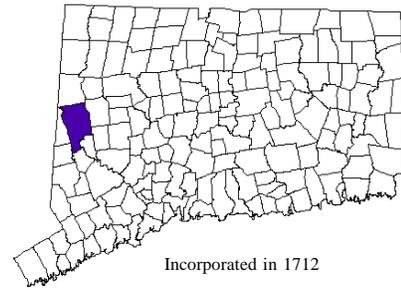


New Milford

Connecticut

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Incorporated in 1712

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	23,629	174,092	3,287,116	White	26,505	178,821	2,997,210
2000	27,121	182,193	3,405,565	Black	412	1,752	266,880
2001	27,438	182,795	3,414,784	Asian Pacific	357	1,493	52,248
2006	28,795	186,224	3,465,947	Native American	55	359	6,660
'01-'06 Growth (AAGR)	0.97%	0.37%	0.30%	Hispanic (any race)	713	3,831	318,289
Land Area (sq. miles)	62	920	5,009	<i>Poverty Rate (1990)</i>	2.9%	4.0%	6.6%
Pop./ Sq. Mile (2001)	445	199	682	<i>Educational Attainment (1990)</i>			
Per Capita Inc. (2001)	\$32,668	\$32,206	\$32,317	Persons Age 25 or Older	<i>Town</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>State</i>
Households (2001)	9,814	70,067	1,285,210	High School Graduate	4,856	31.9%	648,366 29.6%
Median Age (2001)	35	38	37	Some College	3,760	24.7%	495,696 22.6%
				Bachelors or More	4,719	31.0%	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	1,014 4%	2,844 10%	952 3%	5,761 21%	1,908 7%	1,128 4%	13,607
Female	968 4%	2,760 10%	878 3%	5,737 21%	1,912 7%	1,576 6%	13,831
County Total	11,307 6%	33,343 18%	11,832 6%	71,458 39%	29,380 16%	25,475 14%	182,795
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	55	3.6%	220	2.5%	Kimberly Clark	\$91,902,230	
Const. and Mining	268	17.5%	790	9.0%	Connecticut Light & Power	\$22,143,205	
Manufacturing	113	7.4%	1,288	14.7%	F I S	\$18,509,985	
Trans. and Utilities	48	3.1%	298	3.4%	F N M Trust (Stop & Shop)	\$7,573,230	
Trade	379	24.8%	2,196	25.0%	Nestles	\$7,562,580	
Finance, Ins. and Real Estate	77	5.0%	341	3.9%	Net Grand List ()		
Services	585	38.2%	3,502	39.9%	<i>Top Five Major Employers (1997)</i>		
Government	6	0.4%	151	1.7%	Kimberly Clark	Nestle	
Total	1,531	100.0%	8,786	100.0%	New Milford Hospital	Kmart	
					Town of New Milford		
						<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>
					<i>Retail Sales (1999)</i>	\$400,189,691	\$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	4,708	461,203	Grade 4		Grade 6		Grade 8	
Total Expenditures Per Pupil	\$7,211	\$8,300	<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>
Average Teacher's Salary	\$46,694	\$48,598	Reading	65 55	68 60	68 64	68 64	
Students Attending Public School	94.0%	89.2%	Math	51 59	51 59	65 51	65 51	
Student/Teacher Ratio	15.2	14.5	Writing	56 46	45 46	56 51	56 51	
Grads Pursuing Post-Sec. Education	71.9%	75.8%	<i>Average SAT Score</i>		<i>Town</i>		<i>State</i>	
High School Dropout Rate	4.7%	4.6%	Verbal		536	503		
<i>Average Class Size</i>			Math		522	499		
Kindergarten 23.8	Grade 2 21.4							
Grade 5 23.7	Grade 7 16.7	High School 21.0						

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Government

Government Form	Mayor-Council			Annual Debt Service (1999)	\$6,153,182
				As % of Expenditures	10.1%
Total Revenue (1999)	\$62,148,397	Total Expenditures (1999)	\$60,856,374	Equalized Grand List (2001)	\$2,611,298,304
Tax Revenue	\$40,449,639	Education	\$35,983,423	Per Capita	\$101,319
Non-tax Revenue	\$21,698,758	Other	\$24,872,951	As % of State Average	0.6%
Intergovernmental	\$15,577,178	Total Indebtness (1999)	\$73,511,689	Date of Last Revaluation (2001)	2001
Per Capita Tax (1999)	\$1,569	As % of Expenditures	120.8%	Moody's Bond Rating (1999)	Aa3
As % of State Average	101.3%	Per Capita	\$2,852	Actual Mill Rate (1999)	27.52
		As % of State Average	207.0%	Equalized Mill Rate (1999)	21.05
				% of Grand List Com/Ind (1999)	12.8%

Housing

Housing Stock (1999)	Town	County	State	Sales Price Distribution (2000)	Town	County	State
Existing Units (total)	10,487	80,211	1,392,233	Number of Sales			
% Single Unit	75.9%	75.0%	63.4%	Less than \$100,000	140	916	12,351
New Permits Auth. (1999)	181	833	10,794	\$100,001-\$200,000	249	1,532	24,349
As % Existing Units	1.73%	1.04%	0.78%	\$200,001-\$300,000	205	580	9,063
Demolitions (1998)	6	50	2,968	\$300,001-\$400,000	66	189	4,013
Residential Sales (2000)	690	3,404	56,032	\$400,001 or More	30	187	6,256
Average Price	\$186,848	\$171,636	\$219,784	<i>1996 Characteristics</i>			
Median Price	\$157,000	\$132,000	\$135,500	Owner Occupied Dwellings	6,328	48,584	807,559
				Housing Stock Age - Pre-1950	22.6%	37.1%	33.9%
				Subsidized Housing Units	312	4,308	148,930

Labor Force

(2000)	Town	County	State	<i>Commuters (1990)</i>			
Labor Force	14,188	100,916	1,746,503	Commuters into Town from	Town Residents Commuting to		
Employed	13,958	99,053	1,707,150	New Milford	5,336	New Milford	5,336
Unemployed	230	1,863	39,353	Danbury	770	Danbury	2,626
Unemployment Rate	1.6%	1.8%	2.3%	New York	464	New York	897
Total Employment	9,130	66,340	1,693,400	Brookfield	338	Brookfield	671
'92-'00 Growth (AAGR)	0.5%	1.2%	1.3%	Washington	220	Bethel	302
Manufacturing	1,640	16,330	268,400	Bridgewater	200	Southbury	225
				Kent	197	Norwalk	204
				Sherman	179	Stamford	154
				Bethel	178	Newtown	153

Quality of Life

	Town	State	Library (1999)	Town	<i>Residential Utilities</i>	
Banks (2000)	11	1,183	Total Volumes	81,982	Electric Provider	
Lodging (1998)	8	756	Circulation Per Capita	7.8	Connecticut Light & Power (800) 286-2000	
Day Care Facilities (1999)	16	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>	Yankee Gas Company (800) 989-0900	
Crime Rate (1999) Per 1,000 Residents	19	33	Hartford	40	Water Provider	
% Open Land (1990)	67.5%	68.7%	Boston	134	Municipal Provider	
			New York City	70	Contact local	
Hospitals (1999)	1	3	Providence	104	Cable Provider	
Total Beds	85	272			Charter Communications of Western CT 800-872-7229	