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Loads of People Love Portage

I love Portage. It is the best city ever! I don't think there is any better place to live. I know it is small, but there are so many awesome things here.

For example, there are fun places to go, like the Air Zoo. It has rides, airplanes, and historical facts. Airway Lanes is also a fun place to go. It has bowling, an arcade, mini-golf, go carts, and an obstacle course. You can also go on one of the many clean lakes with your boat, or you can go fishing at Lakeview Park for free. There are a lot of free parks with a ton of cool obstacles and equipment. There are big fields to play soccer and football in. There are even walking and bike trails. The walking and bike trails make me feel safe. No cars are on them, so I don't have to stop and watch for traffic, unless I am crossing the street. You can also explore the forest lands right here in Portage.

Another great thing about Portage, is that we celebrate occasions like Independence Day and Christmas. We celebrate with fireworks, the tree lighting ceremony, and parades. I love how Portage decorates the town with lights and banners.

Also, Portage schools are very good. The kids are so nice here. They are nice because they include everyone. Who knows what kids from other cities are like! We have great teachers too. They help us if we are doing something hard. Most importantly, they care about us!

That's why a lot of families choose to live in Portage. My family loves Portage because it is small, clean, and safe, but there are a lot of things to do here.