

## 2015 Winter Haven Chamber Member Survey

### Q23 What do you value most about Winter Haven?

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#	Responses	Date
1	lakes	7/12/2015 6:32 PM
2	It is my hometown, I was born here!	7/12/2015 5:02 PM
3	The people.	7/11/2015 3:03 PM
4	Family friendly community.	7/11/2015 3:02 PM
5	SMALL TOWN'S ENVIRONMENT WITH A BIG CITY'S OPPORTUNITIES	7/11/2015 12:13 PM
6	Location	7/11/2015 11:10 AM
7	The lakes	7/11/2015 10:32 AM
8	The family friendliness, well rounded religious opportunity, restaurants, community	7/10/2015 11:27 PM
9	lakes,nature	7/10/2015 11:00 PM
10	I think the fact that we have the Chain of Lakes sets us apart from many other small towns..I think it would be great to have a symbol for Winter Haven such as the Swans that Lakeland has	7/10/2015 7:54 PM
11	It's people	7/10/2015 7:16 PM
12	Our uniqueness with our Chain of Lakes, and our downtown and friendly business community. I love all the redevelopment downtown.	7/10/2015 5:28 PM
13	The location... We are Centrally located between 2 larger cities so we get to keep the hometown feel. Also, the WH Chamber Leadership program expanded my thoughts of Winter Haven by seeing many resources that WH had to offer and by the interaction of the community.	7/10/2015 3:52 PM
14	It is a big small town	7/10/2015 3:46 PM
15	The members in the community and chamber who are working hard to promote sensible growth. We don't need more semi-trucks and Wal-Mart store. We need professional groups that will bring income to the area which can be given to a Museum of Art, etc. Winter Haven has the potential to be better than Winter Park.	7/10/2015 3:31 PM
16	Traditional Southern values and peaceful environment.	7/10/2015 3:29 PM
17	The people. The friendliness. The	7/10/2015 3:15 PM
18	Community	7/10/2015 2:47 PM
19	The people	7/10/2015 2:42 PM
20	the lakes and the nice people in the community	7/10/2015 2:29 PM
21	progressive attitude, the people	7/10/2015 2:21 PM
22	it gives the impression of a community	7/10/2015 2:21 PM
23	The joy of seeing my children, family and friends enjoy the fruits of success in my home town!	7/10/2015 2:19 PM
24	small town feeling - Central Park focus	7/10/2015 2:09 PM
25	Everything	7/10/2015 1:50 PM
26	quality of life, quick access to major feeder markets of Orlando and Tampa	7/10/2015 1:49 PM
27	location, culture	7/10/2015 1:47 PM
28	Recreation	7/9/2015 7:43 PM

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29	the "small town" feel of the community. I'm on a first name basis with waitresses at many restaurants, barbers, car wash employees etc. Alos, our abundant natural resources. I am out on the lakes multiple times per week and think they are one of the communities most valuable assets.	6/29/2015 9:13 AM
30	Open, friendly and hard working people. Give them direction & leadership and they will make it right. Chamber has to take the community lead.	6/22/2015 11:54 AM
31	Sense of community.	6/22/2015 10:47 AM
32	It is such a beautiful city and area.	6/19/2015 9:13 PM
33	The majority of people here love this community and care about making it great.	6/19/2015 12:35 PM
34	it's people	6/19/2015 9:45 AM
35	Quality of life	6/17/2015 10:00 AM
36	The quality of its people and environment	6/16/2015 4:28 PM
37	The community.	6/16/2015 11:21 AM
38	The commitment of the community - Chamber, Government, etc. We all take pride in where we live.	6/16/2015 9:51 AM
39	commitment to community service and caring for our vulnerable and marginalized people	6/16/2015 9:02 AM
40	Small town atmosphere yet access to bigger communities and activities.	6/15/2015 5:31 PM
41	It's Citizens	6/15/2015 10:42 AM
42	Close knit and active business community that cares about the needs of WH	6/15/2015 9:18 AM
43	The thing I value most about Winter Haven is the Chain of Lakes because of its uniqueness, I thing if promoted effectively as a tourist attraction we can attract more visitors to our City.	6/12/2015 10:53 PM
44	n/a	6/12/2015 12:11 PM
45	People	6/12/2015 11:50 AM
46	Chain of lakes	6/12/2015 10:32 AM
47	Sense of community	6/12/2015 10:07 AM
48	Small town feel close to major centers.	6/12/2015 10:00 AM
49	the laid back home town feel and the lakes	6/12/2015 9:20 AM
50	Centralized population	6/12/2015 8:57 AM
51	It's desire to offer opportunities for business and entertainment for all groups of people and ability to grow and adapt.	6/12/2015 8:22 AM
52	It's home and I would not want to live elsewhere.	6/12/2015 8:21 AM
53	The uniqueness of the chain of lakes!!	6/12/2015 8:06 AM
54	The charm, caring and generosity of our community	6/12/2015 7:30 AM
55	I value, people, places, birds, sky, clouds, trees, you get the thought.	6/12/2015 7:27 AM
56	Watching downtown grow	6/11/2015 11:05 PM
57	Location, location, location	6/11/2015 8:57 PM
58	Community	6/11/2015 6:07 PM
59	The connectivity between people, business, and government	6/11/2015 5:10 PM
60	warm, friendly community with lots of activities	6/11/2015 5:03 PM
61	Nice People who try hard!	6/11/2015 4:54 PM
62	The People who live here.	6/11/2015 4:54 PM
63	There are a lot of good people who recognize the current problems and are working towards a cure	6/11/2015 4:53 PM

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64	The beauty and sincerity of the people.	6/11/2015 4:51 PM
65	Small community	6/11/2015 4:48 PM
66	Quality of life	6/11/2015 4:33 PM
67	Enthusiasm and civic pride.	6/11/2015 4:28 PM
68	The community	6/11/2015 4:26 PM
69	Small quaint communit diverse community.	6/11/2015 4:20 PM
70	Location, Beauty, and lakes	6/11/2015 4:18 PM
71	Our beautiful Chain of Lakes and the small hometown feeling.	6/11/2015 4:16 PM
72	I am a native from Winter Haven and my family lives here.	6/11/2015 4:15 PM
73	becoming more progressive	6/11/2015 4:14 PM
74	between orlando and tampa and family oriented	6/11/2015 4:13 PM
75	Community involvement	6/11/2015 4:03 PM
76	People and the chain of lakes	6/11/2015 4:02 PM
77	No response	6/11/2015 4:01 PM
78	Small Town with Big Town desires	6/11/2015 4:00 PM
79	The existing culture of the community and the amazing opportunity to expand on it in the future.	6/11/2015 3:58 PM
80	Lakes	6/11/2015 3:58 PM
81	Small town feel with big town opportunities	6/11/2015 3:58 PM
82	People	6/11/2015 3:57 PM
83	Its untapped potential	6/11/2015 3:55 PM
84	The amazing community of people - the "small town" atmosphere with an attitude of growth	6/11/2015 3:54 PM
85	The home town feeling.	6/11/2015 3:53 PM
86	small town atmosphere	6/11/2015 3:51 PM
87	Low cost of living	6/11/2015 3:50 PM
88	the people are welcoming, friendly, and helpful--an amazing culture	6/11/2015 3:47 PM