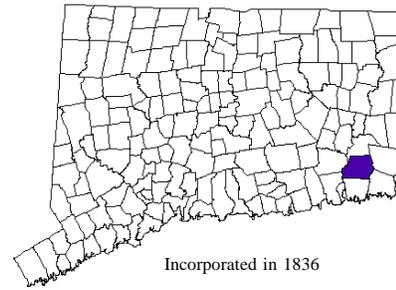


Ledyard

Connecticut

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Belongs to
New London County
New London Labor Market Area
Southeast Economic Dev. Region
Southeastern Connecticut Planning Area



Incorporated in 1836

Demographics

<i>Population (2001)</i>				<i>Race/Ethnicity (2001)</i>									
	<i>Town</i>	<i>County</i>	<i>State</i>		<i>Town</i>	<i>County</i>	<i>State</i>						
1990	14,913	254,957	3,287,116	White	13,793	240,166	2,997,210						
2000	14,687	259,088	3,405,565	Black	424	11,503	266,880						
2001	14,627	259,938	3,414,784	Asian Pacific	234	3,325	52,248						
2006	14,438	261,457	3,465,947	Native American	88	1,334	6,660						
'01-'06 Growth (AAGR)	-0.26%	0.12%	0.30%	Hispanic (any race)	395	13,301	318,289						
Land Area (sq. miles)	38	666	5,009	<i>Poverty Rate (1990)</i>	1.2%	6.4%	6.6%						
Pop./ Sq. Mile (2001)	383	390	682	<i>Educational Attainment (1990)</i>									
Per Capita Inc. (2001)	\$28,184	\$26,213	\$32,317	Persons Age 25 or Older	<i>Town</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>State</i>						
Households (2001)	4,897	95,656	1,285,210	High School Graduate	2,724	29.2%	648,366 29.6%						
Median Age (2001)	34	35	37	Some College	2,734	29.3%	495,696 22.6%						
				Bachelors or More	2,891	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	519	4%	1,632	11%	595	4%	3,004	21%	1,135	8%	510	3%	7,395
Female	478	4%	1,582	11%	482	3%	2,938	20%	1,128	8%	624	4%	7,232
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>Top Five Grand List (2001)</i>		
<i>Sector</i>	<i>Firms</i>	<i>% of Total</i>	<i>Emp. Total</i>		<i>Amount</i>	<i>% of Net</i>
Agriculture	27	6.9%	92	0.4%	Mashantucket Pequot Tribe	\$33,593,542 4.36%
Const. and Mining	61	15.6%	448	2.0%	Dow Chemical Co.	\$24,805,791 3.22%
Manufacturing	11	2.8%	221	1.0%	Connecticut Light & Power	\$6,041,582 0.78%
Trans. and Utilities	17	4.3%	145	0.6%	Ansonia Acquisitions II LLC	\$5,153,103 0.67%
Trade	57	14.6%	304	1.3%	Yankee Gas Services	\$3,123,301 0.41%
Finance, Ins. and Real Estate	28	7.2%	115	0.5%	Net Grand List ()	\$770,304,064
Services	182	46.5%	1,124	5.0%	<i>Top Five Major Employers (1997)</i>	
Government	8	2.0%	20,192	89.2%	Foxwoods Resort & Casino	A/Z Corporation
Total	391	100.0%	22,641	100.0%	DSI	Holdridge Gardenland
					Dow Chemical USA	
					<i>Retail Sales (1999)</i>	<i>Town</i> \$97,214,145 <i>State</i> \$76,264,820,474

Education

<i>1995-1996 School Year</i>				<i>Connecticut Mastery Test: Percent Above Goal</i>					
	<i>Town</i>	<i>State</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 Students	3,106	461,203		Reading	68 55	75 60	73 64		
Total Expenditures Per Pupil	\$7,392	\$8,300		Math	64 59	59 59	67 51		
Average Teacher's Salary	\$51,930	\$48,598		Writing	43 46	45 46	79 51		
Students Attending Public School	94.6%	89.2%							
Student/Teacher Ratio	15.2	14.5							
Grads Pursuing Post-Sec. Education	68.4%	75.8%							
High School Dropout Rate	3.2%	4.6%							
<i>Average Class Size</i>				<i>Average SAT Score</i>		<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>		
Kindergarten 16.1	Grade 2 20.6			Verbal		515	503		
Grade 5 20.7	Grade 7 21.2	High School 18.8		Math		530	499		

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Government

Government Form	Mayor-Council			Annual Debt Service (1999)	\$1,065,804
				As % of Expenditures	3.4%
Total Revenue (1999)	\$32,816,883	Total Expenditures (1999)	\$31,533,768	Equalized Grand List (2001)	\$1,011,755,584
Tax Revenue	\$16,979,514	Education	\$23,626,809	Per Capita	\$70,212
Non-tax Revenue	\$15,837,369	Other	\$7,906,959	As % of State Average	0.4%
Intergovernmental	\$13,652,268	Total Indebtness (1999)	\$2,270,000	Date of Last Revaluation (2001)	2001
Per Capita Tax (1999)	\$1,178	As % of Expenditures	7.2%	Moody's Bond Rating (1999)	A1
As % of State Average	76.0%	Per Capita	\$158	Actual Mill Rate (1999)	28.90
		As % of State Average	11.4%	Equalized Mill Rate (1999)	18.37
				% of Grand List Com/Ind (1999)	6.8%

Housing

Housing Stock (1999)	Town	County	State	Sales Price Distribution (2000)	Town	County	State
Existing Units (total)	5,579	111,652	1,392,233	Number of Sales			
% Single Unit	85.2%	67.0%	63.4%	Less than \$100,000	44	1,004	12,351
New Permits Auth. (1999)	47	893	10,794	\$100,001-\$200,000	173	2,026	24,349
As % Existing Units	0.84%	0.80%	0.78%	\$200,001-\$300,000	29	418	9,063
Demolitions (1998)	1	73	2,968	\$300,001-\$400,000	5	157	4,013
Residential Sales (2000)	252	3,738	56,032	\$400,001 or More	1	133	6,256
Average Price	\$138,716	\$145,426	\$219,784	<i>1996 Characteristics</i>			
Median Price	\$128,500	\$114,958	\$135,500	Owner Occupied Dwellings	4,049	60,315	807,559
				Housing Stock Age - Pre-1950	13.4%	35.6%	33.9%
				Subsidized Housing Units	267	11,508	148,930

Labor Force

(2000)	Town	County	State	<i>Commuters (1990)</i>			
Labor Force	8,113	133,671	1,746,503	Commuters into Town from	Town Residents Commuting to		
Employed	7,987	130,721	1,707,150	Ledyard	1,048	Groton	3,560
Unemployed	126	2,950	39,353	Groton	340	New London	1,061
Unemployment Rate	1.6%	2.2%	2.3%	Norwich	273	Ledyard	1,048
Total Employment		99,120	1,693,400	New London	126	Norwich	497
'92-'00 Growth (AAGR)	0.0%	-1.2%	1.3%	Montville	118	Stonington	403
Manufacturing	100	19,000	268,400	Stonington	84	Waterford	353
				Preston	81	N Stonington	125
				N Stonington	60	Montville	106
				Rhode Island	59	Rhode Island	60

Quality of Life

	Town	State	Library (1999)	Town	<i>Residential Utilities</i>	
Banks (2000)	4	1,183	Total Volumes	67,337	Electric Provider	
Lodging (1998)	5	756	Circulation Per Capita	10.2	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>	Yankee Gas Company (800) 989-0900	
Crime Rate (1999) Per 1,000 Residents	11	33	Hartford	41	Water Provider	
% Open Land (1990)	80.8%	68.7%	Boston	80	Municipal Provider	
			New York City	114	Contact local	
Hospitals (1999)	0	2	Providence	40	Cable Provider	
Total Beds	0	490			Comcast Cablevision of Groton, Inc. 860-445-8116	