



# NEWS RELEASE

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## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

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### Menifee awarded as Top 100 “Best Cities to Raise Kids in the U.S.”

MENIFEE – The City of Menifee had been recognized as one of the “Best Cities to Raise Kids in the US” by the National Council for Home Safety and Security. The National Council for Home Safety and Security published the distinctions on the official site, [alarms.org](http://alarms.org), on November 12<sup>th</sup> honoring the top 100 cities as the “Best Place to Raise Kids” within the United States of America.

The National Council for Home Safety and Security calculates the ranking by educational attainment, median household income, crime statistics, and the number of children that have health insurance within each City. Data was collected from a total of 526 qualifying cities all over the United States to determine the top “Best Cities to Raise Kids” ranking Menifee as 92.

“The City truly appreciates and is honored to be recognized with this distinction,” said Menifee Mayor Neil R. Winter. “The backbone of Menifee is built upon caring, family-oriented community members and businesses that work together consistently improve Menifee’s quality of life. As a result, this honor is very meaningful to our entire Menifee community.”

The National Council for Home Safety and Security is a national trade association comprised of licensed alarm installers, contractors, and other relevant trade groups across the United States. Their stated goal is to further industry education and public knowledge about home safety and security. For more information about the National Council for Home Safety and Security’s “Best Cities to Raise Kids in the US,” please visit [www.alarms.org](http://www.alarms.org) and for more information about why Menifee is one of the top places to raise a family, please visit, [www.cityofmenifee.us](http://www.cityofmenifee.us).

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**ABOUT MENIFEE:** *Situated in the heart of southern Riverside County along Interstate 215, Menifee is a vibrant, new city of more than 90,000 residents who enjoy a pleasant year-round climate, abundant recreational offerings, reasonably priced housing and convenient proximity to some of Southern California’s premiere attractions and employment centers. Within its 50 square miles, Menifee’s business, retail and entertainment outlets are starting to shape the community’s character and this growing economic base is also contributing favorably to the city’s strong financial position. Menifee’s growing family-oriented population values the city’s ongoing commitment to public safety, community events and smart growth for the future. All of these elements are working together to support the city’s strategic vision to make Menifee one of the state’s most promising new cities.*