

## (Archive) Safest Places to Live in New Mexico 2016

This is an archived document of the Safest Places in New Mexico in 2016.

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(The list of Safest Places in 2016 was based on [2015 FBI Crime Score](#)).

### 20 Safest Places in New Mexico 2016

Rank	City	Population	Total Number of Crimes	Crime Score
1	Sunland Park	15,700	14	0.89
2	Eunice	3,207	5	1.56
3	Corrales	8,376	15	1.79
4	Edgewood	3,821	7	1.83
5	Rio Rancho	95,329	207	2.17
6	Lovington	12,062	31	2.57
7	Raton	6,196	16	2.58
8	Las Cruces	102,227	268	2.62
9	Ruidoso	7,774	24	3.09
10	Alamogordo	31,151	116	3.72
11	Clovis	40,265	170	4.22
12	Farmington	44,076	187	4.24
13	Grants	9,250	40	4.32
14	Santa Fe	70,845	311	4.39
15	Milan	3,254	15	4.61
16	Bloomfield	7,522	36	4.79
17	Truth or Consequences	6,007	31	5.16
18	Portales	12,199	68	5.57
19	Carlsbad	28,594	161	5.63
20	Bosque Farms	3,834	22	5.74

# All Cities in New Mexico

Elite Personal Finance made a detailed analysis of all cities in New Mexico 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	Questa	1,769	0	0.00
2	Hurley	1,275	0	0.00
3	Texico	1,136	0	0.00
4	Carrizozo	945	0	0.00
5	San Ysidro	194	0	0.00
6	Taos Ski Valley	69	0	0.00
7	Moriarty	1,800	1	0.56
8	Logan	956	1	1.05
9	Hatch	1,596	2	1.25
10	Clayton	2,797	4	1.43
11	Jal	2,252	5	2.22
12	Santa Clara	1,661	4	2.41
13	Dexter	1,275	4	3.14
14	Cimarron	913	3	3.29
15	Lordsburg	2,570	10	3.89
16	Santa Rosa	2,699	11	4.08
17	Cloudcroft	693	3	4.33
18	Bayard	2,299	17	7.39
19	Ruidoso Downs	2,598	20	7.70
20	Magdalena	907	7	7.72
21	Red River	481	6	12.47
22	Estancia	1,594	30	18.82
23	Angel Fire	1,123	25	22.26
24	Cuba	730	23	31.51

## 3,000 – 10,000 residents

Rank	City	Population	Total Number of Crimes	Crime Score
1	Eunice	3,207	5	1.56
2	Corrales	8,376	15	1.79

3	Edgewood	3,821	7	1.83
4	Raton	6,196	16	2.58
5	Ruidoso	7,774	24	3.09
6	Grants	9,250	40	4.32
7	Milan	3,254	15	4.61
8	Bloomfield	7,522	36	4.79
9	Truth or Consequences	6,007	31	5.16
10	Bosque Farms	3,834	22	5.74
11	Peralta	3,579	23	6.43
12	Aztec	6,335	42	6.63
13	Socorro	8,684	62	7.14
14	Bernalillo	8,619	73	8.47
15	Taos	5,780	83	14.36
16	Belen	7,148	121	16.93

### 10,000 – 30,000 residents

Rank	City	Population	Total Number of Crimes	Crime Score
1	Sunland Park	15,700	14	0.89
2	Lovington	12,062	31	2.57
3	Portales	12,199	68	5.57
4	Carlsbad	28,594	161	5.63
5	Deming	14,543	106	7.29
6	Los Lunas	15,251	132	8.66
7	Las Vegas	13,389	144	10.76
8	Artesia	11,970	140	11.70
9	Gallup	22,623	352	15.56
10	Espanola	10,100	265	26.24

### Over 30,000 residents

Rank	City	Population	Total Number of Crimes	Crime Score
1	Rio Rancho	95,329	207	2.17
2	Las Cruces	102,227	268	2.62
3	Alamogordo	31,151	116	3.72
4	Clovis	40,265	170	4.22
5	Farmington	44,076	187	4.24
6	Santa Fe	70,845	311	4.39
7	Roswell	48,633	318	6.54
8	Hobbs	37,916	275	7.25
9	Albuquerque	559,721	5,406	9.66