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If you're looking for a little bit of Mayberry, a little bit of Bedford Falls, and a whole lot of home-town hospitality, you might want to consider Lindsay, Oklahoma.

Residents of Lindsay value the high quality of the natural environment, the character and charm of their downtown and surrounding neighborhoods, the quality of public services, the many recreational opportunities, as well as the strong sense of "community."

Quality of life, that intangible something that provides a sense of community, can mean different things to different people, but, in general, it means having opportunities for a pleasant life outside of work.

This includes parks and recreation, arts and culture, and places to gather such as restaurants and coffee shops. The community's commitment to Downtown Lindsay and its parks and recreation, provide a wonderful foundation for a quality of life so many people desire.

Lindsay is centrally located, with access to highways and larger markets, surrounded by booming areas such as Norman, Moore, and Oklahoma City. It is a potential hub for the tri-county area. People who work in those booming areas often choose Lindsay for its quality of life opportunities and then commute to their places of employment.

Lindsay's compact, walkable downtown core, which has been preserved, has great intact historic buildings, and several new businesses. A unique history and culture, including its historic economies of broomcorn and oil, Pikes Peak School, and the Murray Lindsay Mansion, are positive aspects of this community.

The town and surrounding areas are served by the Lindsay Public Schools. This award-winning school system, a member of the prestigious North Central Association since 1950, offers a multitude of extra-curricular activities for young people. The Little League program also provides many opportunities in multiple sports.

The school has excellent facilities, including a new gymnasium, new football field and band room, which serves as a storm shelter for the high school. The middle school and elementary schools are also served by storm shelters adequate to house all the students.

A nine-hole golf course, city lake, disc golf course, camping, and sand volleyball are all part of George Brown Park, just north of town, and the new swimming pool, splash pad, and walking trails offer welcome relief to many citizens at beautiful, serene, Glen Curlee Park. Charlie Jones Park, in the Murray Hill Addition, is another recreational opportunity for young families.

Lindsay has an abundance of excellent health care professionals, as well as a hospital with an emergency room, an outstanding team of EMS, police and fire departments, city workers who are friendly and eager to serve, and many dedicated places of worship. A public library, located in the downtown area, is another asset to this charming community.

Young families are moving back to Lindsay in search of a safe, family-friendly community within commuting distance to employment opportunities. So, if you're looking for a place to raise a growing family, or maybe just to re-locate, or retire, consider Lindsay.

If you want a community that knows what it means to look out for each other, a town with a real spirit of community, with all the advantages of small-town, rural living combined with easy access to the metroplex, take a look at Lindsay. You might just want to call it home.

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