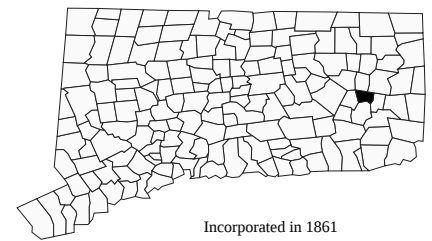


Sprague, Connecticut

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Belongs To
New London County
LMA Norwich - New London
Southeast Economic Dev. Region
Southeastern Connecticut Planning Area



Incorporated in 1861

Demographics

Population (2010-2014)

	Town	County	State
2000	2,971	259,088	3,405,565
2010	2,984	274,055	3,574,097
2014	2,993	274,071	3,592,053
2020	3,031	283,665	3,702,469
'14 - '20 Growth / Yr	0.2%	0.6%	0.5%

	Town	County	State
Land Area (sq. miles)	13	665	4,842
Pop./Sq. Mile (2010)	226	412	742
Median Age (2010-2014)	43	41	40
Households (2010-2014)	1,287	106,882	1,356,206
Med. HH Inc. (2010-2014)	\$67,076	\$66,693	\$69,899

Age Distribution (2010-2014)

	0-4		5-14		15-24		25-44		45-64		65+		Total	
Town	97	3%	312	10%	367	12%	791	26%	986	33%	440	15%	2,993	100%
County	14,320	5%	32,315	12%	38,674	14%	67,521	25%	79,834	29%	41,407	15%	274,071	100%
State	194,338	5%	452,157	13%	489,981	14%	892,275	25%	1,032,223	29%	531,079	15%	3,592,053	100%

Race/Ethnicity (2010-2014)

	Town	County	State
White	2,682	211,433	2,508,360
Black	48	15,500	365,871
Asian Pacific	35	11,690	145,842
Native American	0	144	1,105
Other/Multi-Race	137	20,241	282,094
Hispanic (Any Race)	74	25,384	512,795

	Town	County	State
Poverty Rate (2010-2014)	7.1%	9.1%	10.5%

Educational Attainment (2010-2014)

	Town	County	State	
High School Graduate	919	41%	677,887	28%
Associates Degree	182	8%	180,321	7%
Bachelors or Higher	444	20%	908,551	37%

Economics

Business Profile (2014)

Sector	Units	Employment
Total - All Industries	57	584
23 - Construction	11	74
31-33 - Manufacturing	7	234
44-45 - Retail Trade	4	15
72 - Accommodation And Food Services	3	19
81 - Other Services (Except Public Admin)	6	9
Total Government	11	113

Top Five Grand List (2013)

	Amount
Fusion Paperboard Connecticut LLC	\$6,069,000
Amgraph Packaging Inc.	\$2,594,820
Amgraph Packing Inc.	\$2,564,770
Connecticut Light & Power	\$2,483,780
Mohegan Golf LLC	\$2,234,490
Net Grand List (SFY 2013-2014)	\$163,859,991

Major Employers (2014)

Amagraph Packaging Inc	Amgraph Packaging Inc
Fusion Paperboard	Sayles School
Sprague Fire Dept	

Education

2013-2014 School Year

	Grades	Enrollment
Sprague School District	PK-12	360

Pre-K Enrollment (PSIS)

	2011-2012
Sprague School District	41

Connecticut Mastery Test Percent Above Goal (2013)

	Grade 3		Grade 4		Grade 8	
	Town	State	Town	State	Town	State
Reading	66.7%	56.9%	48.6%	62.7%	92.6%	76.3%
Math	59.5%	61.6%	57.1%	65.4%	77.8%	65.2%
Writing	65.9%	60.0%	51.4%	63.1%	92.6%	67.3%

Rate of Chronic Absenteeism (2012-2013)

	All	K - 3	4 - 8	9 - 12
Connecticut	11.5%	8.9%	9.0%	16.9%
Sprague School District	7.5%	*	*	0.0%

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Government

Government Form: Selectman - Town Meeting

Total Revenue (2014)	\$9,273,811	Total Expenditures (2014)	\$8,907,490	Annual Debt Service (2014)	\$368,790
Tax Revenue	\$5,025,077	Education	\$6,657,148	As % of Expenditures	4.1%
Non-tax Revenue	\$4,248,734	Other	\$2,250,342	Eq. Net Grand List (2014)	\$234,574,730
Intergovernmental	\$4,106,057	Total Indebtedness (2014)	\$8,253,226	Per Capita	\$78,716
Per Capita Tax (2014)	\$1,660	As % of Expenditures	92.7%	As % of State Average	54.0%
As % of State Average	61.5%	Per Capita	\$2,770	Moody's Bond Rating (2014)	A2
		As % of State Average	119.6%	Actual Mill Rate (2014)	30.00
				Equalized Mill Rate (2014)	21.09
				% of Net Grand List Com/Ind (2014)	9.8%

Housing/Real Estate

Housing Stock (2010-2014)

	<i>Town</i>	<i>County</i>	<i>State</i>
Total Units	1,357	121,096	1,490,381
% Single Unit (2010-2014)	58.0%	65.0%	59.0%
New Permits Auth (2015)	0	531	6,077
As % Existing Units	0.0%	0.4%	0.4%
Demolitions (2015)	0	89	1,230
Home Sales (2013)	20	2,190	26,310
Median Price	\$202,900	\$247,700	\$274,500
Built Pre-1950 share	51.1%	29.7%	29.7%
Owner Occupied Dwellings	886	71,809	913,043
As % Total Dwellings	68.8%	67.2%	67.3%
Subsidized Housing (2015)	72	14,048	172,556

Distribution of House Sales (2013)

	<i>Town</i>	<i>County</i>	<i>State</i>
Less than \$100,000	3	363	3,417
\$100,000-\$199,999	7	629	7,522
\$200,000-\$299,999	8	628	6,031
\$300,000-\$399,999	2	295	3,380
\$400,000 or More	0	275	5,960

Labor Force

Place of Residence (2014)

	<i>Town</i>	<i>County</i>	<i>State</i>
Labor Force	1,635	137,254	1,885,100
Employed	1,507	128,000	1,760,400
Unemployed	128	9,254	124,700
Unemployment Rate	7.8%	6.7%	6.6%

Connecticut Commuters (2014)

<i>Commuters Into Town From:</i>	<i>Town Residents Commuting To:</i>		
Sprague	94	Norwich	250
Norwich	41	Groton	118
Griswold	24	Montville	118
Montville	16	Sprague	94
Franklin	12	Ledyard	68
Canterbury	10	Hartford	60
Lebanon	10	New London	59

Place of Work (2014)

	<i>Town</i>	<i>County</i>	<i>State</i>
Units	57	7,110	114,608
Total Employment	584	121,313	1,653,545
2011-'14 AAGR	-91.2%	-75.9%	29.5%
Mfg Employment	234	14,208	159,607

Other Information

Crime Rate (2014)

	<i>Town</i>	<i>State</i>
Per 100,000 residents	893	2,167

Distance to Major Cities

	<i>Miles</i>
Hartford	33
Providence	36
Boston	73
New York City	118
Montreal	281

Residential Utilities

Electric Provider
Eversource Energy
(800) 286-2000

Gas Provider
Eversource Energy
(800) 989-0900

Water Provider
Municipal Provider
Local Contact

Cable Provider
Comcast Norwich
(800) 266-2278

Library (2015)

	<i>Town</i>
Circulation per Capita	3.08
Internet Use per Visit	0.39

Families Receiving (2014)

	<i>Town</i>
Temporary Family Assistance (TFA)	26

Population Receiving (2014)

	<i>Town</i>
Supplemental Nutrition Assistance Program (SNAP)	219