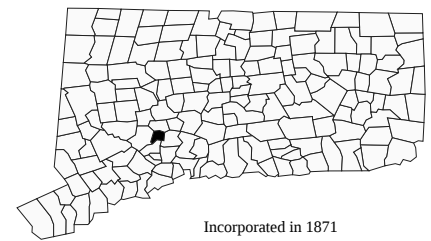


# Beacon Falls, Connecticut

CERC Town Profile 2017 *Produced by The CT Data Collaborative*

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Beacon Falls, CT 06403  
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*Belongs To*  
New Haven County  
LMA Waterbury  
Naugatuck Valley Planning Area



Incorporated in 1871

## Demographics

### Population

	Town	County	State
2000	5,246	824,008	3,405,565
2010	6,049	862,477	3,574,097
2011-2015	6,069	862,224	3,593,222
2020	6,420	898,514	3,604,591
'15 - '20 Growth / Yr	1.1%	0.8%	0.1%

	Town	County	State
Land Area (sq. miles)	10	605	4,842
Pop./Sq. Mile (2011-2015)	628	1,426	742
Median Age (2011-2015)	43	40	40
Households (2011-2015)	2,370	326,028	1,352,583
Med. HH Inc. (2011-2015)	\$83,155	\$61,640	\$70,331

### Race/Ethnicity (2011-2015)

	Town	County	State
White Alone, Non-Hispanic	5,603	563,977	2,487,119
Black Alone, Non-Hispanic	78	110,719	370,501
Asian	32	33,587	150,670
Native American	0	1,785	8,908
Other/Multi-Race	50	69,215	283,800
Hispanic (Any Race)	324	141,282	526,508

	Town	County	State
Poverty Rate (2011-2015)	4.1%	13.0%	10.5%

### Educational Attainment (2011-2015)

	Town	County	State
High School Graduate	1,433	34%	673,973
Associates Degree	341	8%	183,289
Bachelors or Higher	1,309	31%	925,607

### Age Distribution (2011-2015)

	0-4		5-14		15-24		25-44		45-64		65+		Total	
Town	104	2%	930	15%	800	13%	1,366	23%	2,045	34%	824	14%	6,069	100%
County	46,057	5%	103,421	12%	121,658	14%	218,390	25%	241,236	28%	131,462	15%	862,224	100%
State	191,445	5%	446,058	12%	492,864	14%	885,518	25%	1,035,059	29%	542,278	15%	3,593,222	100%

## Economics

### Business Profile (2015)

Sector	Units	Employment
Total - All Industries	129	912
23 - Construction	22	179
31-33 - Manufacturing	14	134
42 - Wholesale Trade	22	171
44-45 - Retail Trade	8	19
Total Government	17	277

### Top Five Grand List (2013)

	Amount
Two North Main LLC	\$11,133,280
Connecticut Light & Power	\$9,452,330
AM Alexandria LLC	\$4,435,050
Murtha Enterprises Inc.	\$3,429,730
Aquarion Water Co of CT	\$2,593,510
Net Grand List (SFY 2014-2015)	\$475,004,584

### Major Employers (2016)

NEJ, Inc	DiGiorgi Roofing & Siding
Thule	NORDCO
Magna Steel	

## Education

### 2016-2017 School Year

Regional School District 16	Grades	Enrollment
	PK-12	2,211

### Smarter Balanced Test Percent Above Goal (2015-2016)

	Grade 3		Grade 4		Grade 8	
	Town	State	Town	State	Town	State
Math	79.9%	52.8%	64.5%	47.9%	41.6%	40.3%
ELA	75.3%	53.9%	73.5%	55.5%	58.5%	55.5%

### Pre-K Enrollment (PSIS)

Regional School District 16	2016-2017
	51

### Rate of Chronic Absenteeism (2015-2016)

Connecticut	All	9.6%
Regional School District 16		7.2%

### 4-Year Cohort Graduation Rate (2014-2015)

	All	Female	Male
Connecticut	87.2%	90.1%	84.4%
Regional School District 16	94.6%	95.0%	93.9%

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## Government

Government Form: Selectman - Town Meeting

Total Revenue (2015)	\$20,924,327	Total Expenditures (2015)	\$20,837,294	Annual Debt Service (2015)	\$613,546
Tax Revenue	\$15,752,349	Education	\$14,614,288	As % of Expenditures	2.9%
Non-tax Revenue	\$5,171,978	Other	\$6,223,006	Eq. Net Grand List (2015)	\$629,447,447
Intergovernmental	\$4,574,430	Total Indebtedness (2015)	\$18,303,642	Per Capita	\$103,511
Per Capita Tax (2015)	\$2,526	As % of Expenditures	87.8%	As % of State Average	69.8%
As % of State Average	90.5%	Per Capita	\$3,010	Moody's Bond Rating (2015)	-
		As % of State Average	123.9%	Actual Mill Rate (2015)	32.50
				Equalized Mill Rate (2015)	24.40
				% of Net Grand List Com/Ind (2015)	9.4%

## Housing/Real Estate

Housing Stock (2011-2015)

	Town	County	State
Total Units	2,623	362,351	1,491,786
% Single Unit (2011-2015)	58.6%	53.5%	59.2%
New Permits Auth (2015)	21	1,161	6,077
As % Existing Units	0.8%	0.3%	0.4%
Demolitions (2015)	0	184	1,230
Home Sales (2013)	69	5,858	26,310
Median Price	\$233,000	\$245,200	\$270,500
Built Pre-1950 share	21.7%	33.2%	29.3%
Owner Occupied Dwellings	1,981	204,886	906,227
As % Total Dwellings	83.6%	62.8%	67.0%
Subsidized Housing (2015)	41	46,311	172,556

Distribution of House Sales (2013)

	Town	County	State
Less than \$100,000	13	1,128	3,417
\$100,000-\$199,999	15	2,047	7,522
\$200,000-\$299,999	18	1,418	6,031
\$300,000-\$399,999	23	730	3,380
\$400,000 or More	0	535	5,960

## Labor Force

Place of Residence (2015)

	Town	County	State
Labor Force	3,432	455,240	1,890,506
Employed	3,255	426,888	1,782,269
Unemployed	177	28,352	108,237
Unemployment Rate	5.2%	6.2%	5.7%

Connecticut Commuters (2014)

Commuters Into Town From:	Town Residents Commuting To:		
Waterbury, CT	114	Waterbury, CT	245
Beacon Falls, CT	111	Shelton, CT	184
Naugatuck, CT	60	New Haven, CT	160
Prospect, CT	60	Stratford, CT	154
Seymour, CT	28	Seymour, CT	125
Watertown, CT	25	Beacon Falls, CT	111
Ansonia, CT	23	Milford, CT	107

Place of Work (2015)

	Town	County	State
Units	129	23,433	116,246
Total Employment	912	359,962	1,662,822
2012-'15 AAGR	116.3%	93.6%	100.0%
Mfg Employment	134	30,410	79,612

## Other Information

Crime Rate (2014)

	Town	State
Per 100,000 residents	1,193	2,167

Distance to Major Cities

	Miles
Hartford	30
New York City	71
Providence	89
Boston	122
Montreal	285

Residential Utilities

<b>Electric Provider</b>
Eversource Energy (800) 286-2000
<b>Gas Provider</b>
Eversource Energy (800) 989-0900
<b>Water Provider</b>
Connecticut Water Company (800) 286-5700
<b>Cable Provider</b>
Comcast Seymour (800) 266-2278

Families Receiving (2014)

	Town
Temporary Family Assistance (TFA)	10

Population Receiving (2014)

	Town
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)	167