



Governance Principles

Core Values

- **We are entrusted to serve the public** and are responsible for carrying out the mission of the Open Space Authority for the benefit of nature, wildlife and the community.
- Through policy and our personal actions, we are actively engaged in **reducing our impact on the environment**;
- We are committed to providing **excellence** in all that we do;
- We take pride in our work; we are accountable and entrusted to carry out our responsibilities safely with **honesty and integrity**.
- We have a passion for open space of all kinds; rural areas as well as urban.
- We believe that **collaboration and sharing** with agencies, organizations and businesses allows us to build a stronger network.
- We are committed to building a **lasting legacy** through our commitment to environmental education and stewardship of the land for future generations.
- We are committed to deliver **fiscal responsibility, accountability and transparency**
- **Open communication**, cooperation, and teamwork are shared responsibilities and essential to the successful performance of our work.
- **We are committed** to creating an inclusive work environment which reflects and supports the diversity of our community and enriches our perspectives.
- **A balance between** work and family is essential to the quality of our lives, and we will promote a family-friendly work environment.