

# North Stonington

## 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 1807

### Demographics

<i>Population (1998)</i>				<i>Race/Ethnicity (1998)</i>				
	<i>Town</i>	<i>County</i>	<i>State</i>		<i>Town</i>	<i>County</i>	<i>State</i>	
1980	4,219	238,410	3,107,580	White	4,861	221,517	2,648,212	
1990	4,884	254,957	3,287,116	Black	32	12,225	274,213	
1998	5,042	251,177	3,271,239	Asian Pacific	76	4,718	73,304	
2003	5,163	252,769	3,272,149	Native American	28	1,321	5,952	
'98-'03 Growth	2.40%	0.63%	0.03%	Other	0	438	5,336	
				Hispanic (any race)	45	10,958	264,222	
Land Area (sq. miles)	54.31	666.08	4,845	<i>Poverty Rate (1990)</i>	3.07%	6.37%	6.61%	
Pop./ Sq. Mile (1998)	92.84	377.10	653	<i>Educational Attainment (1990)</i>				
Per Capita Inc. (1998)	\$25,578	\$23,627	\$27,078	Persons Age 25 or Older	<i>Town</i>	<i>%</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>%</i>
Households (1998)	1,733	93,856	1,229,087	High School Graduate	1,021	32.1%	648,366	29.7%
Median Age (1997)	37.6	35.4	37.2	Some College	891	28.0%	495,696	22.7%
<i>Age Distribution (1998)</i>				Bachelors or More	836	26.3%	597,693	27.4%
	<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	166 7%	481 19%	235 9%	948 37%	435 17%	266 11%	2,531	
Female	159 6%	463 18%	220 9%	945 38%	433 17%	291 12%	2,511	
County Total	17,896 7%	43,485 17%	24,337 10%	97,191 39%	35,483 14%	32,785 13%	251,177	
State Total	216,119 7%	550,400 17%	280,101 9%	1,257,928 38%	499,093 15%	467,598 14%	3,271,239	

### Economics

<i>Business Profile (1997)</i>				<i>Top Five Grand List (1997)</i>			
<i>Sector</i>	<i>Firms</i>	<i>% of Total</i>	<i>Emp. Total</i>		<i>Amount</i>	<i>% of Total</i>	
Agriculture	11	5.7%	54	3.2%	Mashantucket Pequot Tribe	\$17,554,540	6.25%
Const. and Mining	49	25.3%	136	8.1%	Fisher Controls International, Inc.	\$5,937,870	2.11%
Manufacturing	9	4.6%	349	20.8%	Analysis & Tech Inc.	\$4,097,110	1.46%
Trans. And Utilities	6	3.1%	48	2.9%	Ship Analytics, Inc.	\$3,738,400	1.33%
Trade	43	22.2%	294	17.5%	Development Associates, Inc.	\$3,192,950	1.14%
Finance, Ins. and Real Estate	6	3.1%	12	0.7%	Grand List Total (1996)	\$280,874,141	
Services	64	33.0%	691	41.2%	<i>Top Five Major Employers (1997)</i>		
Government	6	3.1%	93	5.5%	Analysis & Technology Inc	Designers Group Inc	
Total	194	100.0%	1,677	100.0%	Fisher Controls International	Ship Analytics Inc	
					Stonington Institute		
					<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>	
					Retail Sales (1996)	\$19,192,967	\$30,837,967,729

### Education

<i>1995-1996 School Year</i>				<i>Connecticut Mastery Test Percent Above Goal</i>						
	<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>		Grade 4		Grade 6		Grade 8		
				<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>	<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>	
Total Students	871	461,203		Reading	74	55	72	60	80	64
Total Expenditures Per Pupil	\$8,443	\$8,300		Math	67	59	51	52	61	51
Average Teacher's Salary	\$52,093	\$48,598		Writing	63	46	51	46	79	51
Students Attending Public School	93.2%	89.2%		<i>Average SAT Score</i>						
Student/Teacher Ratio	71.2	14.5		Verbal	<i>Town</i>		<i>State</i>			
Grads Pursuing Post-Sec. Education	71.2%	75.8%		Math	534	503				
High School Dropout Rate	2.1%	4.6%			527	499				
<i>Average Class Size</i>										
Kindergarten	11.5	Grade 2	21.7							
Grade 5	18.5	Grade 7	23.9	High School	17.6					

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## Government

Government Form	Selectman- Town Meeting		Annual Debt Service (1996)	\$1,322,293	
Total Revenue (1996)	\$11,004,158	Total Expenditures (1996)	\$11,438,594	As % of Expenditures	11.6%
Tax Revenue	\$6,573,327	Education	\$6,606,214	Equalized Grand List (1996)	\$337,907,087
Non-tax Revenue	\$344,661	Other	\$4,832,380	Per Capita	\$69,672
Intergovernmental	\$4,086,170	Total Indebtness (1996)	\$9,977,500	As % of State Average	89.4%
Per Capita Tax (1996)	\$1,250	As % of Expenditures	87.2%	Date of Last Revaluation	10/ 1/90
As % of State Average	87.8%	Per Capita	\$2,057	Moody's Bond Rating (1997)	
		As % of State Average	197.7%	Actual Mill Rate (1997)	24.25
				Equalized Mill Rate (1996)	19.44
				% of Grand List Com/Ind (1995)	10.1%

## Housing

Housing Stock (1997)	Town	County	State	Sales Price Distribution (1996)	Town	County	State
Existing Units (total)	1,990	109,981	1,374,566	Number of Sales			
% Single Unit	91.4%	66.5%	62.9%	Less than \$100,000	18	1,923	22,254
New Permits Auth. (1997)	23	825	9,349	\$100,001-\$200,000	37	1,682	20,713
As % Existing Units	1.16%	0.75%	0.68%	\$200,001-\$300,000	6	247	6,600
Demolitions (1997)	0	67	1,193	\$300,001-\$400,000	1	72	2,730
Residential Sales (1996)	62	4,000	56,333	\$400,001 or More	0	76	4,036
Average Price	\$152,812	\$127,398	\$194,596	1996 Characteristics			
Median Price	\$143,500	\$114,000	\$138,000	Owner Occupied Dwellings	1,456	60,315	807,559
				Housing Stock Age - Pre-1950	23.7%	35.6%	33.9%
				Subsidized Housing Units	26	11,508	148,930

## Labor Force

1997	Town	County	State	Commuters (1990)	Commuters into Town from	Town Residents Commuting to	
Labor Force	2,891	133,951	1,723,300	1. Rhode Island	446	Groton	643
Employed	2,762	126,435	1,635,400	2. North	434	North Stonington	434
Unemployed	129	7,516	87,900	3. Stonington	151	Stonington	411
Unemployment Rate	4.5%	5.6%	5.1%	4. Ledyard	125	Rhode Island	236
Total Employment	1,450	126,990	1,581,700	5. Groton	112	New London	212
Manufacturing	290	20,790	265,850	6. Norwich	53	Waterford	116
'92-'97 Growth Rate	3.6%	16.7%	4.3%	7. New London	49	Norwich	73
Daytime Population	2,038	119,632	1,740,247	8. Waterford	45	Montville	63
				9. East Lyme	33	Ledyard	60
				10. Montville	28	Massachusetts	34

## Quality of Life

	Town	State	Library (1996-1997)	Town	Residential Utilities
Banks (1997)	0	1,378	Total Volumes	34,463	Electric Provider
Lodging (1997)	7	756	Circulation Per Capita	8.8	Connecticut Light & Power
Day Care Facilities (1998)	3	1,651			1-800-286-2000
Infant Mortality Rate Per 1,000 Res. (1995)	0.358	0.099	Distance to Major Cities	Miles	Gas Provider
Crime Rate (1996) Per 1,000 Residents	18.8	40	Hartford	46	Yankee Gas Company
% Open Land (1990)	86.4%	68.8%	Boston	74	1-800-989-0900
			New York City	122	Water Provider
			Providence	34	Municipal Provider
Hospitals (1997)	0	2			Contact local provider
Total Beds	0	563			Cable Provider
					Comcast Cablevision of Groton, Inc.
					860-445-8116