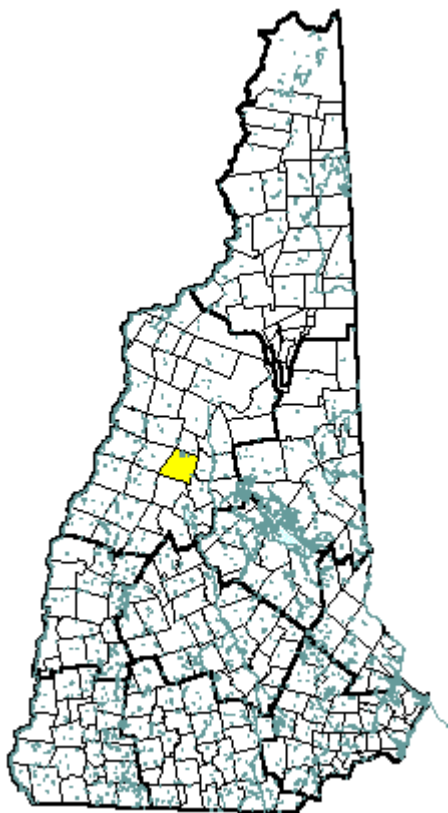


Rumney, NH



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Municipal Office Hours	Administration: Monday, Wednesday, Friday, 8 am - 2 pm; Town Clerk/Tax Collector: Monday, 9 am - 2 pm and 4 pm - 8 pm, Tuesday through Friday, 9 am - 2 pm
County	Grafton
Labor Market Area	Plymouth NH LMA
Tourism Region	Lakes
Planning Commission	North Country Council
Regional Development	Grafton County Economic Development Council
Election Districts	
US Congress	District 2
Executive Council	District 1
State Senate	District 2
State Representative	Grafton County District 6

Incorporated: 1761

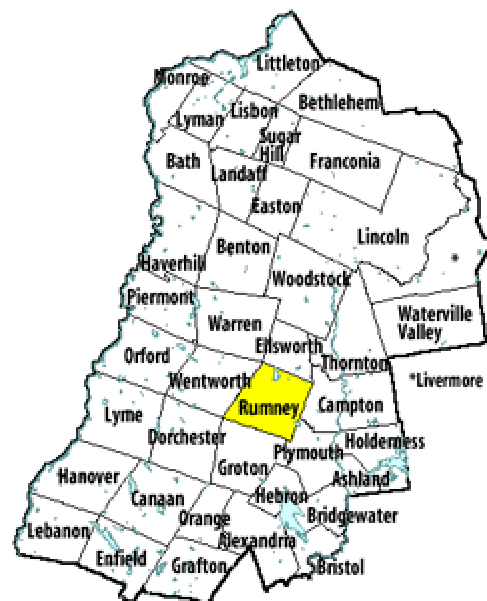
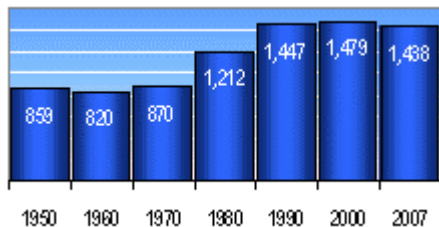
Origin: This town was first granted in 1761 to Samuel Olmstead and other settlers from the Connecticut River towns of East Haddam and Colchester. Governor Benning Wentworth named the township for Robert Marsham, second Baron Romney. The original grant specified that all families were to meet terms within five years. Not all grantees were able to comply with the charter, and in 1767 the town was regranted to a new group of settlers, led by Daniel Brainard. The actual town boundaries were established in 1784. Rumney's Stinson Lake was named for David Stinson of Londonderry, who was killed by Indians while hunting in the area in 1752.

Villages and Place Names: Quincy, Rumney Depot, Stinson Lake, West Rumney

Population, Year of the First Census Taken: 411 residents in 1790

Population Trends: Population change for Rumney totaled 620 over 50 years, from 859 in 1950 to 1,479 in 2000. The largest decennial percent change was a 39 percent increase between 1970 and 1980, accounting for over half of the total numeric increase. The 2007 Census estimate for Rumney was 1,438 residents, which ranked 162nd

among New Hampshire's incorporated cities and towns.



Grafton County

Population Density and Land Area (NH Office of Energy & Planning): 37.1 persons per square mile of land area. Rumney contains 42.0 square miles of land area and 0.6 square miles of inland water area.

MUNICIPAL SERVICES

Type of Government	Selectmen
Budget: Municipal Appropriations, 2007	\$1,415,387
Budget: School Appropriations, 2005-2006	\$2,163,961
Zoning Ordinance	No Board
Master Plan	1985
Capital Improvement Plan	Yes
Industrial Plans Reviewed By	Planning Board

Boards and Commissions

Elected: **Selectmen; Planning; Library; Trust Funds; Cemetery; Advisory**

Appointed: **Conservation**

Public Library **Byron G. Merrill**

EMERGENCY SERVICES

Police Department	Full & part-time
Fire Department	Volunteer
Town Fire Insurance Rating	9/10
Emergency Medical Service	Volunteer
Nearest Hospital(s)	Distance Staffed Beds
Speare Memorial, Plymouth	8 miles 25

UTILITIES

Electric Supplier	NH Electric Coop
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	Limited
Cable Television Access	Yes
Public Access Television Station	No
High Speed Internet Service: Business	Yes
Residential	Yes

PROPERTY TAXES (NH Dept. of Revenue Administration)

2007 Total Tax Rate (per \$1000 of value)	\$15.46
2007 Equalization Ratio	94.2
2007 Full Value Tax Rate (per \$1000 of value)	\$14.72
2007 Percent of Local Assessed Valuation by Property Type	
Residential Land and Buildings	87.7%
Commercial Land and Buildings	7.9%
Public Utilities, Current Use, and Other	4.5%

HOUSING SUPPLY (NH Office of Energy and Planning)

2007 Total Housing Units	953
2007 Single-Family Units	769
Residential Permits, Net Change of Units	0
2007 Multi-Family Units	81
Residential Permits, Net Change of Units	0
2007 Manufactured Housing Units	103

DEMOGRAPHICS

(US Census Bureau)

Total Population	Community	County
2007	1,438	85,514
2000	1,479	81,826
1990	1,447	74,998
1980	1,212	65,806
1970	870	54,914

Census 2000 Demographics

Population by Gender

Male	750	Female	730
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Population by Age Group

Under age 5	73
Age 5 to 19	330
Age 20 to 34	214
Age 35 to 54	473
Age 55 to 64	151
Age 65 and over	239
Median Age	40.9 years

Educational Attainment, population 25 years and over

High school graduate or higher	82.3%
Bachelor's degree or higher	26.1%

ANNUAL INCOME, 1999

(US Census Bureau)

Per capita income	\$17,169
Median 4-person family income	\$42,895
Median household income	\$38,125
Median Earnings, full-time, year-round workers	
Male	\$26,594
Female	\$21,705
Families below the poverty level	4.9%

LABOR FORCE

(NHES - ELMI)

Annual Average	1997	2007
Civilian labor force	879	736
Employed	859	707
Unemployed	20	29
Unemployment rate	2.3%	3.9%

EMPLOYMENT & WAGES

(NHES - ELMI)

Annual Average Covered Employment	1997	2007
Goods Producing Industries		
Average Employment	91	134
Average Weekly Wage	\$444	\$548
Service Providing Industries		
Average Employment	135	162
Average Weekly Wage	\$316	\$497
Total Private Industry		
Average Employment	226	296
Average Weekly Wage	\$368	\$520
Government (Federal, State, and Local)		
Average Employment	84	77
Average Weekly Wage	\$300	\$582
Total, Private Industry plus Government		
Average Employment	310	373
Average Weekly Wage	\$349	\$533

n = indicates that data does not meet disclosure standards

EDUCATION AND CHILD CARE

Schools students attend:	Rumney operates grades K-8; grades 9-12 are part of Pemi-Baker Cooperative (Ashland, Campton, Holderness, Plymouth, Rumney, Thornton, Wentworth)			District: SAU 48
Career Technology Center(s):	Plymouth Regional High School			Region: 05
Educational Facilities	Elementary	Middle/Junior High	High School	Private/Parochial
Number of Schools	1			1
Grade Levels	K 1-8			K 1-8
Total Enrollment	149			22
NH Licensed Child Care Facilities, 2008:	Total Facilities: 1		Total Capacity: 17	
Nearest Community College:	Lakes Region			
Nearest Colleges or Universities:	Plymouth State University			

LARGEST BUSINESSES	PRODUCT/SERVICE	EMPLOYEES	ESTABLISHED
Hawkenson Enterprises, Inc.	Lumber equipment	15	
Kelly Manufacturing, Inc.	Hardwood crutches	5	1886
Foreco/NCP	Forestry services	4	1980
Plain Jane's Diner	Restaurant		
Cersosimo Lumber Company, Inc.	Lumber mill		
Davis Welding & Fabrication	Stove pokers		
Stinson Mountain Grill	Restaurant		
Gilman's Coach and Camper	Camper sales		
King Industries	Lumber mill		

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

Road Access	US Routes	
	State Routes	25
Nearest Interstate, Exit		I-93, Exit 26
	Distance	8 miles
Railroad		No
Public Transportation		No
Nearest Public Use Airport, General Aviation		
Plymouth Regional	Runway	2,380 ft. turf
Lighted? No	Navigation Aids?	No
Nearest Airport with Scheduled Service		
Lebanon Municipal	Distance	37 miles
Number of Passenger Airlines Serving Airport		1
Driving distance to select cities:		
Manchester, NH		68 miles
Portland, Maine		99 miles
Boston, Mass.		119 miles
New York City, NY		307 miles
Montreal, Quebec		208 miles

COMMUTING TO WORK *(US Census Bureau)*

Workers 16 years and over	
Drove alone, car/truck/van	74.5%
Carpooled, car/truck/van	14.4%
Public transportation	0.7%
Walked	5.1%
Other means	1.6%
Worked at home	3.7%
Mean Travel Time to Work	23.2 minutes
Percent of Working Residents:	
Working in community of residence	24%
Commuting to another NH community	75%
Commuting out-of-state	1%

RECREATION, ATTRACTIONS, AND EVENTS

	Municipal Parks
	YMCA/YWCA
	Boys Club/Girls Club
	Golf Courses
	Swimming: Indoor Facility
	Swimming: Outdoor Facility
	Tennis Courts: Indoor Facility
	Tennis Courts: Outdoor Facility
	Ice Skating Rink: Indoor Facility
	Bowling Facilities
	Museums
	Cinemas
	Performing Arts Facilities
X	Tourist Attractions
X	Youth Organizations (i.e., Scouts, 4-H)
	Youth Sports: Baseball
	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
	Beach or Waterfront Recreation Area
X	Overnight or Day Camps
	Nearest Ski Area(s): Waterville Valley, Tenney Mountain
	Other: Polar Caves; Rumney Rocks