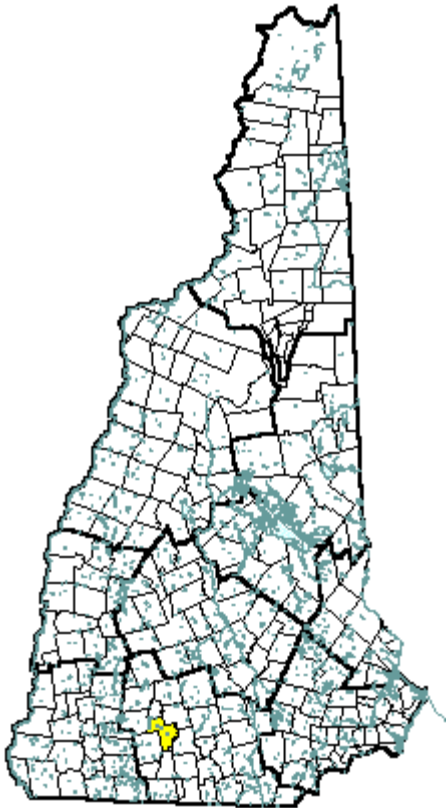


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County
 Labor Market Area
 Tourism Region
 Planning Commission
 Regional Development

Hillsborough
Nashua NH-MA NECTA Division, NH Portion
Monadnock
Southwest Region
Monadnock Economic Development Corp.

Election Districts

US Congress
 Executive Council
 State Senate
 State Representative

District 2
District 2
District 9
Hillsborough County District 2

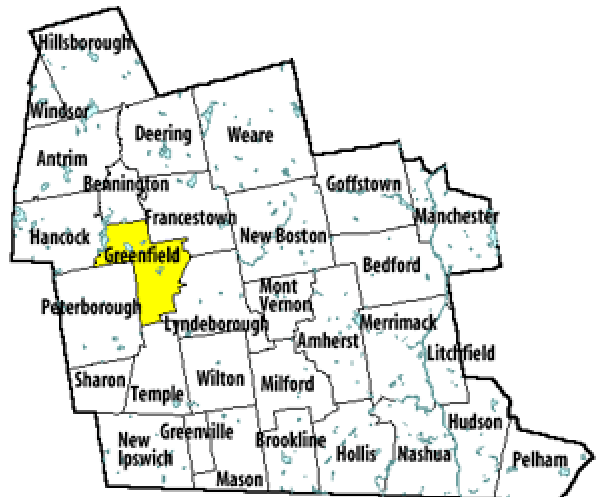
Incorporated: 1791

Origin: This area was part of Cumberland or the "Society Land" which had been set aside by the Masonian Proprietors for their own estates. When first settled in 1753 by the Lynde family, it was known as Lyndeborough Addition. The Monadnock hills cut residents off from Lyndeborough's church and school, so in 1791 they petitioned for the right to form their own town. The name was chosen to indicate the town's location on a level, fertile ground between the hills. Greenfield is the location of the Crotoned Mountain Foundation, a rehabilitation center for handicapped children; the Crotoned Mountain Ski Area; and Greenfield State Park, on Otter Lake.

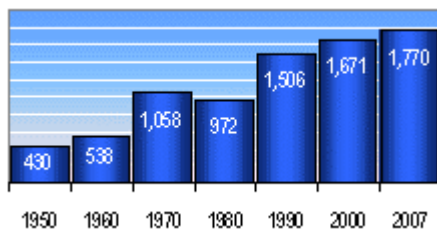
Villages and Place Names: unknown

Population, Year of the First Census Taken: 934 residents in 1800

Population Trends: Population change for Greenfield totaled 1,241 over 50 years, from 430 in 1950 to 1,671 in 2000. The largest decennial percent change was a 97 percent between 1960 and 1970, which was followed by an eight percent decrease over the next decade. The 2007 Census estimate for Greenfield was 1,770 residents, which ranked 148th among New Hampshire's incorporated cities and towns.



Hillsborough County



Population Density and Land Area (NH Office of Energy & Planning): 67.3 persons per square mile of land area. Greenfield contains 26.5 square miles of land area and 0.6 square miles of inland water area.

MUNICIPAL SERVICES

Type of Government	Selectmen
Budget: Municipal Appropriations, 2008	\$1,671,397
Budget: School Appropriations,	not available
Zoning Ordinance	1936/05
Master Plan	2003
Capital Improvement Plan	Yes
Industrial Plans Reviewed By	Planning Board

Boards and Commissions

Elected:	Selectmen; Planning
Appointed:	Conservation; Library; Cemetery; Zoning; Budget; Recycle; Energy

Public Library **Stephenson Memorial****EMERGENCY SERVICES**

Police Department	Full-time	
Fire Department	Volunteer	
Town Fire Insurance Rating	9/10	
Emergency Medical Service	Volunteer	
Nearest Hospital(s)	Distance	Staffed Beds
Monadnock Community, Peterborough	6 miles	25

UTILITIES

Electric Supplier	PSNH	
Natural Gas Supplier	None	
Water Supplier	Private wells	
Sanitation	Private septic	
Municipal Wastewater Treatment Plant	No	
Solid Waste Disposal	none	
Curbside Trash Pickup	none	
Pay-As-You-Throw Program	No	
Recycling Program	Mandatory	
Telephone Company	Fairpoint	
Cellular Telephone Access	Yes	
Cable Television Access	No	
Public Access Television Station	No	
High Speed Internet Service:	Business	Limited
	Residential	Limited

PROPERTY TAXES (NH Dept. of Revenue Administration)

2007 Total Tax Rate (per \$1000 of value)	\$20.28
2007 Equalization Ratio	100
2007 Full Value Tax Rate (per \$1000 of value)	\$19.38
2007 Percent of Local Assessed Valuation by Property Type	
Residential Land and Buildings	93.1%
Commercial Land and Buildings	4.5%
Public Utilities, Current Use, and Other	2.4%

HOUSING SUPPLY (NH Office of Energy and Planning)

2007 Total Housing Units	740
2007 Single-Family Units	638
Residential Permits, Net Change of Units	19
2007 Multi-Family Units	76
Residential Permits, Net Change of Units	0
2007 Manufactured Housing Units	26

DEMOGRAPHICS

(US Census Bureau)

Total Population	Community	County
2007	1,770	402,302
2000	1,671	382,384
1990	1,506	336,549
1980	972	276,608
1970	1,058	233,941

Census 2000 Demographics

Population by Gender			
Male	845	Female	812
Population by Age Group			
Under age 5			87
Age 5 to 19			483
Age 20 to 34			276
Age 35 to 54			585
Age 55 to 64			109
Age 65 and over			117
Median Age			34.5 years

Educational Attainment, population 25 years and over

High school graduate or higher	90.9%
Bachelor's degree or higher	27.6%

ANNUAL INCOME, 1999

(US Census Bureau)

Per capita income	\$19,895
Median 4-person family income	\$56,250
Median household income	\$48,833
Median Earnings, full-time, year-round workers	
Male	\$36,250
Female	\$24,437
Families below the poverty level	2.4%

LABOR FORCE

(NHES - ELMI)

Annual Average	1997	2007
Civilian labor force	747	1,011
Employed	728	981
Unemployed	19	30
Unemployment rate	2.5%	3.0%

EMPLOYMENT & WAGES

(NHES - ELMI)

Annual Average Covered Employment	1997	2007
Goods Producing Industries		
Average Employment	n	n
Average Weekly Wage	n	n
Service Providing Industries		
Average Employment	n	n
Average Weekly Wage	n	n
Total Private Industry		
Average Employment	683	993
Average Weekly Wage	\$532	\$694
Government (Federal, State, and Local)		
Average Employment	35	34
Average Weekly Wage	\$320	\$450
Total, Private Industry plus Government		
Average Employment	718	1,027
Average Weekly Wage	\$522	\$686

n = indicates that data does not meet disclosure standards

EDUCATION AND CHILD CARE

Schools students attend:	Grades K-12 are part of Contoocook Valley Cooperative (Antrim, Bennington, Dublin, Frankestown, Greenfield, Hancock, Peterborough, Sharon, Temple)			District: SAU 1
Career Technology Center(s):	Region 14 Applied Technology Center, Peterborough			Region: 14
Educational Facilities	Elementary	Middle/Junior High	High School	Private/Parochial
Number of Schools	1			1
Grade Levels	P K 1-4			n/a
Total Enrollment	99			118
NH Licensed Child Care Facilities, 2008:	Total Facilities: 1	Total Capacity: 80		
Nearest Community College:	Manchester			
Nearest Colleges or Universities:	Franklin Pierce University; Keene State; New England			

LARGEST BUSINESSES	PRODUCT/SERVICE	EMPLOYEES	ESTABLISHED
Crotched Mountain	Brain injury rehabilitation center	900	1953
American Steel	Steel erection, fabrication	50+	1981
Delays Country Store	Convenience store	15	
Paper Thermometer Co.	Temperature indicators	6	1976
NE Forest Products	Hardwood	5	

TRANSPORTATION *(distances estimated from city/town hall)*

Road Access	US Routes	
	State Routes	31, 136
Nearest Interstate, Exit		I-89, Exit 5
	Distance	29 miles
Railroad		No
Public Transportation		No
Nearest Public Use Airport, General Aviation		
Hawthorne-Feather, Antrim	Runway	3,260 ft. asphalt
Lighted? Yes	Navigation Aids?	No
Nearest Airport with Scheduled Service		
Manchester-Boston Regional	Distance	28 miles
Number of Passenger Airlines Serving Airport		8
Driving distance to select cities:		
Manchester, NH		26 miles
Portland, Maine		130 miles
Boston, Mass.		71 miles
New York City, NY		247 miles
Montreal, Quebec		264 miles

COMMUTING TO WORK *(US Census Bureau)*

Workers 16 years and over	
Drove alone, car/truck/van	83.6%
Carpooled, car/truck/van	8.3%
Public transportation	0.0%
Walked	2.4%
Other means	0.6%
Worked at home	5.2%
Mean Travel Time to Work	29.5 minutes
Percent of Working Residents:	
Working in community of residence	20%
Commuting to another NH community	76%
Commuting out-of-state	4%

RECREATION, ATTRACTIONS, AND EVENTS

X	Municipal Parks
	YMCA/YWCA
	Boys Club/Girls Club
	Golf Courses
	Swimming: Indoor Facility
X	Swimming: Outdoor Facility
	Tennis Courts: Indoor Facility
X	Tennis Courts: Outdoor Facility
	Ice Skating Rink: Indoor Facility
	Bowling Facilities
	Museums
	Cinemas
	Performing Arts Facilities
	Tourist Attractions
X	Youth Organizations (i.e., Scouts, 4-H)
X	Youth Sports: Baseball
X	Youth Sports: Soccer
	Youth Sports: Football
	Youth Sports: Basketball
	Youth Sports: Hockey
X	Campgrounds
X	Fishing/Hunting
X	Boating/Marinas
X	Snowmobile Trails
X	Bicycle Trails
X	Cross Country Skiing
X	Beach or Waterfront Recreation Area
	Overnight or Day Camps
	Nearest Ski Area(s): Pat's Peak, Crotched Mountain
	Other: Two (2) Town Beaches; Greenfield State Park; Hiking