

## Our Mission, Vision, and Guiding Values

Our mission defines why we exist; what we do. Our vision describes who we aspire to be in the future. Our guiding values describe our shared behavioral commitments and priorities as we work together in a team-oriented department.

## **Our Mission**

Our mission is to prepare a fair and accurate property tax roll in accordance with the laws of the state of California in a timely manner, as well as safeguard important public documents. Essential to that mission is a commitment to providing excellent service, practicing fiscal responsibility, and operating efficiently with the best interests and well-being of the public in mind.

## **Our Vision**

To provide exceptional customer service in an accurate, innovative, and efficient manner while working in teams that emphasize mutual respect, transparency, and collaboration.

## **Our Guiding Values**

Our focus is on empowering our employees, evaluating our processes, and maximizing our productivity as a department. In doing so, we commit to:

- Outstanding Customer Service We seek to consistently meet and exceed the needs
  of our customers, both internal and external, through empathy, education, and
  understanding.
- Mutual Trust and Respect We treat each other in a transparent, helpful, and kind manner.
- Collaboration We work on teams that commit to exhibit a can-do attitude and hold ourselves accountable.
- Accurate and Timely Services We strive to provide correct and timely information in a professional manner.
- **Employee Growth and Development** We strive to motivate and support everyone's growth and develop their skill sets.
- **Open Two-Way Communication** We communicate with one another and the public clearly and honestly and practice nonjudgmental, active listening.
- **Stewardship** We commit to being good stewards of public funds by putting our time and resources to the most beneficial use.