City of Wylie Public Information Office

NEWS ITEM

Wylie Named Ninth Safest City in Texas

Wylie, Texas, June 12, 2017 – Wylie has been named the ninth safest city in Texas among cities with a population of 10,000 or more. The 2017 list was compiled by SafeWise, a security organization, utilizing FBI crime data from 2015. Wylie's previous rank was 19.

SafeWise noted that the raw data used to calculate each city's safety score is comprised of information on violent crimes and property crimes.

To see the full list of safe cities, visit safewise.com/blog/safest-cities-texas/.

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About Wylie – Incorporated in 1887, the City of Wylie is located just 24 miles from downtown Dallas in Collin, Dallas and Rockwall counties. Possessing an outstanding school district, a low crime rate, an ISO #1 rating and an expanding business climate, Wylie (population 48,000) is one of the fastest-growing communities in the state of Texas with a 220-percent increase since 2000. In 2015, Money Magazine named Wylie the 25th Best Place to Live in the Country, and financial website NerdWallet named Wylie the Best Small City for Young Families in August 2016. Realtor.com named Wylie the second hottest suburb in the country in February 2017. SafeWise named Wylie the ninth safest city in Texas in 2017.