

## NH State Statutes Pertaining to Town of Waterville Valley Domicile Questionnaire

**21:6 Resident; Inhabitant.** – A resident or inhabitant or both of this state and of any city, town, or other political subdivision of this state shall be a person who is domiciled or has a place of abode or both in this state and in any city, town, or other political subdivision of this state, and who has, through all of his or her actions, demonstrated a current intent to designate that place of abode as his or her principal place of physical presence to the exclusion of all others.

**Source.** RS 1:5. CS 1:5. GS 1:6. GL 1:6. PS 2:6. PL 2:6. RL 7:6. RSA 21:6. 1981, 261:1, eff. June 16, 1981. 2018, 370:1, eff. July 1, 2019.

**21:6-a Residence.** – Residence or residency shall mean a person's place of abode or domicile. The place of abode or domicile is that designated by a person as his or her principal place of physical presence to the exclusion of all others. Such residence or residency shall not be interrupted or lost by a temporary absence from it, if there is an intent to return to such residence or residency as the principal place of physical presence.

**Source.** 1981, 261:1, eff. June 16, 1981. 2018, 370:1, eff. July 1, 2019.

**259:67 Nonresident.** – "Nonresident" shall mean:

I. Except as provided in paragraph II, any person whose legal residence is in some state, district or country other than New Hampshire, but a nonresident, having a regular abode or place of business within the state for more than 6 months in any year, shall be deemed a resident as to all vehicles principally used in connection with such abode or place of business and the director for the purposes of registration shall determine what vehicles are so used;

II. For the purposes of the reciprocal provisions as to arrest of nonresidents, RSA 262:27 and 28, a person who is a resident of or holds a driving license issued by a reciprocating state.

**Source.** 1905, 86:1. 1911, 133:1. 1913, 81:1. 1915, 129:1. 1917, 229:1. 1919, 161:1. 1921, 119:1. 1923, 75:1. 1925, 25:1; 68:1. PL 99:1. 1927, 52:1. 1929, 43:1. 1935, 73:2, 3. 1939, 47:1; 130:1; 189:1, 2, 3, 5; 190:1. 1941, 98:1; 111:1; 142:2. RL 115:1. 1943, 189:1. 1947, 177:1. 1949, 189:1, 2; 197:1; 212:2; 233:1; 286:4. 1953, 252:3. RSA 259:1, XVIII; 264-A:1, VI. 1971, 349:1. 1981, 146:1, eff. Jan. 1, 1982.

**654:1 Voter; Office Holder.** –

I. Every inhabitant of the state, having a single established domicile for voting purposes, being a citizen of the United States, of the age provided for in Article 11 of Part First of the Constitution of New Hampshire, shall have a right at any meeting or election, to vote in the town, ward, or unincorporated place in which he or she is domiciled. An inhabitant's domicile for voting purposes is that one place where a person, more than any other place, has established a physical presence and manifests an intent to maintain a single continuous presence for domestic, social, and civil purposes relevant to participating in democratic self-government. A person has the right to change domicile at any time, however a mere intention to change domicile in the future does not, of itself, terminate an established domicile before the person actually moves.

I-a. A student of any institution of learning may lawfully claim domicile for voting purposes in the New Hampshire town or city in which he or she lives while attending such institution of learning if such student's claim of domicile otherwise meets the requirements of RSA 654:1, I.

II. Any elected or appointed official for whom one of the qualifications for his or her position is eligibility to be a voter in the area represented or served shall be considered to have resigned if the official moves his or her domicile so that he or she can no longer qualify to be a voter in the area represented or served. Any vacancy so created shall be filled as prescribed by law.

**Source.** 1979, 396:1; 436:1. 2003, 289:23. 2007, 9:1. 2009, 288:1. 2012, 285:1, eff. Aug. 26, 2012.

**417-A:3-b Statement of Residency.** –

I. All applicants for coverage under new policies of automobile insurance shall sign a statement of residency, on a form prescribed by the insurance department, which the insurer shall provide as part of the application or upon delivery of the policy papers to the insured for such insurance.

II. The statement prescribed in paragraph I shall also contain the definition of "resident" adopted by the commissioner pursuant to RSA 412:43, II.

III. A person who falsely attests to the statement of residency prescribed in paragraph I shall be subject to prosecution for unsworn falsification under RSA 641:3, and, upon conviction, to imposition of the maximum fine without suspension or diminution, along with other penalties authorized by law.

IV. Any nonresident who meets the requirements for nonresident registration under RSA 261:46 shall be exempt from the provisions of paragraph I.

**Source.** 1992, 282:14. 1997, 238:9. 2002, 207:16. 2003, 144:10; 150:10, eff. Jan. 1, 2004.

## QUESTIONNAIRE FOR ESTABLISHING TOWN RESIDENCY

### Town of Waterville Valley

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Date)

Welcome,

Following is the application for residency in the Town of Waterville Valley. Please review the page entitled **NH STATE STATUTES PERTAINING TO RESIDENCY** prior to filling out the application. Second-home owners do not necessarily qualify as residents according to the statutes. Please do not hesitate to contact the Town Clerk or Town Office with any questions.

This application is for residency only and does not constitute application for inclusion on the voter checklist. Any question regarding voting should be directed to the Supervisor's of the Checklist. Furthermore, the school district should be contacted regarding registration of students.

**\*\*NOTICE\*\* Approval of your residency in Waterville Valley, NH is conditioned on the registration of your motor vehicle and obtaining a NH Driver's License within 60 days (if relocating from out of state) or 30 days (if relocating within NH) of said approval.**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing

Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Telephone No: \_\_\_\_\_  
(PO Box and/or Street)

Telephone No: \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Town/City) (State) (Zip) Email : \_\_\_\_\_

Does this application include any family members? If so, please include name(s), relationship and age(s) below.

| Name  | Relationship | Age   |
|-------|--------------|-------|
| _____ | _____        | _____ |
| _____ | _____        | _____ |
| _____ | _____        | _____ |
| _____ | _____        | _____ |
| _____ | _____        | _____ |

**A. RESIDENCY DATA:**

1. Do you own \_\_\_\_\_ or rent \_\_\_\_\_ your residence in the Town of Waterville Valley, NH?

a) Please provide the physical address (Street Name, Building/Unit No.) of your residence.

b) When was this property first acquired or rented by you?

c) If you have a Waterville Valley PO Box, please provide the number. \_\_\_\_\_

d) Do you own \_\_\_\_\_ or rent \_\_\_\_\_ property other than in the Town of Waterville Valley, NH?

1) If so, list location (s): \_\_\_\_\_  
(Town/City) (State) (Zip)

2) If so, list location (s): \_\_\_\_\_  
(Town/City) (State) (Zip)

2. Will you be living in any other residence other than in the Town of Waterville Valley? YES NO

If yes, please indicate the:

Location (Address, Town/City)

State

|       |       |
|-------|-------|
| _____ | _____ |
| _____ | _____ |
| _____ | _____ |

3. Please list all other mailing addresses you use and will continue to use (including business addresses):

Location (Address, Town/City)

State

Purpose (Personal, Business, etc.)

|       |       |       |
|-------|-------|-------|
| _____ | _____ | _____ |
| _____ | _____ | _____ |

**B. DEPENDENT DATA:**

1. Please list the names and ages of any dependent children, as well as the names and addresses of the schools where they are or will be enrolled. Please indicate if they will be attending in our district.

|        |       |                             |              |
|--------|-------|-----------------------------|--------------|
| _____  | _____ | _____                       | _____        |
| (Name) | (Age) | (Name of School & Location) | (Time There) |
| _____  | _____ | _____                       | _____        |
| (Name) | (Age) | (Name of School & Location) | (Time There) |
| _____  | _____ | _____                       | _____        |
| (Name) | (Age) | (Name of School & Location) | (Time There) |
| _____  | _____ | _____                       | _____        |
| (Name) | (Age) | (Name of School & Location) | (Time There) |

**C. EMPLOYMENT DATA:**

1. Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_
2. List the name and address of your employer and the length of time of your employment:

\_\_\_\_\_  
(Name of Employer) (Location) (Length of Time)

3. If you are self-employed, please indicate or describe your business and where it is located:

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\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

**D. GENERAL DATA:**

1. Do you have a NH Driver's License? YES NO  
If NO, please keep in mind license requirements set forth on page one under "NOTICE".  
If YES, Please provide your NH Driver License Number:

\_\_\_\_\_  
Please provide your Out-of-State Driver's License Number below and your NEW NH Driver's License within 60 days to this office.

2. Do you intend to register your motor vehicle here in Waterville Valley? YES NO  
If NO, explain. Keep in mind your registration requirement set forth on page one under "NOTICE". Please provide your current State, License Plate(s) and registration(s) & expiration date(s):

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
**ALL VEHICLES MUST BE REGISTERED IN WATERVILLE VALLEY WITHIN 60 DAYS**  
Please provide your current NH License Plate(s) registration expiration(s) date(s):

\_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_

3. Will you or any of your dependents have any motor vehicles registered in any other state? If so, please tell where, and provide the license plate information and explain:

\_\_\_\_\_

4. In which state do you intend to file applicable State & Federal Tax Forms? \_\_\_\_\_

5. Do own a dog? YES NO  
You must register your dog in the Town of Waterville Valley. Please bring in current rabies certificate to register your dog.

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6. Do you intend to register to vote in the Town of Waterville Valley? YES NO  
If NO, will you register to vote anywhere else? YES NO  
If YES, please indicate location by Town & State.

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7. Why did you move to Waterville Valley?

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8. Is there any additional favorable information you would like the Town Clerk and/or Municipal Agent to consider when reviewing your application for residency?

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I acknowledge that I have read the "NH State Statutes Pertaining to Residency" and attachments. I hereby swear and affirm that the foregoing information is true to the best of my knowledge and belief; and that I am a resident of the Town of Waterville Valley and intend to designate the Town of Waterville Valley as my principal place of physical presence for the indefinite future to the exclusion of all others.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date                      Applicant's signature. MUST be signed in presence of Justice of Peace or Notary

**NH Revised Statute Annotated**

**641:3 Unsworn Falsification.** – A person is guilty of a misdemeanor if:

- I. He makes a written false statement which he does not believe to be true, on or pursuant to a form bearing a notification authorized by law to the effect that false statements made therein are punishable; or
- II. With a purpose to deceive a public servant in the performance of his official function, he:
  - (a) Makes any written false statement which he does not believe to be true; or
  - (b) Knowingly creates a false impression in a written application for any pecuniary or other benefit by omitting information necessary to prevent statements therein from being misleading; or
  - (c) Submits or invites reliance on any writing which he knows to be lacking in authenticity; or
  - (d) Submits or invites reliance on any sample, specimen, map, boundary mark, or other object which he knows to be false.

III. No person shall be guilty under this section if he retracts the falsification before it becomes manifest that the falsification was or would be exposed.

**Source.** 1971, 518:1, eff. Nov. 1, 1973.

STATE OF \_\_\_\_\_ COUNTY OF \_\_\_\_\_

Personally appeared before me, \_\_\_\_\_ on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 20\_\_\_\_, known to me or satisfactorily proven to be the person whose name is subscribed to the foregoing instrument and acknowledged that she executed the same for the purposes therein contained.

\_\_\_\_\_  
Justice of the Peace/Notary Public

Approved: \_\_\_\_\_  
Date                      Town Clerk and/or Municipal Agent

Denied: \_\_\_\_\_  
Date                      Town Clerk and/or Municipal Agent