

Rock County Mission Statement

To enhance the quality of life, health, safety, and trust of all citizens by providing top quality public services through a creative and responsive team committed to excellence, integrity, accountability, and respect.

Core Values

Honesty - Integrity - Respect

Vision

- **SERVICE** to the public is our fundamental reason for being. We strive to treat citizens with courtesy and as valued customers.
- **COOPERATION** among our staff and departments creates a smooth running organization. These collaborative attitudes and efforts are reflected in our working relationships with other public entities, the business community, nonprofit organizations, and citizens.
- **DILIGENCE** is the foundation of our work ethic. We challenge and inspire all staff to be efficient and effective in carrying out day-to-day tasks and activities.
- ACCOUNTABILITY is vital to maintaining public trust. We ensure accountability for our actions by
 adopting and enforcing policies, procedures, and processes that withstand the test of public review and
 scrutiny.
- **FISCAL RESPONSIBILITY** is fundamental to the way we conduct business. We maximize our human, physical, and financial resources in order to provide effective stewardship of public funds.
- **COMMUNICATION** and an informed citizenry are essential to the democratic process. We are committed to providing citizens with relevant, accurate, and timely information about our goals, services, and the decisions that will affect the public.
- **INNOVATION** and creativity shape our future. We encourage staff to challenge the status quo and discover new ideas or better methods. We foster staff development in order to respond to changing needs in our community.
- **SAFETY** is critical to a high standard of living. We protect the citizenry through prevention, early intervention, treatment services, and enforcement of the law.
- **ENVIRONMENT** is central to our community. Preservation of our natural environment ensures that generations to come will enjoy the resources we value and preserve. Caring for our social environment ensures that community remains a vital part of our culture.
- **DIVERSITY & INCLUSION** Rock County commits to a diverse workforce that increases creativity and provides a safe, inclusive, and motivating environment for all employees, citizens, and those we serve. Rock County promotes a workplace that provides respect, fairness, and work-life balance; maintains opportunities for all to excel in their careers; and is void of discrimination and prejudice.