

Southbury, Connecticut

CERC Town Profile 2010

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Belongs to
New Haven County
LMA Bridgeport - Stamford
Naugatuck Valley Economic Dev. Region
Central Naugatuck Valley Planning Area



Incorporated in 1845

Demographics

<i>Population (2009)</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>County</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Race/Ethnicity (2009)</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>County</i>	<i>State</i>
1990	15,818	804,219	3,287,116	White	18,464	650,448	2,756,861
2000	18,567	824,008	3,405,565	Black	476	98,913	319,730
2009	19,842	846,083	3,497,398	Asian Pacific	433	30,810	120,457
2014	19,598	847,341	3,485,122	Native American	24	2,363	9,990
'09-'14 Growth / Yr	-0.2%	0.0%	-0.1%	Other/Multi-Race	445	63,549	290,360
				Hispanic (any race)	572	115,202	426,255
Land Area (sq. miles)	39	606	5,009	<i>Poverty Rate (1999)</i>	4.9%	9.5%	7.9%
Pop./ Sq. Mile (2009)	508	1,397	698	<i>Educational Attainment (2009)</i>			
Median Age (2009)	47	39	40	Persons Age 25 or Older	<i>Town</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>State</i>
Households (2009)	7,603	321,911	1,311,307	High School Graduate	3,334	23%	688,198
Med HH Inc. (2009)	\$77,929	\$61,329	\$68,055	Some College	3,431	23%	537,908
				Bachelors or More	6,726	45%	854,541
<i>Age Distribution (2009)</i>							
	<i>0-4</i>	<i>5-17</i>	<i>18-24</i>	<i>25-49</i>	<i>50-64</i>	<i>65+</i>	<i>Total</i>
Male	485 2%	1,660 8%	478 2%	2,828 14%	2,016 10%	1,831 9%	9,298
Female	492 2%	1,569 8%	370 2%	2,968 15%	2,072 10%	3,073 15%	10,544
County Total	50,494 6%	141,757 17%	81,624 10%	290,169 34%	162,218 19%	119,821 14%	846,083
State Total	210,817 6%	588,675 17%	330,112 9%	1,182,009 34%	696,537 20%	489,248 14%	3,497,398

Economics

<i>Business Profile (2005)</i>	<i>% of Total</i>		<i>Top Five Grand List (2006)</i>	<i>Amount</i>	<i>% of Net</i>
<i>Sector</i>	<i>Establishments</i>	<i>Employment</i>			
Agriculture	3.4%	1.1%	Kettletown LLC	\$80,500,000	4.5%
Const. and Mining	14.1%	4.4%	Southhaven Assoc LLC	\$15,868,750	0.9%
Manufacturing	4.1%	4.1%	Southbury 84 Assoc LP	\$14,817,500	0.8%
Trans. and Utilities	3.4%	2.7%	East Hill Woods Inc	\$14,000,000	0.8%
Trade	19.6%	51.8%	Pomperaug Woods Inc	\$13,923,490	0.8%
Finance, Ins. and Real Estate	9.3%	7.7%	Net Grand List (2006)	\$1,788,838,335	
Services	40.8%	25.5%	<i>Top Five Major Employers (2006)</i>		
Government	5.3%	2.7%	Mediplex of Southbury	The Heritage	
			International Business Machines (East Hill Woods, Inc.		
			Southbury Hilton		
			<i>Retail Sales (2007)</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>
			All Outlets	\$335,367,009	\$136,936,194,241

Education

<i>2005-2006 School Year</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Connecticut Mastery Test Percent Above Goal</i>						
			<i>Grade 4</i>		<i>Grade 6</i>		<i>Grade 8</i>		
			<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>	
Total Town School Enrollment	3,311	566,606	Reading	75	53	80	60	85	65
Most public school students in Southbury attend Regional School District 15, which has 4,494 students.			Math	67	57	80	61	70	56
			Writing	82	63	76	61	77	61
For more education data please see:	<i>Students per Computer</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Average Class Size</i>			<i>Average SAT Score</i>		
http://www.state.ct.us/sde/	Elementary:	4.0	4.0	Grade K	19.0	Grade 2	20.0	<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>
	Middle:	4.0	3.0	Grade 5	22.0	Grade 7	21.0	Verbal	547
	Secondary:	4.0	3.2	High School	20.9	Math	543	508	508

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Government

Government Form: Selectman-Town Meeting				Annual Debt Service (2007)	\$1,388,669
				As % of Expenditures	2.7%
Total Revenue (2007)	\$56,306,739	Total Expenditures (2007)	\$51,918,258	Eq. Net Grand List (2006)	\$3,677,118,033
Tax Revenue	\$51,228,551	Education	\$38,623,503	Per Capita	\$190,761
Non-tax Revenue	\$5,078,188	Other	\$13,294,755	As % of State Average	119%
Intergovernmental	\$2,557,896	Total Indebtness (2007)	\$37,979,974	Date of Last Revaluation (2009)	2007
Per Capita Tax (2007)	\$2,668	As % of Expenditures	73.2%	Moody's Bond Rating (2007)	Aa3
As % of State Average	120.8%	Per Capita	\$1,978	Actual Mill Rate (2007)	25.10
				Equalized Mill Rate (2007)	13.02
				% of Grand List Com/Ind (2006)	11.7%

Housing/Real Estate

Housing Stock (2008)	Town	County	State	Owner Occupied Dwellings (2000)	6,470	201,349	869,742
Existing Units (total)	8,318	351,745	1,449,440	As % Total Dwellings	83%	59%	63%
% Single Unit	81.4%	59.4%	64.8%	Subsidize Housing (2008)	102	41,649	149,355
New Permits Auth. (2008)	9	920	5,220	<i>Distribution of House Sales (2007)</i>			
As % Existing Units	0.11%	0.26%	0.36%	<i>Number of Sales</i>			
Demolitions (2008)	2	314	1,462	Less than \$100,000	0	155	495
House Sales (2007)	132	7,111	32,395	\$100,000-\$199,999	11	1,602	5,866
Median Price	\$422,500	\$261,155	\$295,000	\$200,000-\$299,999	21	2,612	10,094
Built Pre 1950 share (2000)	13.5%	33.2%	31.5%	\$300,000-\$399,999	24	1,340	5,655
				\$400,000 or More	76	1,402	10,285

Labor Force

Place of Residence (2008)	Town	County	State	Commuters (2000)		
Labor Force	9,207	448,049	1,876,144	Commuters into Town from:	Town Residents Commuting to:	
Employed	8,783	419,933	1,769,233	Southbury	2,140	Southbury 2,140
Unemployed	424	28,116	106,911	Waterbury	1,389	Danbury 833
Unemployment Rate	4.6%	6.3%	5.7%	Woodbury	575	Waterbury 600
<i>Place of Work (2008)</i>				Naugatuck	524	Newtown 364
# of Units	637	22,608	105,005	Watertown	396	Middlebury 221
Total Employment	9,334	364,420	1,676,493	Danbury	333	Woodbury 203
2000-'08 Growth AAGR	-0.3%	-0.1%	0.0%	Oxford	251	Ridgefield 201
Mfg Employment	145	40,239	186,522	New Haven	228	Bethel 178
				Middlebury	207	Shelton 159
				Newtown	206	Stamford 133

Quality of Life

	Town	State	Library (2001)	Town	Residential Utilities
Banks (2007)	13	1,029	Total Volumes	82,609	Electric Provider
Lodging (1998)	2	756	Circulation Per Capita	9.0	Connecticut Light & Power
Day Care Facilities (1999)	10	1,721			(800) 286-2000
Infant Mortality Rate			<i>Distance to Major Cities Miles</i>	Gas Provider	
Per 1,000 births (2001)	0.0	4.5	Hartford	35	Yankee Gas Company
Crime Rate (2004)			Boston	129	(800) 989-0900
Per 100,000 Residents	814	2,981	New York City	67	Water Provider
			Providence	97	Aquarion Water Company
					(800) 732-9678
Hospitals (1999)	0	7			Cable Provider
Total Beds	0	2,487			Charter Communications of Western Connect
					(800) 827-8288