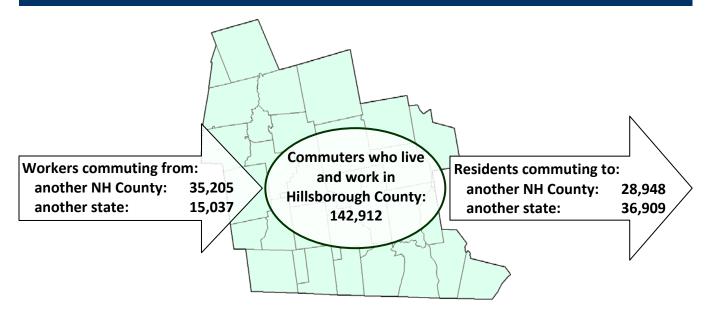
# **Hillsborough County Commuting Patterns**



# **Working in Hillsborough County**

- An average of 193,154 commuters age 16 and over travel to work in Hillsborough County.
- Among all those who commute to work in Hillsborough County, 74.0 percent (142,912) also live in the county, 18.2 percent (35,205) live in another New Hampshire county, and 7.8 percent (15,037) live out-of-state.
- The largest share of commuters who travel to Hillsborough County for work, 70.1 percent, live in another New Hampshire county. Of this group, 48.2 percent live in Rockingham County and 35.1 percent live in Merrimack County.
- Of those who commute into Hillsborough County from out-of-state, 87.9 percent live in Massachusetts.
- Among commuters from Massachusetts, 61.0 percent live in Middlesex County (Lowell area) and 20.8 percent live in Essex County (Lawrence area).

#### **Residents of Hillsborough County**

- An average of 208,769 Hillsborough County residents age 16 and over commute to work.
- Among Hillsborough County's working residents, 68.5 percent (142,912) commute to

- a job in Hillsborough County, 13.9 percent (28,948) commute to another New Hampshire county, and 17.7 percent (36,909) commute out-of-state.
- Of Hillsborough County residents who work out of the county, 52.5 percent commute to Massachusetts. Of this group, 64.2 percent work in Middlesex County (Lowell area), 16.8 percent work in Essex County (Lawrence area), and 10.2 percent work in Suffolk County (Boston area).
- Of the Hillsborough County residents who commute to another New Hampshire county for work, 50.7 percent travel to Rockingham County and 37.7 percent travel to Merrimack County.

#### Hillsborough County, NH In-County Commuters

- There are 142,912 residents of Hillsborough County age 16 and over who commute to work within the county.
- Among those who both live and work in Hillsborough County, 28.5 percent work in Manchester, 26.7 percent work in Nashua, and 8.7 percent work in Merrimack.

## Where Hillsborough County Workers Live

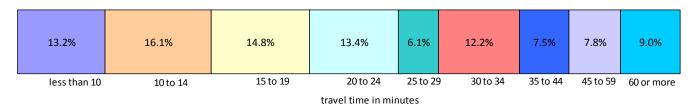
| Commuters traveling to work in        |         |
|---------------------------------------|---------|
| Hillsborough County                   | 193,154 |
| Commuters who work and live in        |         |
| Hillsborough County                   | 142,912 |
| Hillsborough County workers commuting |         |
| from residences outside the county:   | 50,242  |
| In other New Hampshire counties       |         |
| Belknap County                        | 975     |
| Carroll County                        | 253     |
| Cheshire County                       | 2,271   |
| Coös County                           | 41      |
| Grafton County                        | 408     |
| Merrimack County                      | 12,368  |
| Rockingham County                     | 16,966  |
| Strafford County                      | 1,566   |
| Sullivan County                       | 357     |
| In other states                       |         |
| Connecticut                           | 127     |
| Maine                                 | 633     |
| Massachusetts                         | 13,211  |
| New York                              | 161     |
| Rhode Island                          | 88      |
| Vermont                               | 149     |
| Other US states                       | 668     |
|                                       |         |

## **Where Hillsborough County Residents Work**

| Hillsborough County residents      |         |
|------------------------------------|---------|
| commuting to work                  | 208,769 |
| Commuters who live and work in     |         |
| Hillsborough County                | 142,912 |
| Residents commuting to work out of |         |
| Hillsborough County:               | 65,857  |
| To other New Hampshire Counties    |         |
| Belknap County                     | 342     |
| Carroll County                     | 139     |
| Cheshire County                    | 1,722   |
| Coös County                        | 36      |
| Grafton County                     | 360     |
| Merrimack County                   | 10,907  |
| Rockingham County                  | 14,689  |
| Strafford County                   | 607     |
| Sullivan County                    | 146     |
| To other states                    |         |
| Connecticut                        | 165     |
| Maine                              | 488     |
| Massachusetts                      | 34,544  |
| New York                           | 247     |
| Rhode Island                       | 94      |
| Vermont                            | 227     |
| Other US states                    | 1,104   |
| To other countries/at sea          | 40      |

# **Travel Time to Work**

Workers 16 years and older who did not work at home



### **About the American Community Survey**

The American Community Survey (ACS) is an ongoing survey conducted by the US Census Bureau, designed to provide more current data than available through a decennial Census. Commuting data were compiled from ACS survey responses gathered over a five-year period, from 2006 to 2010. Respondents were asked if they worked, where they worked, and how long it usually took for them to go from home to work, among other questions.

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Mean Travel Time to Work: 25.9 minutes