

FIRST INHABITANTS: Lenni-Lenape native Americans followed by European settlers

ESTABLISHMENT OF TOWNSHIP: Royal Patent of King George III of England on April 4, 1774

INCORPORATION OF TOWNSHIP: February 21, 1798

CURRENT FORM OF GOVERNMENT: Faulkner Act (Council/Manager) – Galloway Township residents elect council members, but not the Mayor. Members of Council decide amongst themselves who will take the office of Mayor. The Mayor does not have any more powers than other members of Council. Although the Council is the governing body of the township, the day-to-day operations are the responsibility of the Township Manager.

FEDERAL, STATE, AND COUNTY

REPRESENTATION: Galloway Township is in the Second Congressional District and is part of New Jersey's 2nd Legislative District.

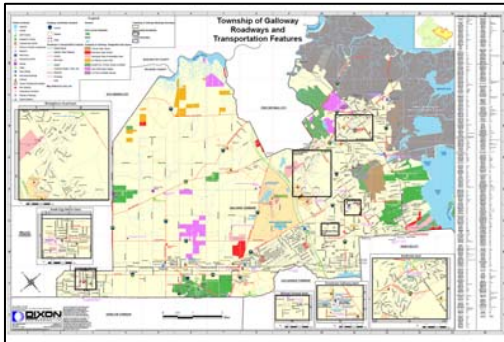
UNINCORPORATED AREAS WITHIN

GALLOWAY TOWNSHIP: Absecon Highlands, Cologne, Conoverstown, Germania, Higbeetown, Leeds Point, Oceanville, Pinehurst, Pomona, Smithville and South Egg Harbor, and the "Township Center"

CERTIFIED BY THE NJ PINELANDS

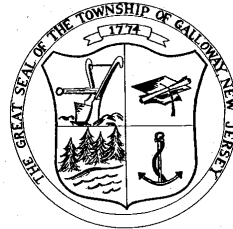
COMMISSION: March 9, 1987

MAP OF GALLOWAY TOWNSHIP:



To view a comprehensive map of Galloway Township please visit the following website:

http://www.dixonassociates.com/galloway_maps.htm



Galloway Township, New Jersey

Tom Bassford, Mayor
Keith Hartman, Deputy Mayor
William Ackerman, Councilman
Al DeSimone, Councilman
Jim Gorman, Councilman
Thomas Schurtz, Councilman
Meg Worthington, Councilwoman
Jill A. Gougher, Township Manager

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GALLOWAY TOWNSHIP NEW JERSEY



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AREA:

- One of the largest municipalities in the State of New Jersey, with over 71,299.616 acres, or 111.40 sq. miles including the Edwin B. Forsythe Wildlife Refuge
- Galloway Township is located 11 miles from the gambling Mecca of Atlantic City, New Jersey
- Average Temperature (Degrees F):
 - January: 40.3° (Low: 23°)
 - July: 85.6° (High: 85°)
 - Annual: 63.9°
- Average Sunshine: 205 sunny days per year
- Humidity (during the hot months): 46 out of 100
- Rainfall: 41 inches of rain per year
- Snowfall: 17 inches of snow per year
- Precipitation: 112
- Elevation: 73 ft.
- Road Mileage: State: 6,671 miles; County: 373.23 miles; Garden State Parkway (toll road): 31 miles; Atlantic City Expressway (toll road): 29 miles
- Galloway Township is located 6 miles west of Atlantic City.
- Major Rivers: Mullica River, Great Egg Harbor River (Designated Federal Wild and Scenic River, Tuckahoe River

PORTION OF TOWNSHIP LOCATED IN PINELANDS:

- Pinelands – 38%
- Non-Pinelands – 62%



MAJOR HIGHWAYS:

- Garden State Parkway
- Atlantic City Expressway
- Route 50 and U.S. Route 30, along with CR 561, CR 561 Alternate, CR 563 and CR 575.

RAILROADS:

- Passenger:
 - Amtrak (Atlantic City to Philadelphia)
 - NJ Transit: Atlantic City, Absecon, Egg Harbor City, Hammonton, Atco, Lindenwold, Philadelphia
- Freight:
 - Southern Railroad Company of New Jersey

AIRPORTS:

- Atlantic City International Airport, Egg Harbor Twp.



POPULATION AND DEMOGRAPHICS:

- Galloway Township is the fastest growing municipality in Atlantic County and is ranked 3rd in growth among the largest municipalities in New Jersey.
- Total Population: 38,207 residents
- Density: 345 people per sq. mile
- Percentage born in United States: 82.8%
- Percentage Foreign born: 15.5%
- Male: 47.3%
- Female: 52.7%
- 18 years and over: 78.6%
- 21 years and over: 63.4
- 62 years and over: 11.0%
- 65 years and over: 8.8%
- Median Age: 30.5 years
- Number of Families: 63,151
- Percent high school graduate or higher: 92.1%
- Percent bachelor's degree or higher: 28.2%

HOUSING:

- Total Number of Households: 13,352 households
- Owner-occupied: 10,081 households
- Renter-occupied: 2,944 households
- Average Household Size: 2.52 people
- Average Family Size: 3.06 people
- Average Sale Price - Residential Property: \$269,799.00
- Median Value, Owner Occupied Residence: \$233,900

INCOME AND EMPLOYMENT:

- Median Family Income: \$70,470
- Per Capita Income: \$24,287
- Unemployment Rate: 8.5%
- Civilian employed population 16 years and older: 19,713 people
- Mean travel time to work: 23.9 minutes
 - 83% of commuters drive their own car alone
 - 10% of commuters carpool with other
 - 3% of commuters take mass transit
 - 2% of commuters work from home
- Top 3 Most Common Occupations
 - Service occupations: 29.8%
 - Management, professional, and related occupations: 27.7%
 - Sales and office occupations: 27.7%
- Top 3 Leading Industries
 - Arts, entertainment, and recreation, and accommodation, and food services: 33%
 - Educational services, and health care, and social assistance: 15%
 - Retail trade: 13%

MAJOR EMPLOYERS:

- AtlantiCare Health System
- Federal Aviation Administration (FAA)
- Richard Stockton State College
- Galloway Township Board of Education
- Dolce Seaview Resort & Troon Golf
- Betty Bacharach Rehabilitation Institute
- Ole Hansen & Sons
- Renault Winery
- Galloway Township
- Village of Smithville

