

Shelburne, NH



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County	Coös
Labor Market Area	Berlin, NH Micropolitan NECTA
Tourism Region	White Mountains
Planning Commission	North Country Council
Regional Development	Coös Economic Development Corp.
Election Districts	
US Congress	District 2
Executive Council	District 1
State Senate	District 1
State Representative	Coös County District 6

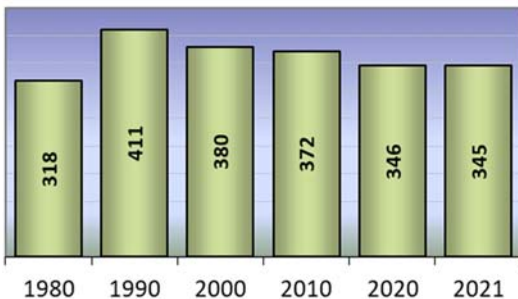
Incorporated: 1820

Origin: This territory was first chartered in 1769 and named for William Petty Fitzmaurice, Earl of Shelburne. Lord Shelburne was a supporter of independence for the American colonies, and at his insistence, the king recognized the independence of the United States. The first survey of the grant found much of the land covered with water and mountains. In 1770, the seven grantees petitioned for additional property, and were given another 40 thousand acres, known as Shelburne Addition. The town was incorporated in 1820 when Shelburne voters chose to keep the name. Shelburne Addition was separated and incorporated as Gorham in 1836.

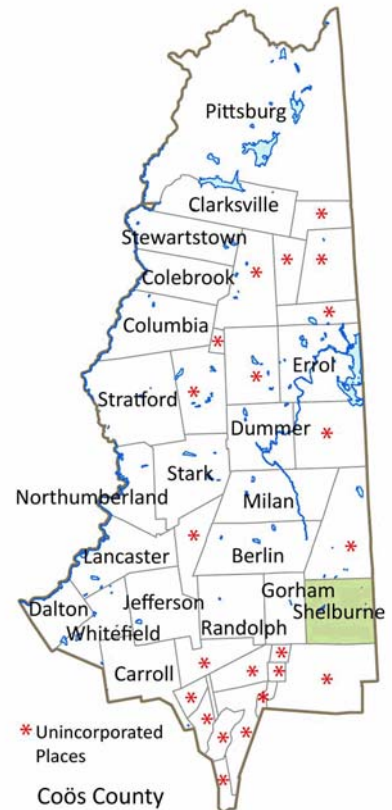
Villages and Place Names: unknown

Population, Year of the First Census Taken: 35 residents in 1790

Population Trends: Population change for Shelburne totaled 27 over 41 years, from 318 in 1980 to 345 in 2021. The largest decennial percent change was a 29 percent increase between 1980 and 1990. The 2021 Census estimate for Shelburne was 345 residents, which ranked 223rd among New Hampshire's incorporated cities and towns.



Population Density and Land Area, 2021 (US Census Bureau): 7.2 persons per square mile of land area, the ninth lowest among the cities and towns. Shelburne contains 47.9 square miles of land area and 0.9 square miles of inland water area.



MUNICIPAL SERVICES	
Type of Government	Selectmen
Budget: Municipal Appropriations, 2021	\$703,502
Budget: School Appropriations, 2020-2021	\$606,373
Zoning Ordinance	1964/22
Master Plan	2016
Capital Improvement Plan	No
Industrial Plans Reviewed By	Planning Board

Boards and Commissions
 Elected: **Selectmen; Budget; Library; Memorial Forest; Cemetery; Trust Funds**
 Appointed: **Planning; Zoning; Conservation; Park; Heritage; Land Fill**

Public Library **Shelburne Public**

EMERGENCY SERVICES	
Police Department	State Police
Fire Department	Volunteer & On-Call
Emergency Medical Service	Contract with Gorham

Nearest Hospital(s)	Distance	Staffed Beds
Androscoggin Valley, Berlin	14 miles	25

UTILITIES	
Electric Supplier	Eversource Energy
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	Yes
Recycling Program	Mandatory

Telephone Company	Consolidated/Time Warner
Cellular Telephone Access	Yes
Cable Television Access	Limited
Public Access Television Station	No
High Speed Internet Service:	
Business	Limited
Residential	Limited

PROPERTY TAXES <i>(NH Dept. of Revenue Administration)</i>	
2021 Total Tax Rate (per \$1000 of value)	\$16.25
2021 Equalization Ratio	99.7
2021 Full Value Tax Rate (per \$1000 of value)	\$15.54
2021 Percent of Local Assessed Valuation by Property Type	
Residential Land and Buildings	53.5%
Commercial Land and Buildings	12.7%
Public Utilities, Current Use, and Other	33.8%

HOUSING <i>(ACS 2016-2020)</i>	
Total Housing Units	309
Single-Family Units, Detached or Attached	284
Units in Multiple-Family Structures:	
Two to Four Units in Structure	13
Five or More Units in Structure	4
Mobile Homes and Other Housing Units	8

POPULATION (1-YEAR ESTIMATES/DECENNIAL)		<i>(US Census Bureau)</i>	
Total Population	Community	County	
2021	345	31,289	
2020	345	31,173	
2010	372	33,055	
2000	380	33,156	
1990	411	34,879	
1980	318	35,014	

DEMOGRAPHICS <i>AMERICAN COMMUNITY SURVEY (ACS) 2016-2020</i>			
Population by Gender			
Male	305	Female	255
Population by Age Group			
Under age 5			22
Age 5 to 19			48
Age 20 to 34			106
Age 35 to 54			101
Age 55 to 64			107
Age 65 and over			176
Median Age			55.3 years

Educational Attainment, population 25 years and over	
High school graduate or higher	95.7%
Bachelor's degree or higher	32.5%

INCOME, INFLATION ADJUSTED \$ <i>(ACS 2016-2020)</i>	
Per capita income	\$40,819
Median family income	\$81,776
Median household income	\$69,583
Median Earnings, full-time, year-round workers	
Male	\$58,125
Female	\$35,278
Individuals below the poverty level	3.6%

LABOR FORCE <i>(NHES – ELMII)</i>		
Annual Average	2011	2021
Civilian labor force	214	175
Employed	203	170
Unemployed	11	5
Unemployment rate	5.1%	2.9%

EMPLOYMENT & WAGES <i>(NHES – ELMII)</i>		
Annual Average Covered Employment	2011	2021
Goods Producing Industries		
Average Employment	n	n
Average Weekly Wage	n	n
Service Providing Industries		
Average Employment	n	n
Average Weekly Wage	n	n
Total Private Industry		
Average Employment	124	101
Average Weekly Wage	\$ 319	\$ 502
Government (Federal, State, and Local)		
Average Employment	18	23
Average Weekly Wage	\$ 146	\$ 213
Total, Private Industry plus Government		
Average Employment	142	124
Average Weekly Wage	\$ 297	\$ 449

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EDUCATION AND CHILD CARE

Schools students attend: **Grades K-12 are part of Gorham-Randolph-Shelburne Cooperative** District: **SAU 20**
 Career Technology Center(s): **Berlin Regional Career & Technical Center**

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

Nearest Community College: **White Mountains**

Nearest Colleges or Universities: **Plymouth State University; Granite State College-Berlin**

2021 NH Licensed Child Care Facilities (DHHS-Bureau of Child Care Licensing) Total Facilities: Total Capacity:

LARGEST BUSINESSES	PRODUCT/SERVICE	EMPLOYEES	ESTABLISHED
Androscoggin Valley Hospital	Health care services		
Gorham-Randolph-Shelburne Cooperative School	Education		
ND Paper	Manufacturing		
R J Chipping	Manufacture of wood chips		
Town & Country Motor Inn	Inn		

*Employer Information Supplied by Municipality***TRANSPORTATION (distances estimated from city/town hall)**

Road Access	US Routes	2
	State Routes	
Nearest Interstate, Exit	I-93, Exits 35 - 36	
Distance	42 miles	
Railroad	Canadian National	
Public Transportation	No	
Nearest Public Use Airport, General Aviation		
Gorham Airport	Runway	2,800 ft. turf
Lighted?	No	Navigation Aids? No
Nearest Airport with Scheduled Service		
Portland (ME) International	Distance	87 miles
Number of Passenger Airlines Serving Airport		6
Driving distance to select cities:		
Manchester, NH		133 miles
Portland, Maine		88 miles
Boston, Mass.		184 miles
New York City, NY		383 miles
Montreal, Quebec		185 miles

COMMUTING TO WORK (ACS 2016-2020)

Workers 16 years and over	
Drove alone, car/truck/van	79.3%
Carpooled, car/truck/van	7.9%
Public transportation	0.0%
Walked	0.0%
Other means	2.1%
Worked at home	10.7%
Mean Travel Time to Work	24.8 minutes
Percent of Working Residents: ACS 2016-2020	
Working in community of residence	88.9%
Commuting to another NH community	7.5%
Commuting out-of-state	3.6%

RECREATION, ATTRACTIONS, AND EVENTS

X	Municipal Parks
	YMCA/YWCA
	Boys Club/Girls Club
X	Golf Courses
X	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
	Tourist Attractions
	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
	Boating/Marinas
X	Snowmobile Trails
	Bicycle Trails
	Cross Country Skiing
	Beach or Waterfront Recreation Area
	Overnight or Day Camps
	Nearest Ski Area(s): Wildcat, Sunday River (ME)
	Other: Canoeing; Kayaking; Hiking