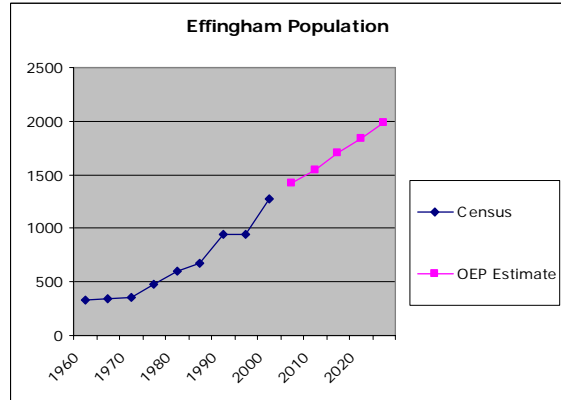


Effingham Town Data

POPULATION	
2005 Census	1,425
Population Growth: 1990-2005	51.4%
Density (Persons per Square Mile)	36.7
OSP Estimated Population: 2025	1,980
Estimated Growth: 2000-2025	38.9%



GEOGRAPHY		HOUSING		
Total Size	39.93	Sq. Miles	Total Housing Units	912
Land Area	24,878	Acres		
Surface Waters	678	Acres	Owner Occupied	396 (50%)
Shoreline of Great Ponds	3.16	Miles	Renter Occupied	94 (12%)
Protected Land	4,645	Acres (19%)		
Current Use	10,123	Acres (41%)	Seasonal	
Forested land	20,868	Acres (84%)	Vacant	260 (33%)
Tree farms (10)	1,863	Acres		41 (5%)
Water supply land	5,488	Acres	Manufactured	
Area of EPA High Value Wetlands	1,044	Acres	Multi family homes	133 (15%)
Number of Rare Species and Natural Communities	5			47 (5%)

NH's Changing Landscape		Wildlife Habitat Land Cover		
				% of total
		Acres		
Land Value Per Acre - 2003	\$1,424	Peatlands	1,850	7.1%
Acres of Important Forest Soils	16,424	Wet Meadow/Shrub Wetland	680	2.6%
% of Municipality Important Forest Soils	66.2%	Forest Floodplain	1,700	6.5%
Acres of Protected Important Forest Soils	2,462	Grasslands	87	0.3%
Acres of Prime Agricultural Soil	195	Pine Barrens	588	2.2%
% of Municipality Prime Agricultural Soils	0.8%	Cliffs	0	0.0%
Acres of Protected Prime Agricultural Soils	67.8	Rocky Ridges & Talus Slopes	0	0.0%
Acres of Prime White Pine Soil	4,437	High-Elevation Spruce Fir	0	0.0%
% of Municipality Prime White Pine Soil	17.9%	Lowland Spruce-Fir	169	0.6%
Acres of Protected Prime White Pine Soils	1,245	Northern Hardwood-Conifer	288	1.1%
NWI Acres	4,095	Hemlock-Hardwood-Pine	20,876	79.6%
% Municipality NWI	16.5%			
Protected NWI Acres 2004	1,151			
High Yield Aquifer	3,756			
Wellhead Protection Area	4,503			
% Protected Total Water Supply	23.5%			
Population Served by Community Water Supplies	520			