

**CITY OF CREDIT RIVER
SCOTT COUNTY
STATE OF MINNESOTA**

RESOLUTION NO. 2025-16

RESOLUTION ADOPTING THE CITY'S OFFICIAL VALUE STATEMENTS, VISION STATEMENT AND MISSION STATEMENT

WHEREAS, the City Council of Credit River authorized the establishment of the City Vision Citizen Advisory Committee ("CVCAC") with its adoption of Resolution No. 2024-28 on July 15, 2024; and,

WHEREAS, the CVCAC was governed and administered under the approved BY-LAWS of the Committee; and,

WHEREAS, the CVCAC BY-LAWS contained specific Primary Objectives and Tasks to be completed by the CVCAC including:

1. Define what a Vision Statement, Mission and Values are definitionally, why these are important and what major topics to should be included within any final Vision, Mission and Values Statement.
2. Determine best way(s) to reach as many of the citizens with as many different cross sections as possible (such as age, location, residency-tenure, etc.) to engage in defining the City's final Vision, Mission and Values Statement. Implement such outreach.
3. Work with each other and citizens to solicit feedback on these major topics.
4. Draft up to three Vision, Mission and Values Statements and solicit input / feedback from the citizens. The Committee shall identify a preferred selection and outline why it is preferred.
5. Present the multiple Statements and corresponding feedback to the City Council.
6. Present any additional findings of this feedback to the City Council.
7. Propose specific implementation strategies for its preferred Final Vision, Mission and Values Statement; and,

WHEREAS, the CVCAC completed its Primary Objectives and Tasks and presented these to the City of Credit River's City Council at its April 7, 2025 meeting. A copy of this presentation is affixed hereto as EXHIBIT A to this Resolution.

WHEREAS, City Council of Credit River recognizes that these Value, Vision and Mission Statements were developed by citizens of Credit River and represent the will of Credit River citizens.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED by the City Council for the City of Credit River, Minnesota that the following City of Credit River Value Statements, Vision Statement and Mission Statement are hereby adopted:

City of Credit River Value Statements

1. We are dedicated to preserving the rural character of our unique community, embracing our natural resources, open spaces, parks and wildlife, our neighborhoods, rural residences and our agricultural land.
2. We recognize the need for thoughtful planning that ensures a safe and secure community in which our residents are proud to live.
3. We value collaborative, prudent and transparent leadership that reflects the needs of our community

City of Credit River Vision Statement

Our vision is to build a thriving community where nature, safety, and growth coexist. We strive to be a model of collaboration, innovation, and leadership, reflecting the evolving needs of our residents while safeguarding the rural character that makes our city one-of-a-kind.

City of Credit River Mission Statement

The City of Credit River is committed to preserving our rural character, fostering transparent and accountable governance, and ensuring sustainable and thoughtful growth that enhances the quality of life for all residents.

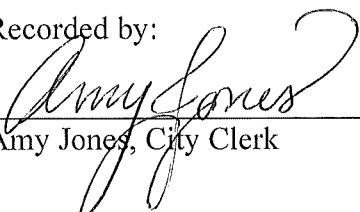
BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Credit River, Minnesota that future decisions made by the City Council should consider these Values, Vision and Mission Statements as guiding principles when making City decisions that impact City citizens.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Credit River, Minnesota that the City Council should consider implementing the Strategies proposed by the CVCAC or alternatively develop its own list of Implementation Strategies that support these Value, Vision and Mission Statements developed by the CVCAC.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED by the City Council of the City of Credit River, Minnesota that the City will publish these Value, Vision and Mission Statements on its website and advertise them as it deems necessary so all Credit River Citizens may learn of these approved statements.

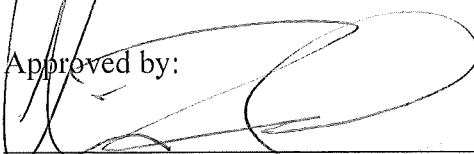
Passed this 22nd day of April, 2025.

Recorded by:



Amy Jones, City Clerk

Approved by:



Chris Kostik, Mayor