

City of Bandon

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| CITY COUNCIL AGENDA DOCUMENTATION | DATE: Nov 6, 2017 |
| SUBJECT: Recognition - #2 Safest City in Oregon | ITEM #: 3.2 |

BACKGROUND

How Safewise Chose the Safest Cities in Oregon

To identify the 20 safest cities in Oregon, Safewise reviewed the most recent FBI Crime Report statistics from 2015, along with population data. They eliminated all cities with fewer than 3,000 residents as well as any cities that failed to submit a complete crime report to the FBI.

From there, they evaluated the remaining cities and narrowed it down based on the number of reported violent crimes (aggravated assault, murder, rape, and robbery) and property crimes (burglary, arson, larceny-theft, and motor vehicle theft) in each city. To further level the playing field, they calculated the likelihood of these crimes occurring out of 1,000 people in each city.

2. Bandon (Previous rank: 7)
Violent Crimes per 1,000: 0.33
Property Crimes per 1,000: 10.89

PRESENTATION

Mayor Schamehorn will be presenting the certificate received from Safewise to the Bandon Police Department.


FISCAL IMPACT

Not applicable to this item.

RECOMMENDATION

No official action required.

SUBMITTED BY



Robert J Mawson, City Manager