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**SISTERS**  
*Country*

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We have a modern western community that honors and preserves its history. Sisters is a safe community with an authentic village atmosphere, and a variety of public gathering places, that invites walking and cycling. We especially support our youth and elders and provide social services for all. We have a belief in all aspects of education and the presence of community institutions that foster individual and community growth.

We create our future through a strong planning process that protects the town character, encourages environmental sustainability, and defines future development including housing options for all citizens.

The surrounding natural environment provides a spectacular setting for the community, and there are strong connections to it for personal, social, and economic purposes.

We have a strong tourism economy because of this beauty. But we are also a diversified entrepreneurial economy that includes arts and culture, light industry, natural resource-based businesses, and small retail. This economy especially supports locally conceived and owned businesses that provide a wide variety of year-round family wage jobs. Highly developed local leadership and an active and informed citizenry make Sisters a fine example of community self-sufficiency and grassroots democracy.