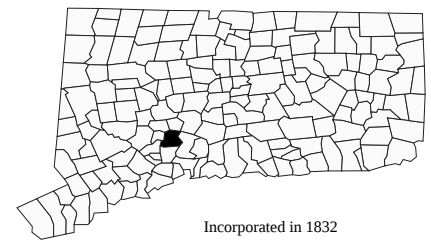


Bethany, Connecticut

CERC Town Profile 2018 *Produced by The CT Data Collaborative*

Town Hall
40 Peck Road
Bethany, CT 06524
(203) 393-2100

Belongs To
New Haven County
LMA New Haven
South Central Planning Area



Incorporated in 1832

Demographics

Population

	Town	County	State
2000	5,040	824,008	3,405,565
2010	5,563	862,477	3,574,097
2012-2016	5,521	860,874	3,588,570
2020	5,715	898,514	3,604,591
'16 - '20 Growth / Yr	0.8%	1.0%	0.1%

	Town	County	State
Land Area (sq. miles)	21	605	4,842
Pop./Sq. Mile (2012-2016)	261	1,424	741
Median Age (2012-2016)	45	40	41
Households (2012-2016)	1,999	326,487	1,354,713
Med. HH Inc. (2012-2016)	\$106,058	\$62,715	\$71,755

	Town	State
Veterans (2012-2016)	246	188,759

Age Distribution (2012-2016)

	0-4		5-14		15-24		25-44		45-64		65+		Total	
Town	229	4%	835	15%	444	8%	1,248	23%	1,884	34%	881	16%	5,521	100%
County	45,608	5%	101,958	12%	121,393	14%	217,078	25%	240,502	28%	134,335	16%	860,874	100%
State	188,812	5%	439,100	12%	494,529	14%	878,077	24%	1,033,029	29%	555,023	15%	3,588,570	100%

Race/Ethnicity (2012-2016)

	Town	County	State
White Alone, Non-Hispanic	4,769	557,698	2,464,450
Black Alone	69	110,829	372,696
Asian	313	33,744	152,782
Native American	0	1,688	9,399
Other/Multi-Race	84	70,065	284,582
Hispanic or Latino	286	144,549	537,728

	Town	County	State
Poverty Rate (2012-2016)	2.5%	12.8%	10.4%

Educational Attainment (2012-2016)

	Town	County	State	
High School Graduate	866	22%	673,220	27%
Associates Degree	312	8%	184,426	7%
Bachelors or Higher	1,974	49%	938,319	38%

Economics

Business Profile (2016)

Sector	Units	Employment
Total - All Industries	159	1,247
23 - Construction	21	79
31-33 - Manufacturing	9	277
44-45 - Retail Trade	11	49
48-49 - Transportation and Warehousing	5	117
62 - Health Care and Social Assistance	10	110
Total Government	10	244

Top Five Grand List (2015)

	Amount
Laticrete International Inc.	\$13,560,780
Connecticut Light & Power	\$11,988,460
Connecticut Water Company	\$5,494,430
Woodhaven Country Club	\$1,281,320
Uniroyal Chemical Co Inc	\$911,560
Net Grand List (SFY 2015-2016)	\$551,306,171

Major Employers (2016)

Laticrete International	Town of Bethany
State of CT	Amity Regional Middle School
B & B Transportation	

Education

2017-2018 School Year

	Grades	Enrollment
Bethany School District	PK-6	365
Regional School District 05	7-12	2,216

Smarter Balanced Test Percent Above Goal (2016-2017)

	Grade 3		Grade 4		Grade 8	
	Town	State	Town	State	Town	State
Math	68.6%	53.1%	0.0%	50.0%	NA	41.8%
ELA	67.3%	51.8%	60.7%	54.1%	NA	53.7%

Pre-K Enrollment (PSIS)

	2016-2017
Bethany School District	15

Rate of Chronic Absenteeism (2016-2017)

	All
Connecticut	9.9%
Bethany School District	6.1%
Regional School District 05	5.8%

4-Year Cohort Graduation Rate (2016-2017)

	All	Female	Male
Connecticut	87.9%	90.9%	85.1%
Regional School District 05	95.7%	*	*

Public vs Private Enrollment (2012-2016)

	Town	County	State
Public	86.9%	88.0%	86.8%
Private	13.1%	12.0%	13.2%

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Government

Government Form: Selectman - Town Meeting

Total Revenue (2016)	\$24,113,267	Total Expenditures (2016)	\$23,233,534	Annual Debt Service (2016)	\$1,047,607
Tax Revenue	\$19,523,218	Education	\$16,698,230	As % of Expenditures	4.5%
Non-tax Revenue	\$4,590,049	Other	\$6,535,304	Eq. Net Grand List (2016)	\$830,045,629
Intergovernmental	\$3,424,720	Total Indebtedness (2016)	\$10,803,627	Per Capita	\$151,247
Per Capita Tax (2016)	\$3,536	As % of Expenditures	46.5%	As % of State Average	100.0%
As % of State Average	123.1%	Per Capita	\$1,969	Moody's Bond Rating (2016)	Aa2
		As % of State Average	79.4%	Actual Mill Rate (2016)	35.04
				Equalized Mill Rate (2016)	23.38
				% of Net Grand List Com/Ind (2016)	5.4%

Housing/Real Estate

Housing Stock (2012-2016)

	Town	County	State
Total Units	2,017	362,497	1,493,798
% Single Unit (2012-2016)	94.9%	53.6%	59.1%
New Permits Auth (2017)	2	750	4,547
As % Existing Units	0.1%	0.2%	0.3%
Demolitions (2017)	2	202	1,403
Home Sales	NA	5,858	26,310
Median Price	\$343,500	\$244,000	\$269,300
Built Pre-1950 share	13.9%	33.4%	29.7%
Owner Occupied Dwellings	1,807	203,568	900,223
As % Total Dwellings	90.4%	62.4%	66.5%
Subsidized Housing (2017)	12	46,104	168,576

Distribution of House Sales

	Town	County	State
Less than \$100,000	NA	1,128	3,417
\$100,000-\$199,999	NA	2,047	7,522
\$200,000-\$299,999	NA	1,418	6,031
\$300,000-\$399,999	NA	730	3,380
\$400,000 or More	NA	535	5,960

Rental (2012-2016)

	Town	County	State
Median Rent	\$1,115	\$1,075	\$1,094
Cost-burdened Renters	54.4%	55.9%	52.5%

Labor Force

	Town	County	State
Residents Employed	2,973	430,024	1,795,519
Residents Unemployed	120	24,872	96,273
Unemployment Rate	3.9%	5.5%	5.1%
Self-Employed Rate	13.1%	8.5%	9.9%
Total Employers	159	23,754	117,337
Total Employed	1,247	362,096	1,666,580

Connecticut Commuters (2015)

Commuters Into Town From:	Town Residents Commuting To:	
Bethany, CT	170 New Haven, CT	532
Naugatuck, CT	99 Bethany, CT	170
New Haven, CT	93 Milford, CT	160
Waterbury, CT	74 Hamden, CT	140
Hamden, CT	69 Stratford, CT	105
Cheshire, CT	62 Bridgeport, CT	97
Milford, CT	44 Waterbury, CT	96

Quality of Life

Crime Rates (per 100,000 residents) (2016)

	Town	State
Property	661	1,780
Violent	19	224

Disengaged Youth (2012-2016)

	Town	State
Female	0.0%	4.5%
Male	0.0%	5.5%

	Town
Library circulation per capita	4.71

Distance to Major Cities

	Miles
Hartford	29
New York City	71
Providence	86
Boston	120
Montreal	287

Residential Utilities

Electric Provider
Eversource Energy (800) 286-2000
Water Provider
Connecticut Water Company (800) 286-5700
Cable Provider
Comcast Seymour (800) 266-2278