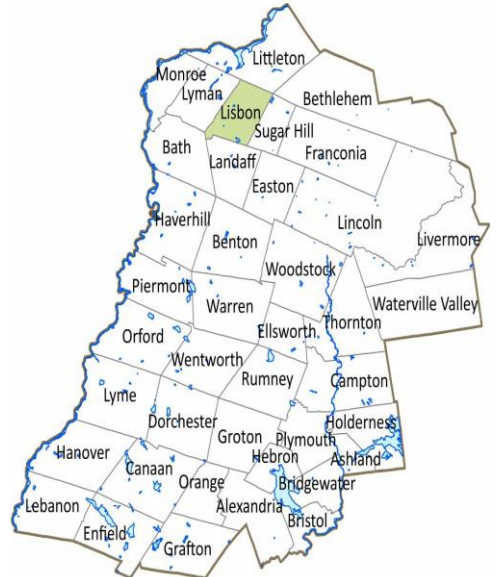
Incorporated: 1763

Origin: This territory was chartered three different times between 1760 and 1770. The first grant in 1763 was named Concord. In 1764 largely the same territory was granted as Chiswick, named after the Duke of Devonshire's castle. In 1768, a third charter was issued, naming the town Gunthwaite after a relation of Governor John Wentworth. Portions of Littleton, Dalton, and Sugar Hill were all included in the 1768 grant. The name Lisbon, approved by voters at the 1824 town meeting, was selected by Governor Levi Woodbury, whose friend Colonel William Jarvis had been consul at Lisbon, Portugal.

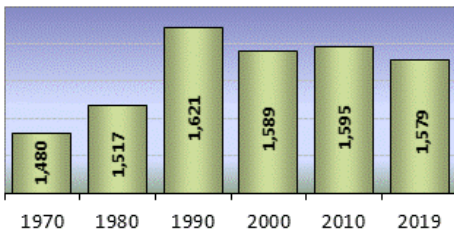
Villages and Place Names: Barrett, Savageville

Population, Year of the First Census Taken: 313 residents in 1790

Population Trends: Population change for Lisbon totaled 99 over 49 years, from 1,480 in 1970 to 1,579 in 2019. The largest positive percent change was seven percent between 1980 and 1990. The 2019 Census estimate for Lisbon was 1,579 residents, which ranked 160th among New Hampshire's incorporated cities and towns.



Grafton County



Population Density and Land Area, 2019 (US Census Bureau): 59.6 persons per square mile of land area, which tied with Tuftonboro. Lisbon contains 26.5 square miles of land area and 0.2 square miles of inland water area.

MUNICIPAL SERVICES	
Type of Government	Selectmen
Budget: Municipal Appropriations, 2020	\$3,013,613
Budget: School Appropriations, 2017-2018	\$2,064,043
Zoning Ordinance	1972/02
Master Plan	2005
Capital Improvement Plan	Yes
Industrial Plans Reviewed By	Planning Board

Boards and Commissions	
Elected:	Selectmen; Trust Funds; Library; Town Clerk/Tax Collector; Treasurer
Appointed:	Planning; Conservation; Zoning
Public Library	Lisbon Public

EMERGENCY SERVICES		
Police Department		Full-time
Fire Department		Volunteer
Emergency Medical Service		Volunteer
Nearest Hospital(s)	Distance	Staffed Beds
Littleton Regional, Littleton	11 miles	25

UTILITIES		
Electric Supplier	Eversource Energy; NH Electric Coop; Littleton	
Natural Gas Supplier	None	
Water Supplier	Lisbon Water Department	
Sanitation	Municipal	
Municipal Wastewater Treatment Plant	Yes	
Solid Waste Disposal	None	
Curbside Trash Pickup	None	
Pay-As-You-Throw Program	Yes	
Recycling Program	Voluntary	
Telephone Company	Fairpoint	
Cellular Telephone Access	Limited	
Cable Television Access	Yes	
Public Access Television Station	No	
High Speed Internet Service:	Business	Yes
	Residential	Yes

PROPERTY TAXES (NH Dept. of Revenue Administration)	
2019 Total Tax Rate (per \$1000 of value)	\$30.67
2019 Equalization Ratio	98.1
2019 Full Value Tax Rate (per \$1000 of value)	\$29.92
2019 Percent of Local Assessed Valuation by Property Type	
Residential Land and Buildings	73.8%
Commercial Land and Buildings	22.0%
Public Utilities, Current Use, and Other	4.1%

HOUSING (ACS 2015-2019)	
Total Housing Units	823
Single-Family Units, Detached or Attached	521
Units in Multiple-Family Structures:	
Two to Four Units in Structure	144
Five or More Units in Structure	68
Mobile Homes and Other Housing Units	90

POPULATION (1-YEAR ESTIMATES/DECENNIAL)		(US Census Bureau)	
Total Population	Community	County	
2019	1,579	89,886	
2010	1,595	89,118	
2000	1,589	81,826	
1990	1,621	74,998	
1980	1,517	65,806	
1970	1,480	54,914	

DEMOGRAPHICS AMERICAN COMMUNITY SURVEY (ACS) 2015-2019			
Population by Gender			
Male	859	Female	893
Population by Age Group			
Under age 5			67
Age 5 to 19			313
Age 20 to 34			351
Age 35 to 54			458
Age 55 to 64			281
Age 65 and over			282
Median Age			41.8 years
Educational Attainment, population 25 years and over			
High school graduate or higher			90.0%
Bachelor's degree or higher			20.9%

INCOME, INFLATION ADJUSTED \$		(ACS 2015-2019)	
Per capita income			\$28,850
Median family income			\$61,354
Median household income			\$57,617
Median Earnings, full-time, year-round workers			
Male			\$38,542
Female			\$41,012
Individuals below the poverty level			13.2%

LABOR FORCE (NHES – ELMII)		
Annual Average	2009	2019
Civilian labor force	896	861
Employed	830	843
Unemployed	66	18
Unemployment rate	7.4%	2.1%

EMPLOYMENT & WAGES (NHES – ELMII)		
Annual Average Covered Employment	2009	2019
Goods Producing Industries		
Average Employment	439	559
Average Weekly Wage	\$ 718	\$ 953
Service Providing Industries		
Average Employment	138	166
Average Weekly Wage	\$ 741	\$ 630
Total Private Industry		
Average Employment	578	725
Average Weekly Wage	\$ 724	\$ 879
Government (Federal, State, and Local)		
Average Employment	106	125
Average Weekly Wage	\$ 742	\$ 740
Total, Private Industry plus Government		
Average Employment	684	850
Average Weekly Wage	\$ 727	\$ 859

EDUCATION AND CHILD CARE

Schools students attend: **Grades K-12 are part of Lisbon Regional (Lisbon, Lyman)** District: **SAU 35**
 Career Technology Center(s): **Hugh J. Gallen Career & Technical Center; White Mountains RHS** Region: **3**

Educational Facilities (includes Charter Schools)	Elementary	Middle/Junior High	High School	Private/Parochial
Number of Schools	1	1	1	
Grade Levels	K 1-6	7-8	9-12	
Total Enrollment	184	50	117	

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

2020 NH Licensed Child Care Facilities (DHHS-Bureau of Child Care Licensing) Total Facilities: **1** Total Capacity: **25**

LARGEST BUSINESSES	PRODUCT/SERVICE	EMPLOYEES	ESTABLISHED
NE Wire Technologies Corp.	Specialty wire products	400	1898
DCI	Furniture makers	200	1980
White Mt Footwesr Group	Administration	10	
Lisbon Regional School	Education		

Employer Information Supplied by Municipality

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

Road Access	US Routes	302
	State Routes	10, 117
Nearest Interstate, Exit	I-91 (VT), Exit 17	
	Distance	12 miles
Railroad	Boston & Maine	
Public Transportation	No	
Nearest Public Use Airport, General Aviation		
Franconia Airport	Runway	2,305 ft. turf
Lighted?	No	Navigation Aids? No
Nearest Airport with Scheduled Service		
Lebanon Municipal	Distance	56 miles
Number of Passenger Airlines Serving Airport		1
Driving distance to select cities:		
Manchester, NH		107 miles
Portland, Maine		122 miles
Boston, Mass.		157 miles
New York City, NY		318 miles
Montreal, Quebec		176 miles

COMMUTING TO WORK (*ACS 2015-2019*)

Workers 16 years and over	
Drove alone, car/truck/van	76.1%
Carpooled, car/truck/van	10.6%
Public transportation	0.0%
Walked	6.5%
Other means	6.8%
Worked at home	4.0%
Mean Travel Time to Work	25.4 minutes

Percent of Working Residents: ACS 2015-2019

Working in community of residence	26.5
Commuting to another NH community	69.5
Commuting out-of-state	4.0

RECREATION, ATTRACTIONS, AND EVENTS

	Municipal Parks
	YMCA/YWCA
X	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
	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
X	Campgrounds
X	Fishing/Hunting
	Boating/Marinas
X	Snowmobile Trails
X	Bicycle Trails
X	Cross Country Skiing
	Beach or Waterfront Recreation Area
X	Overnight or Day Camps
	Nearest Ski Area(s): Cannon Mountain
	Other: