

(Archive) Safest Places to Live in Maine 2017



This is an archived document of the Safest Places in Maine 2017.

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(The list of the Safest Places in 2017 was based on [2016 FBI Crime Score](#).)

30 Safest Places in Maine 2017

Rank	City	Population	Total Number of Crimes	Crime Score
1	Cape Elizabeth	9,364	0	0.00
2	Rockport	3,392	0	0.00

3	Clinton	3,291	0	0.00
4	Brewer	9,185	1	0.11
5	Topsham	8,748	1	0.11
6	Cumberland	7,821	1	0.13
7	Rockland	7,227	1	0.14
8	Oakland	6,119	1	0.16
9	Wells	10,174	2	0.20
10	Oxford	4,034	1	0.25
11	Madawaska	3,803	1	0.26
12	Dexter	3,775	1	0.26
13	Winslow	7,506	2	0.27

14	Kennebunkport	3,586	1	0.28
15	Kennebunk	11,289	4	0.35
16	Freeport	8,407	3	0.36
17	Bridgton	5,405	2	0.37
18	Orono	10,772	4	0.37
19	Bar Harbor	5,339	2	0.37
20	Berwick	7,567	3	0.40
21	Norway	4,911	2	0.41
22	Millinocket	4,332	2	0.46
23	Eliot	6,362	3	0.47
24	Pittsfield	4,051	2	0.49

25	Monmouth	4,008	2	0.50
26	Gardiner	5,558	3	0.54
27	Wiscasset	3,638	2	0.55
28	Lisbon	8,823	5	0.57
29	Yarmouth	8,584	5	0.58
30	Richmond	3,394	2	0.59

All Cities in Maine

Elite Personal Finance made a detailed analysis of all cities in Maine and divided them into the following categories:

- under 3,000 residents
- 3,000 – 10,000 residents
- 10,000 – 30,000 residents
- over 30,000 residents

Under 3,000 Residents

Rank	City	Population	Total Number of Crimes	Crime Score
1	Phippsburg	2,234	0	0.00
2	Mount Desert	2,074	0	0.00
3	Washburn	1,578	0	0.00
4	Ashland	1,222	0	0.00
5	Islesboro	567	0	0.00
6	Winter Harbor	515	0	0.00
7	Willimantic	140	0	0.00
8	Mechanic Falls	2,990	1	0.33
9	East Millinocket	2,986	1	0.33
10	Searsport	2,627	1	0.38

11	Hallowell	2,303	1	0.43
12	Limestone	2,202	1	0.45
13	Van Buren	2,037	1	0.49
14	Gouldsboro	1,739	1	0.58
15	Calais	2,953	2	0.68
16	Baileyville	1,444	1	0.69
17	Milbridge	1,283	1	0.78
18	Rangeley	1,149	1	0.87
19	Damariscotta	2,214	2	0.90
20	Veazie	1,855	2	1.08
21	Southwest Harbor	1,774	2	1.13

22	Dixfield	2,462	3	1.22
23	Carrabassett Valley	772	1	1.30
24	Milo	2,242	3	1.34
25	Thomaston	2,776	5	1.80
26	Greenville	1,582	3	1.90
27	Machias	2,096	5	2.39
28	Brownville	1,189	3	2.52
29	Eastport	1,254	4	3.19
30	Boothbay Harbor	2,158	7	3.24
31	Ogunquit	916	3	3.28
32	Mexico	2,590	14	5.41

3,000 – 10,000 Residents

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21	Pittsfield	4,051	2	0.49
22	Monmouth	4,008	2	0.50
23	Gardiner	5,558	3	0.54
24	Wiscasset	3,638	2	0.55
25	Lisbon	8,823	5	0.57
26	Yarmouth	8,584	5	0.58
27	Richmond	3,394	2	0.59
28	Lincoln	5,020	3	0.60
29	Camden	4,863	3	0.62
30	North Berwick	4,672	3	0.64
31	Hampden	7,414	5	0.67

32	Ellsworth	7,881	6	0.76
33	Fort Kent	3,940	3	0.76
34	Old Town	7,583	6	0.79
35	Farmington	7,401	6	0.81
36	Bucksport	4,927	4	0.81
37	Bath	8,269	7	0.85
38	Fryeburg	3,385	3	0.89
39	Holden	3,077	3	0.97
40	Dover-Foxcroft	4,004	4	1.00
41	Waldoboro	4,954	5	1.01
42	Caribou	7,747	8	1.03

43	Fairfield	6,505	7	1.08
44	Buxton	8,171	9	1.10
45	Paris	5,085	6	1.18
46	South Berwick	7,454	9	1.21
47	Rumford	5,646	7	1.24
48	Belfast	6,685	10	1.50
49	Fort Fairfield	3,330	5	1.50
50	Winthrop	5,888	9	1.53
51	Kittery	9,686	15	1.55
52	Newport	3,224	5	1.55
53	Sabattus	5,038	8	1.59

54	Old Orchard Beach	8,807	17	1.93
55	Jay	4,750	10	2.11
56	Wilton	3,922	9	2.29
57	Livermore Falls	3,118	8	2.57
58	Skowhegan	8,454	24	2.84
59	Presque Isle	9,075	33	3.64
60	Houlton	5,835	25	4.28

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1	Wells	10,174	2	0.20
2	Kennebunk	11,289	4	0.35

3	Orono	10,772	4	0.37
4	Scarborough	19,851	12	0.60
5	York	12,927	8	0.62
6	Gorham	17,346	12	0.69
7	Falmouth	12,154	11	0.91
8	Windham	17,983	17	0.95
9	Brunswick	20,544	25	1.22
10	South Portland	25,674	44	1.71
11	Saco	19,197	35	1.82
12	Auburn	22,836	43	1.88
13	Westbrook	18,078	40	2.21

14	Waterville	16,370	38	2.32
15	Sanford	20,914	58	2.77
16	Biddeford	21,285	87	4.09
17	Augusta	18,347	76	4.14

Over 30,000 Residents

Rank	City	Population	Total Number of Crimes	Crime Score
1	Lewiston	36,126	64	1.77
2	Bangor	32,264	75	2.32
3	Portland	67,041	196	2.92