

# CONCORD AT A GLANCE

Settled:	Incorporated 1635
Population:	Town Census as of January 2015 – 15,798
Miles of Road:	107
Area:	26 square miles
Elevation:	130 feet
Residential Tax Rate:	\$13.92 per \$1,000 of valuation
Form of Government:	Open Town Meeting / Select Board / Town Manager
Religious Institutions:	Catholic, Christian Science, United Church of Christ (2), Episcopal, Unitarian Universalist, Presbyterian, Society of Friends, Synagogue, Baha'i, Swedenborg, Non-denominational (3)
Hospital:	Emerson Hospital
Transportation:	MBTA Commuter Rail to Boston and Fitchburg; Commuter Bus to Boston; Council on Aging Van - weekday door-to-door transportation for seniors
Utilities:	Concord Municipal Light Plant; Concord Public Works provides water to most of the Town and a portion of the Town has sewer; National Grid supplies natural gas to the Town
Schools:	Preschools/Nursery Schools - several Public - 3 elementary; 2 middle; 1 regional high school, 1 regional career & technical high school Private - 2 elementary/middle; 2 high schools
Public Safety:	Full time Police and Fire Departments; Emergency service ambulance provided by Concord Fire Department
Recreation:	Municipal tennis courts, urethane track, fitness course and athletic fields; conservation land and trails for recreational use; municipal recreation center with year-round programs and outdoor teaching pool; municipal swim and fitness center, State swimming and picnicking facilities at Walden Pond; private health clubs, tennis, swimming and skating facilities.

To find out if a public meeting has been cancelled, call the Cancellation Line (978) 318-3006. Visit the Town's website at [www.concordma.gov](http://www.concordma.gov) for a calendar of municipal events and meetings, and for general information about the Town.



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## CONCORD-CARLISLE REGIONAL HIGH SCHOOL

### Cover:

On April 28, 2015, the newly constructed Concord-Carlisle Regional High School opened its doors to students, faculty and staff. The beautiful new building is designed for 21st century education, meets the highest standards for sustainability and energy efficiency and will serve the Concord and Carlisle communities well for many decades.

Concord-Carlisle Regional High School Building Committee

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