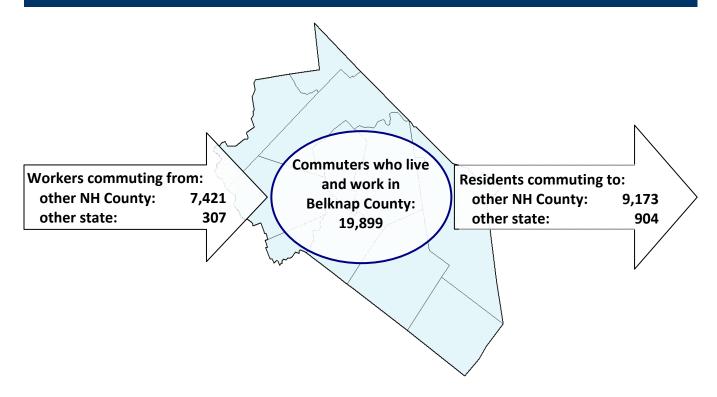
# **Belknap County Commuting Patterns**



# Working in Belknap County

- An average of 27,627 commuters age 16 and over travel to work in Belknap County.
- Among all workers who travel to a job in Belknap County, 72.0 percent (19,899) also live in Belknap County, 26.9 percent (7,421) live in another New Hampshire county, and 1.1 percent (307) live out-of-state.
- Nearly all (96.0 percent) of those who travel into Belknap County from elsewhere live in another New Hampshire county.
- Of the workers commuting into Belknap County from another New Hampshire county, 46.6 percent live in Merrimack County and 24.2 percent live in Grafton County.

#### **Residents of Belknap County**

- An average of 29,976 Belknap County residents age 16 and over commuted to work.
- Among Belknap County's working residents,
  66.4 percent (19,899) commute to work in

- Belknap County, 30.6 percent (9,173) commute to another New Hampshire county, and 3.0 percent (904) commute out of state.
- Of the 9,173 Belknap County residents who travel to work in another New Hampshire county, 55.0 percent commute to Merrimack County, 11.2 percent commute to Grafton County, and 10.6 percent commute to Hillsborough County.
- Over half of the Belknap County residents who commute to Merrimack County for work travel to Concord.

#### **Belknap County, NH In-County Commuters**

- There are 19,899 residents of Belknap County age 16 and over who commute to work within the county.
- Among those who both live and work in Belknap County, 39.5 percent commute to work in Laconia, 12.4 percent commute to Meredith, 11.7 percent commute to Gilford, and 11.7 percent commute to Tilton.

## Where Belknap County Workers Live

Commuters traveling to work in	
Belknap County	27,627
Commuters who work and live in	
Belknap County	19,899
Belknap County workers commuting	
from residences outside the county:	7,728
In other New Hampshire counties	
Carroll County	1,168
Cheshire County	10
Coös County	10
Grafton County	1,794
Hillsborough County	342
Merrimack County	3,456
Rockingham County	198
Strafford County	418
Sullivan County	25
In other states	
Connecticut	0
Maine	107
Massachusetts	106
New York	16
Rhode Island	0
Vermont	19
Other US states	59

### **Where Belknap County Residents Work**

Belknap County residents commuting	
to work	29,976
Commuters who live and work in	
Belknap County	19,899
Residents commuting to work out of	
Belknap County:	10,077
To other New Hampshire Counties	
Carroll County	763
Cheshire County	14
Coös County	7
Grafton County	1,026
Hillsborough County	975
Merrimack County	5,045
Rockingham County	564
Strafford County	774
Sullivan County	5
To other states	
Connecticut	19
Maine	113
Massachusetts	461
New York	32
Rhode Island	10
Vermont	28
Other US states	211
To other countries/at sea	30

# **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: 24.4 minutes