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Subject: South Carolina Is 2016's 3rd Most Patriotic State – WalletHub Study

Hi Robert,

With the Fourth of July just days away, the personal-finance website WalletHub today released its list of **2016's Most Patriotic States** as a follow-up to its recent look at the **Best & Worst Fourth of July Destinations**.

To identify the country's patriotic hotspots, WalletHub compared the 50 states across 12 key metrics such as military engagement, voting habits and civic education.

Patriotism in South Carolina (1=Most; 25=Avg.):

- 3rd – Percent of Residents Who Enlisted in the Military
- 9th – Number of Active-Duty Military Personnel per Capita
- 7th – Number of Veterans per Capita
- 1st – Civics Education Requirement
- 15th – Volunteer Hours per Resident

For the full report, please visit:

<https://wallethub.com/edu/most-patriotic-states/13680/>

Please let me know if you have any questions or if you would like to schedule a phone, Skype or in-studio interview with one of our experts. Full data sets for specific states are also available upon request.

Best,
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