

MONTANA'S PLACE IN THE RANKINGS

“ In Montana you will find our rich quality of life is matched by our excellent business climate. Whether it is starting your own main street business or relocating an existing company, we have everything you need to make your American Dream a reality. Montana has consistently been ranked in the top ten states for business taxes and has no sales tax. With safe communities, excellent schools and unparalleled recreational opportunities Montana truly is the best place for you and your business.”

~ Governor Steve Bullock

Billings ranked #1 Best Place to Launch in a Small Metro Area.

CNN Money, 2009

Montana ranked 3rd as one of the 5 US States Where People are Happiest and Healthiest.

Business Insider, 2016

Billings Runner-up for Most Sustainable Towns in the West

Sunset Magazine, 2016

Billings ranked #39 in Top 100 Best Places to Live.

Livability, 2016

The Billings metro area ranked #50 out of 179 small metro areas for 2013 Best Performing Cities.

Milken Institute, 2013

Billings ranked in Nation's Top 25 Cities for Sustainable Economic Development and Recession Busting.

Area Development Magazine, 2015

Billings named in Cities with the Fastest Growing Economies.

Wallethub.com, 2015

Billings achieved a Bronze award level as a Bicycle Friendly Community.

League of American Bicyclists, Fall 2013

Billings ranked #40 out of 184 small metro areas for Best Small Places for Business and Careers.

Forbes, 2014

2013

BILLINGS RANKS #2 IN Job Satisfaction

Gallup's Best and Worst Cities for Well-Being

The Billings metro area ranked #47 out of 361 metro areas for the relative comfort of its climate.

Bertsperling.com, 2013

The Billings metro area ranked #15 out of 189 metro areas in the Gallup-Healthways Well-Being Index.

Gallup-Healthways, State of American Well-Being, 2014

The Billings metro area named in Top Ten U.S. Metropolitan Areas for Resident's Satisfaction.

Gallup-Healthways Well-Being Index, 2014