

## The 18th safest City in the United States

Located in North Fulton, Roswell is Georgia's sixth largest city but still manages to retain the friendliness and hospitality of a small southern town. The City of Roswell is ranked one of the safest cities to live in the United States according to City Crime Rankings and in 2006 was named the 18th Safest City in the United States by Money Magazine. The city offers a casual lifestyle with quality education, rich culture, an award-winning Recreation & Parks Department and easy access to Downtown Atlanta.

With 18 parks and over 890 acres of parkland and facilities, the City of Roswell has more parkland per capita than anywhere else in metropolitan Atlanta. With everything from ball fields to hiking trails, the nationally accredited Recreation & Parks Department offers a plethora of programs from pottery to baseball, for everyone from children to seniors. The city's Recreation & Parks Department has been recognized an unprecedented eight times by the Georgia Parks & Recreation Association for having the best department in the state.

Rich in culture, Roswell has one of the largest historic districts in metro Atlanta, encompassing antebellum mansions, the 1850's mill village and ruins of the old Roswell Mill and Dam, the birthplace of Teddy Roosevelt's mother and the home of President Jimmy Carter's aunt. In addition, there are festivals and celebrations throughout the year, providing entertainment and cultural opportunities to all.

**Location:** Conveniently located along the GA-400 corridor and only 20-minutes north of Downtown Atlanta and 30-miles from Atlanta's Hartsfield-Jackson International Airport. This city has it all!

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### Additional Resources:

<b>City of Roswell</b>	<a href="http://www.ci.roswell.ga.us">www.ci.roswell.ga.us</a>	Information on businesses, local government, Recreation & Parks, news, culture and the arts
<b>Roswell Convention &amp; Visitor's Bureau</b>	<a href="http://www.cvb.roswell.ga.us">www.cvb.roswell.ga.us</a>	Area Information, tours, attractions, restaurants, entertainment and more
<b>Roswell Weather</b>	<a href="http://www.roswellweather.net">www.roswellweather.net</a>	Weather forecasts
<b>Fulton County</b>	<a href="http://www.co.fulton.ga.us">www.co.fulton.ga.us</a>	County specific government, civic and business information
<b>Department of Driver Services</b>	<a href="http://www.dds.gagov">www.dds.gagov</a>	Georgia department of driver services - Licenses, etc...
<b>Georgia DOT</b>	<a href="http://www.dot.state.ga.us">www.dot.state.ga.us</a>	Department of Transportation - Information on traffic, construction and more
<b>Georgia Department of Revenue Motor Vehicle Division</b>	<a href="http://www.motor.etax.dor.ga.gov/">www.motor.etax.dor.ga.gov/</a>	Tags, titles and all motor vehicle related information
<b>Utilities</b>	<a href="http://www.psc.state.ga.us">www.psc.state.ga.us</a>	Georgia Public Service Commission - complete lists of electric, natural gas and telephone providers

# Roswell Accolades



## **Named One of the Top Three Cities in the Nation to Raise Your Family**

Roswell was listed third in the book, *Best Places to Raise Your Family*, released by Frommer's.

## **Ranked the 18th Safest City in the United States**

City Crime Rankings

## **Georgia Trendsetter Award 2006**

Georgia Municipal Association - Roswell received the award for the Big Creek Wetlands demonstration project.

## **Create Community Award 2005**

The Atlanta Regional Commission's most prestigious award. Roswell was honored for its efforts in environmental sustainability.

## **City of Excellence 2003**

Georgia Municipal Association's most prestigious award. Only 50 cities in the state have been honored with the designation.

## **Designation as a Bicycle Friendly Community 2006**

League of American Bicyclists

## **Money Magazine's 19th Best City to Live in the Eastern US**

Roswell was ranked 19th for cities with populations under 100,000.

## **Atlanta Magazine's Best Place to Live in Metro Atlanta**

Roswell was honored twice by Atlanta Magazine as the best place to live in the metro area.

## **Nationally Accredited Recreation and Parks Department**

Commission for Accreditation of Park and Recreation Agencies

## **Preserve America Community Designation**

Honored for its efforts in preserving our historic, cultural and natural heritage.

## **Georgia Recreation and Parks Agency of the Year – 1974, 1979, 1984, 1988, 1990, 2000, 2005**

## **Atlanta Magazine's 2002 Best Park for a Family Picnic & Parent Magazine's 2003 Best Day Camp**

Riverside Park

## **Atlanta Magazine's 2004 Best Playground**

Riverside Park

## **Tree City USA Award**