Vision, Mission Statement and Core Values

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★ Vision ★

To be a vibrant, thriving city which enhances the quality of life for each citizen through effective city government that encourages economic growth through progressive business development while promoting tourism based on its rich pioneer heritage.

★ Mission ★

Serve as the destination for new residents, new businesses, and tourists in central Oklahoma, while maintaining a high quality of life for our residents and fostering a business-friendly environment.

★ Core Values ★

Integrity

Much like the foundation of a strong building, integrity is the foundation of the City of Guthrie. If integrity is first and foremost in every decision, then the policy or program will be built on a strong foundation. Among many other things, integrity encompasses the values of openness, honesty, accountability, and fairness.

Service

The City of Guthrie exists to serve the citizens of the community. As public servants, City of Guthrie officials must go the extra mile to communicate, be hospitable, responsive, open and respectful while providing means of inclusion for the citizens. There must also be an unwavering respect for taxpayer dollars. Programs and operations must operate with excellence, efficiency, effectiveness and a high level of financial integrity.

Quality of Life

This value encompasses the core of what the City of Guthrie does. In order to truly serve the community, the City of Guthrie representatives must work tirelessly to create an outstanding quality of life in the community. Quality of life means that the City of Guthrie will work to instill a sense of community and pride by working to enhance neighborhoods, provide a strong parks system, good roads and a strong public safety team as well as services that are inclusive and accessible to every citizen.