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## Drug Policy Information Clearinghouse

## Barrington, Rhode Island

Profile of Drug Indicators

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### **Barrington**

The following profile contains information on demographics, political figures, programs, crime, drug use, drug trafficking, and enforcement statistics.

### Demographics<sup>1</sup>

> Population: 15,849 (1990 Census)

➤ County: Bristol

➤ Bristol County Population: 49,114 (1998 estimate)

#### Politics<sup>2</sup>

The Town of Barrington's government consists of 5 elected council members headed by a Council President and 1 appointed Town Manager.

➤ The Town Manager is appointed by the Town Council and is the head of the Administrative branch of Barrington's government.

### **Crime and Drug-Related Crime**<sup>3</sup>

➤ In 1998 there were 407 index crime offenses known to the Barrington Police Department.

Index Crime Offenses Known to Police, Barrington, 1998

Murder/ Non-Neg.						Motor
Man-	Forcible	D 11	Aggrav.	D 1	Larceny-	Vehicle
slaughter	Rape	Robbery	Assault	Burglary	Theft	Theft
0	2	1	12	98	291	3

#### Enforcement<sup>4</sup>

As of October 1998, the Barrington Police Department has 24 sworn police officers and 7 civilian personnel.

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> U.S. Census Bureau Web site: <a href="http://www.census.gov">http://www.census.gov</a>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> Town of Barrington Web site: http://www.ci.barrington.ri.us/

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> FBI, Crime in the United States: Uniform Crime Report, 1998, October 1999: http://www.fbi.gov/ucr/98cius.htm

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> Ibid.

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