

# 10 REASONS TO INVEST HERE

**1** Safe environment for investment

**2** Strategic access to the markets

**3** Robust high-performance economy

**4** High level of industrial diversity

**5** Ideal innovation platform

**6** Specialized and educated workforce

**7** Tax breaks and low costs

**8** World-class infrastructure

**9** Unbeatable quality of life

**10** Outstanding outreach and assistance network



**1<sup>st</sup>** IN NORTH AMERICA FOR LOW OPERATING COSTS AMONG CITIES IN ITS CATEGORY  
(KPMG COMPETITIVE ALTERNATIVES, 2012)

**TOP 5**  
“AMERICAN CITIES OF THE FUTURE 2013-2014” AND  
“BUSINESS FRIENDLINESS 2013-2014”  
(FDI MAGAZINE, 2013)



**TOP 7**  
“INTELLIGENT COMMUNITY OF THE YEAR”  
(INTELLIGENT COMMUNITY FORUM 2012)

**2<sup>nd</sup>** IN THE “TOP CANADIAN METROS” RANKING  
(SITE SELECTION MAGAZINE, 2012 AND 2013)