



CITY OF CORCORAN

MISSION STATEMENT

THE CITY OF CORCORAN WILL PROVIDE HIGH QUALITY PUBLIC SERVICES IN A COST EFFECTIVE, RESPONSIBLE, AND PROFESSIONAL MANNER IN ORDER TO CREATE A PREFERRED ENVIRONMENT TO LIVE, WORK, PLAY, AND CONDUCT BUSINESS.

VISION STATEMENT

THE CITY OF CORCORAN WILL BECOME A VIBRANT COMMUNITY FOCUSED AROUND A THRIVING TOWN CENTER WHILE PRESERVING ITS NATURAL CHARACTER AND AGRICULTURAL ROOTS.

In order to achieve this vision, the City will seek to work with partners to accomplish the following outcomes:

- A variety of housing options for all ages and stages of life existing in cohesion with the natural environment.
- A well connected parks and trails system with options for year-round recreation and opportunities for residents to connect with nature.
- A safe and clean community where residents can be proud to live, work, and play.
- A variety of high quality schools are available to residents and work in cohesion with the City's vision.
- A variety of commercial and industrial businesses exist to provide for most services and jobs for the community.

VALUES STATEMENT

The following values are fundamental to the City of Corcoran's success and the fulfillment of our mission:

Honesty, Ethics, Integrity

We believe that honesty, ethics, and integrity are the foundation blocks of public trust and confidence.

Community Pride and Partnership

We believe in creating a strong sense of community through partnerships with civic organizations, school districts, and local businesses.

Efficient and Effective Service Delivery

We believe providing services to residents and businesses in an efficient and effective manner makes government easier to work with and creates a business friendly environment.

Community Safety

We will protect the community by maintaining or improving safety through police and fire protection and by investing and maintaining the infrastructure of the City.

Fiscal Responsibility

We believe that the prudent stewardship and opportunistic investment of public funds is essential for confidence in government and to position the City for future success.

Transparency

We believe that open and honest communication is essential for an informed and involved citizenry. Processes and decision making should include opportunities to educate citizens and receive feedback.

Responsible Decision Making

We believe it is the responsibility of the City to address difficult issues now in order to avoid larger more difficult issues in the future.

ADOPTED MARCH 8, 2018

ACTION STEPS

The City of Corcoran has identified the following action steps for 2019:

- Develop a master plan, finance plan, and select amenities for City Park.
- Develop a needs assessment, action plan, and finance plan for fire service.
- Complete the update to the southeast district and town center plan; complete a stormwater management plan for the town center.
- Decide on request for contribution to the Dayton Parkway Interchange project.
- Develop a low cost option to pave gravel roads; establish criteria to select roads for paving; push legislative priorities which includes street funding options.
- Identify all existing easements/right-of-way the City has obtained for trails, etc.
- Complete a feasibility study for trails along selected County Roads.
- Identify preferred snowmobile routes.
- Evaluate staffing and space needs for public safety.
- Evaluate the need for a City Planner.
- Complete studies needed for water system options.
- Investigate options to reduce the use of salt/chloride; apply for funding to complete an additional sub watershed assessment.
- Provide an update on the existing crime/drug action plan; create a new plan for next steps.
- Execute code enforcement plan.
- Consider updates to the Open Space and Preservation ordinance and other ordinances to establish incentives for protecting/preserving the natural environment through development.
- Review compost site options.



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ADOPTED JANUARY 24, 2019