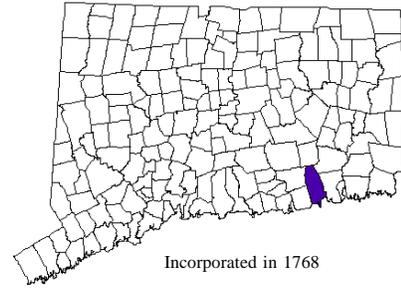


East Lyme

Connecticut

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Belongs to
 New London County
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 Southeastern Connecticut Planning Area



Incorporated in 1768

Demographics

<i>Population (2001)</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>County</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Race/Ethnicity (2001)</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>County</i>	<i>State</i>
1990	15,340	254,957	3,287,116	White	17,291	240,166	2,997,210
2000	18,118	259,088	3,405,565	Black	643	11,503	266,880
2001	18,375	259,938	3,414,784	Asian Pacific	257	3,325	52,248
2006	19,087	261,457	3,465,947	Native American	55	1,334	6,660
'01-'06 Growth (AAGR)	0.76%	0.12%	0.30%	Hispanic (any race)	790	13,301	318,289
Land Area (sq. miles)	34	666	5,009	<i>Poverty Rate (1990)</i>	3.3%	6.4%	6.6%
Pop./ Sq. Mile (2001)	540	390	682	<i>Educational Attainment (1990)</i>			
Per Capita Inc. (2001)	\$30,446	\$26,213	\$32,317	Persons Age 25 or Older	<i>Town</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>State</i>
Households (2001)	6,555	95,656	1,285,210	High School Graduate	3,000	28.4%	648,366 29.6%
Median Age (2001)	37	35	37	Some College	2,914	27.6%	495,696 22.6%
				Bachelors or More	3,313	31.4%	597,693 27.3%
<i>Age Distribution (2001)</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	539 3%	1,650 9%	740 4%	3,661 20%	1,592 9%	962 5%	9,144
Female	503 3%	1,587 9%	659 4%	3,717 20%	1,589 9%	1,176 6%	9,231
County Total	17,426 7%	47,097 18%	22,051 8%	98,126 38%	39,335 15%	35,903 14%	259,938
State Total	213,561 6%	597,220 17%	279,666 8%	1,294,651 38%	544,994 16%	484,692 14%	3,414,784

Economics

<i>Business Profile (2001)</i>	<i>% of Firms</i>	<i>% of Total</i>	<i>% of Emp.</i>	<i>% of Total</i>	<i>Top Five Grand List (2001)</i>	<i>Amount</i>	<i>% of Net</i>
Agriculture	19	2.5%	69	1.2%	Connecticut Light & Power	\$6,407,570	
Const. and Mining	121	15.7%	540	9.1%	Benchmark Niantic Senior	\$5,211,850	
Manufacturing	23	3.0%	229	3.9%	Deerfield 95 Investor Associates LLC	\$4,835,180	
Trans. and Utilities	23	3.0%	89	1.5%	Ozone Industries Inc.	\$4,726,200	
Trade	193	25.0%	1,407	23.8%	Bridebrook Nursing & Rehab Center Inc.	\$3,148,010	
Finance, Ins. and Real Estate	69	8.9%	287	4.8%	Net Grand List ()		
Services	312	40.4%	1,868	31.5%	<i>Top Five Major Employers (1997)</i>		
Government	12	1.6%	1,435	24.2%	Town of East Lyme	East Lyme High School	
Total	772	100.0%	5,924	100.0%	Gates Correctional Institution	Ozone Industries, Inc.	
					York Correctional Institute		
					<i>Retail Sales (1999)</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>
						\$119,992,698	\$76,264,820,474

Education

<i>1995-1996 School Year</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Connecticut Mastery Test: Percent Above Goal</i>					
Total Students	3,002	461,203	Grade 4		Grade 6		Grade 8	
Total Expenditures Per Pupil	\$7,080	\$8,300	<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>
Average Teacher's Salary	\$46,836	\$48,598	Reading	67 55	71 60	79 64		
Students Attending Public School	97.4%	89.2%	Math	68 59	71 59	71 51		
Student/Teacher Ratio	15.3	14.5	Writing	58 46	67 46	76 51		
Grads Pursuing Post-Sec. Education	88.0%	75.8%	<i>Average SAT Score</i>		<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>		
High School Dropout Rate	2.5%	4.6%	Verbal		536	503		
<i>Average Class Size</i>			Math		532	499		
Kindergarten 20.9	Grade 2 20.9							
Grade 5 20.5	Grade 7 19.7	High School 20.0						

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Government

Government Form	Selectman-Town Meeting			Annual Debt Service (1999)	\$4,207,349
				As % of Expenditures	11.2%
Total Revenue (1999)	\$36,723,031	Total Expenditures (1999)	\$37,483,648	Equalized Grand List (2001)	\$1,538,794,112
Tax Revenue	\$24,064,983	Education	\$24,352,086	Per Capita	\$96,737
Non-tax Revenue	\$12,658,048	Other	\$13,131,562	As % of State Average	0.6%
Intergovernmental	\$9,370,480	Total Indebtness (1999)	\$37,724,224	Date of Last Revaluation (2001)	2001
Per Capita Tax (1999)	\$1,513	As % of Expenditures	100.6%	Moody's Bond Rating (1999)	A1
As % of State Average	97.6%	Per Capita	\$2,372	Actual Mill Rate (1999)	27.50
		As % of State Average	172.1%	Equalized Mill Rate (1999)	18.51
				% of Grand List Com/Ind (1999)	8.1%

Housing

Housing Stock (1999)	Town	County	State	Sales Price Distribution (2000)	Town	County	State
Existing Units (total)	7,580	111,652	1,392,233	Number of Sales			
% Single Unit	86.5%	67.0%	63.4%	Less than \$100,000	53	1,004	12,351
New Permits Auth. (1999)	88	893	10,794	\$100,001-\$200,000	192	2,026	24,349
As % Existing Units	1.16%	0.80%	0.78%	\$200,001-\$300,000	54	418	9,063
Demolitions (1998)	4	73	2,968	\$300,001-\$400,000	21	157	4,013
Residential Sales (2000)	334	3,738	56,032	\$400,001 or More	14	133	6,256
Average Price	\$174,142	\$145,426	\$219,784	<i>1996 Characteristics</i>			
Median Price	\$134,450	\$114,958	\$135,500	Owner Occupied Dwellings	4,326	60,315	807,559
				Housing Stock Age - Pre-1950	27.7%	35.6%	33.9%
				Subsidized Housing Units	316	11,508	148,930

Labor Force

(2000)	Town	County	State	<i>Commuters (1990)</i>			
Labor Force	9,430	133,671	1,746,503	Commuters into Town from	Town Residents Commuting to		
Employed	9,270	130,721	1,707,150	East Lyme	1,828	East Lyme	1,828
Unemployed	160	2,950	39,353	Waterford	389	Groton	1,452
Unemployment Rate	1.7%	2.2%	2.3%	New London	342	New London	1,402
Total Employment	5,200	99,120	1,693,400	Groton	321	Waterford	1,044
'92-'00 Growth (AAGR)	1.1%	-1.2%	1.3%	Montville	271	Norwich	233
Manufacturing	300	19,000	268,400	Old Lyme	244	Old Saybrook	205
				Norwich	216	Hartford	161
				Stonington	102	Old Lyme	124
				Salem	86	Montville	116

Quality of Life

	Town	State	Library (1999)	Town	<i>Residential Utilities</i>	
Banks (2000)	6	1,183	Total Volumes	84,735	Electric Provider	
Lodging (1998)	10	756	Circulation Per Capita	9.4	Connecticut Light & Power	(800) 286-2000
Day Care Facilities (1999)	8	1,722			Gas Provider	
Infant Mortality Rate Per 1,000 births (1998)	no calc	7.0	<i>Distance to Major Cities</i>	<i>Miles</i>	na	
Crime Rate (1999) Per 1,000 Residents	16	33	Hartford	36	na	
% Open Land (1990)	77.7%	68.7%	Boston	92	Water Provider	
			New York City	102	Municipal Provider	
			Providence	53	Contact local	
Hospitals (1999)	0	2			Cable Provider	
Total Beds	0	490			Eastern CT Cable Television, Inc.	860-739-5437