Boone County Strategic Plan
2016

Mission

Boone County is a boutique county that cherishes its rural heritage, has access to world class transportation options, is receptive to change and committed to deliver quality services in a fiscally responsible manner.

Goals and Objectives

1. Promote Intergovernmental collaboration and communication
   - Develop a collaborative process across departments to facilitate business development
   - Establish healthy relationships with potential businesses by streamlining government functions
   - Partner with intergovernmental and regional economic development agencies

2. Promote economic development to support new and existing businesses
   - Create an economic development strategy to promote business growth
   - Streamline the process and reduce the cost to implement a business
   - Establish a County Economic Development Committee
   - Collaborate with municipalities to establish a unified economic plan
   - Develop a public infrastructure plan, driving potential economic development

3. Maintain and enhance community safety through an integrated law enforcement and criminal justice system
   - Implement electronic filing
   - Improve customer service to public and colleagues
   - Increase staffing levels to improve efficiency for the criminal court system
   - Present community educational programs
   - Continue collaborative initiatives with all members of the Public Safety team
4. Integrate the functions of county departments, including technology, to promote effective and efficient government
   - Map business processes within each department to identify opportunities for efficiencies
   - Endeavor to find additional and new revenue streams
   - Identify and implement communication technology to improve customer access to services
   - Create a County “dashboard” of metrics and departmental activities
   - Identify, prioritize and fulfill citizen expectations
   - Analyze cost centers and ways to streamline purchasing
   - Develop a comprehensive budget planning system

5. Plan, develop and invest in the community to enhance the quality of life with a focus on infrastructure and transportation
   - Create a unified regional road and bridge replacement plan
   - Capitalize on public/private partnerships and leverage regional assets to improve transportation infrastructure
   - Update the County comprehensive plan
   - Expand and improve public transportation options