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PRINCIPLES OF ENVIRONMENTAL HEALTH



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WELCOME TO HAPPYTOWN, USA !!!

Historic!

Friendly!

Welcoming!

Diverse!

Affordable housing!

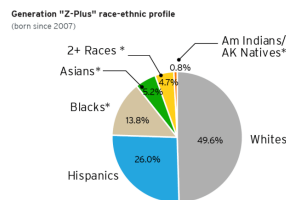
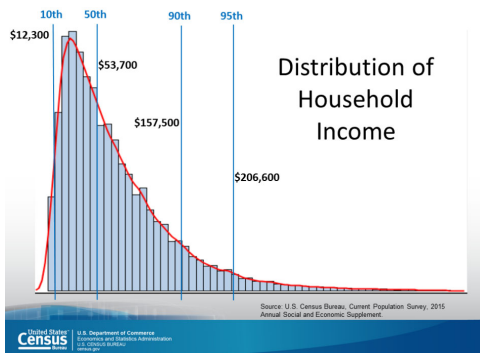
Good schools!

Filled with civic pride!

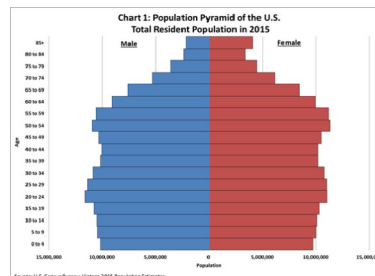


A RICHLY DIVERSE COMMUNITY !!!

Welcoming to all, from long-time residents to new immigrants



*Non-Hispanic members of race
 Source: US Decennial Censuses and Census Population Estimates, released June 21, 2018
 Metropolitan Policy Program at BROOKINGS



WELCOME NEW RESIDENTS DAY !!!

Warm welcome to newcomers from elsewhere in the U.S. and from abroad who have chosen to live in HappyTown

Young families, retirees, new immigrants

To help foster a festive atmosphere, thousands of plastic carnival necklaces are distributed across town – very popular with young kids!



Also very popular with young children: face painting

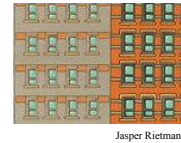
with Tiro, the traditional eye cosmetic!

The kids love how it makes their eyes look cool!



AFFORDABLE HOUSING FOR ALL !!!

Plenty of low-cost apartments from the region's apartment-building boom in the 1940s and 1950s



Jasper Rietman

Many lovely single-family homes from the 1930s



J Craven

Some newer apartments and single-family homes from early 1990s

CIVIC PRIDE !!! KEEPING HAPPYTOWN BEAUTIFUL

Many of the financially better off families living in the more expensive historic homes downtown are renovating their own houses



Longtime resident: "It is definitely chic these days to fix your own historic home up. It is very much the fashion for those who can afford it."

To support this civic pride initiative, the town sponsors a semi-annual "renovate it yourself" class with tips on removing old interior and exterior paint, repainting, replacing window frames, etc.

LOTS OF GREAT FOOD !!!

Many local restaurants with a wide variety of foods

Among the most popular:

Buford's Restaurant featuring fresh venison and small game from the town's own Buckshot Buddies Hunting Club



Happytown
Buckshot Buddies



Arturo's Place featuring specialties from around the world

One of the only places in the area where authentic, sweet Chapulines imported from Oaxaca, Mexico are available



PLENTY FOR KIDS TO DO !!! THE HAPPYTOWN ANNUAL FUN FAIR

Thanks to donations from generous donors, all young children attending this year's Fun Fair event received two types of very popular second hand toys:

An 18-piece Musical Instrument Set and a set of Rubber Critter Toys!



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