



## Press Release

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### **La Puente has made SafeWise's List of 50 Safest Cities in California for the Fourth Time**

La Puente, California - Safe Wise, a community-focused security organization committed to increasing safety education, awareness, and preparedness has announced that The City of La Puente has made their list of the 50 safest cities in California for the fourth straight year. This year, the City of La Puente has earned the 34<sup>th</sup> spot in the rankings.

Safe Wise described La Puente by saying, "Drive 20 miles east of downtown Los Angeles and you'll arrive at La Puente. Besides its enviably low crime rate, what caught our attention about La Puente is the way it cares for its children. La Puente's Self-esteem Through Activities Recreation and Sports (STARS) program provides elementary school children with a diverse assortment of after-school activities. La Puente's Teen V.O.I.C.E. program is a volunteer based program for teens ages 13 to 18, and its Tiny Tot program helps build the self-esteem of children ages three to five year old."

Making this prestigious list for a fourth year validates we are on the right track. Although we set the goals, much of the credit should go to our partners at the Los Angeles County Sheriff's Department and to our City staff.

For questions or to learn more about La Puente contact City Hall at (626) 855-1500.

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