Roxbury, NH

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Municipal Office Hours	**Monday, 5 pm - 7 pm**
County	**Cheshire**
Labor Market Area	**Keene, NH Micropolitan NECTA**
Tourism Region	**Monadnock**
Planning Commission	**Southwest Region**
Regional Development	**Monadnock Economic Development Corp.**
Election Districts	
US Congress	**District 2**
Executive Council	**District 2**
State Senate	**District 10**
State Representative	**Cheshire County Districts 9, 14**

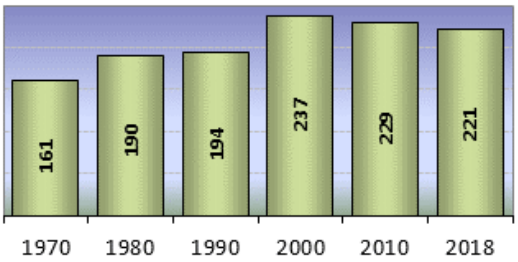
Incorporated: 1812

Origin: This territory was once a part of Monadnock Number 5 (Marlborough), one of the settlements reserved for soldiers of the French wars. In 1796, settlers in the southwest portion of Packersfield (Nelson), the northern portion of Marlborough, and the northwest portion of Dublin, who felt their homes were too far from the meetinghouses of their respective towns, petitioned for an incorporated town of their own. The 1796 petition failed, but petitioners were successful on their second try in 1812. The new town was named Roxbury after their old village, now part of Boston.

Villages and Place Names: Roxbury Center

Population, Year of the First Census Taken: 366 residents in 1820

Population Trends: Population change for Roxbury totaled 84 over 58 years, from 137 in 1960 to 221 in 2018. The largest decennial percent change was an increase of 22 percent between 1990 and 2000, a numeric change of 43. The 2018 Census estimate for Roxbury was 221 residents, which ranked 232nd among New Hampshire's incorporated cities and towns, the third smallest community.



Population Density and Land Area, 2018 *(US Census Bureau)***:** 18.5 persons per square mile of land area. Roxbury contains 12.0 square miles of land area and 0.3square miles of inland water area.

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Municipal Services

Type of Government	**Selectmen**
Budget: Municipal Appropriations, 2019	**$311,785**
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Zoning Ordinance	**1972/08**
Master Plan	**1982**
Capital Improvement Plan	**Yes**
Industrial Plans Reviewed By	**Planning Board**

Boards and Commissions

Elected: **Selectmen; Planning; Zoning; Treasurer; Trust Funds; Sexton**

Appointed:

Public Library **No Library**

Emergency Services

Police Department	**Part-time**
Fire Department	**Part-time & volunteer**
Emergency Medical Service	**Keene - Municipal**

Nearest Hospital(s)	Distance	Staffed Beds
Cheshire Medical Center, Keene	**4 miles**	**98**

Utilities

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

Property Taxes *(NH Dept. of Revenue Administration)*

2018 Total Tax Rate (per $1000 of value)	**$25.16**
2018 Equalization Ratio	**98.0**
2018 Full Value Tax Rate (per $1000 of value)	**$21.72**

2018 Percent of Local Assessed Valuation by Property Type

Residential Land and Buildings	**90.9%**
Commercial Land and Buildings	**4.5%**
Public Utilities, Current Use, and Other	**4.7%**

Housing *(ACS 2014-2018)*

Total Housing Units	**92**
Single-Family Units, Detached or Attached	**89**
Units in Multiple-Family Structures:	
Two to Four Units in Structure	**1**
Five or More Units in Structure	**0**
Mobile Homes and Other Housing Units	**2**

Population (1-Year Estimates/Decennial) *(US Census Bureau)*

Total Population	Community	County
2018	**221**	**76,493**
2010	**229**	**77,117**
2000	**237**	**73,993**
1990	**194**	**70,223**
1980	**190**	**62,116**
1970	**161**	**52,364**

Demographics — American Community Survey *(ACS) 2014-2018*

Population by Gender

Male	**101**	Female	**93**

Population by Age Group

Under age 5	**16**
Age 5 to 19	**16**
Age 20 to 34	**32**
Age 35 to 54	**59**
Age 55 to 64	**41**
Age 65 and over	**30**
Median Age	**46.4 years**

Educational Attainment, population 25 years and over

High school graduate or higher	**96.6%**
Bachelor's degree or higher	**33.6%**

Income, Inflation Adjusted $ *(ACS 2014-2018)*

Per capita income	**$46,612**
Median family income	**$93,125**
Median household income	**$86,667**

Median Earnings, full-time, year-round workers

Male	**$53,125**
Female	**$62,500**

Individuals below the poverty level	**2.6%**

Labor Force *(NHES – ELMI)*

Annual Average	2008	2018
Civilian labor force	**149**	**133**
Employed	**145**	**131**
Unemployed	**4**	**2**
Unemployment rate	**2.7%**	**1.5%**

Employment & Wages *(NHES – ELMI)*

Annual Average Covered Employment	2008	2018
Goods Producing Industries		
Average Employment	**n**	**0**
Average Weekly Wage	**n**	**$0**
Service Providing Industries		
Average Employment	**n**	**n**
Average Weekly Wage	**n**	**n**
Total Private Industry		
Average Employment	**44**	**n**
Average Weekly Wage	**$ 352**	**n**
Government (Federal, State, and Local)		
Average Employment	**4**	**4**
Average Weekly Wage	**$ 117**	**$ 187**
Total, Private Industry plus Government		
Average Employment	**48**	**n**
Average Weekly Wage	**$ 331**	**n**

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

Education and Child Care

Schools students attend: **Grades K-12 are part of Monadnock Regional (Fitzwilliam, Gilsum, Richmond, Roxbury, Swanzey, Troy)** District: **SAU 93**

Career Technology Center(s): **Cheshire Career Center (Keene); Fall Mountain RHS - CTE** Region: **13**

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

Nearest Community College: **River Valley**

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

2020 NH Licensed Child Care Facilities (DHHS-Bureau of Child Care Licensing) Total Facilities: **0** Total Capacity: **0**

Largest Businesses	Product/Service	Employees	Established
Not Available			

Employer Information Supplied by Municipality

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

Road Access	US Routes	
	State Routes	**9**
Nearest Interstate, Exit		**I-91 (VT), Exit 3**
	Distance	**19 miles**
Railroad		**No**
Public Transportation		**No**

Nearest Public Use Airport, General Aviation

Dillant-Hopkins, Swanzey Runway **6,201 ft. asphalt**

Lighted? **Yes** Navigation Aids? **Yes**

Nearest Airport with Scheduled Service

Manchester-Boston Regional Distance **56 miles**

Number of Passenger Airlines Serving Airport **4**

Driving distance to select cities:

Manchester, NH	**65 miles**
Portland, Maine	**157 miles**
Boston, Mass.	**91 miles**
New York City, NY	**226 miles**
Montreal, Quebec	**246 miles**

Commuting to Work *(ACS 2014-2018)*

Workers 16 years and over	
Drove alone, car/truck/van	**92.9%**
Carpooled, car/truck/van	**1.8%**
Public transportation	**0.0%**
Walked	**1.8%**
Other means	**3.6%**
Worked at home	**2.7%**
Mean Travel Time to Work	**18.3 minutes**

Percent of Working Residents: ACS 2014-2018

Working in community of residence	**6.2**
Commuting to another NH community	**88.5**
Commuting out-of-state	**5.3**

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
	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)
	Youth Sports: Baseball
	Youth Sports: Soccer
	Youth Sports: Football
X	Youth Sports: Basketball
	Youth Sports: Hockey
	Campgrounds
	Fishing/Hunting
	Boating/Marinas
X	Snowmobile Trails
X	Bicycle Trails
X	Cross Country Skiing
X	Beach or Waterfront Recreation Area
	Overnight or Day Camps

Nearest Ski Area(s): **Granite Gorge**

Other: **Hiking; Otter Brook Dam**