

**VISION STATEMENTS**  
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**PUBLIC WORKSHOP**

In 20 years Troup County will retain the quasi rural community look and feel it has today even though the population has more than doubled. There are mixed use developments that have public water and sewer systems in the county which were developed with a concern for protecting out natural resources and wild life habitats. There are family friendly entertainment opportunities which include activities ranging from bowling to historic tours. And West Point Lake has an increased winter pool and unless weather is a deterrent remains at full pool. Roads and transportation around LaGrange and the county flow in a planned manner without congestion.

Troup County uses its resources - Agricultural, Natural, Commercial and human – for the benefit of its citizens and their quality of life.

Preserve our lifestyle while growing.

Dedicated to preserving unique character, high standards, strong economy, for recreational opportunities, efficient transportation, and high moral integrity.

Utilizing controlled and strategic growth, provide an environment of economic, educational, social and spiritual enhancement, balancing need for affordable and quality housing with the purpose of maintaining quality of life and greenspace for the future.

I would like to see LaGrange develop into a city that provides job opportunities, cultural opportunities, and good schools while preserving its unique southern history and beauty. I would like to see that it has preserved the beauty of its lake and rural areas while providing sound and attractive housing for its citizens.

Troup County – be allowed only “controlled growth” in order for it to remain the most desirable place in the state to raise a family, educate one’s children and maintain one’s family and home in a moderate high standard. We should maintain a good economic base, give opportunities for people to develop personally as well as culturally, socially, educationally, religiously and economically. The vision for Troup County should be a “balanced community”, so that people can develop a “balanced and healthy personality”. Not to do so would be below the proper standard. Whatever it takes to maintain a good well rounded and “balanced

community” should be followed. Such a vision will carry the community and its people in the distant future.

20 Years From Now! County officials following the zoning ordinances and listen to the public and not the ones with 8X10 glossies and erroneous surveys.

Encourage wise growth to encourage a pleasant mix of industrial, residential and retail use of the land in Troup County.

Troup County has an obligation to the people of its land to make decisions that will protect, preserve & oversee its citizen to make smart developments that preserve the integrity and the will of the people.

Troup County where people are valued over special interests.  
Troup County where people are “the special interests”.

Providing resources and opportunities through education, community services and economic development.

Troup County... community, friendship and opportunity

A properly developed county with farms, homes, recreation facilities, business and schools sufficient for our citizens.

My vision is to see LaGrange, grow in a very positive and productive manner for all of its citizens. Let’s make this city one that the world would be proud of.

Retain the character.

A vision for Troup County is quality progress with smart growth. Land left for agriculture and plenty of green space.

My vision for Troup County is for smart growth, preserving the country life, increasing lot sizes, not putting commercial developments in the middle of nowhere, leaving some quiet space.

A county you want to live in.

Troup County a provider of economic opportunity thru growth, citizen education, historic preservation and the protection of natural resources.

Working to make Troup County a place to find opportunity, wealth and promote over-all well being.

My vision for Troup County – A gracious community where all citizens can live and participate in cultural, recreational and educational opportunities equally, supported by a responsible and communicative government which provides adequate infrastructure for controlled growth.

A community proud to live and grow in.

Moving into the future as one, built on the strength of individual efforts combined for the common welfare of all.

In twenty years I envision for Troup County GA. a thriving community with plenty of things to do here without having to leave the county for recreation, eating, shopping, etc., also, a place for kids to have opportunity to fill their time with quality things and for our roads to be flowing with proper alignment, lights, and turning arrows. A beautiful place to live, visit and see.

I would like to see Troup Co. with successful retail city areas and timber and farm, and conservation areas as much the area is now. Let's keep a balance and develop in the cities.

Troup County a place where the living conditions and welfare for the people is top priority.

A well planned, dynamically growing community where people want to live as well as work.

The County should take all the people into consideration. People (old and young) today and tomorrow. Natural resources, economic growth, historic resources – everything considered.

Throughout every session, the current theme was: going forward should do nothing that will negatively impact the quality of the environment. Old buildings should be re-used, farmland should be preserved and zoning laws should be consistent and enforced.

I want to see Troup County be a model community that balances growth with planning, that will positively affect every resident who desires to have good quality

of life for their families. Their Family, Home and Property are their most valued asset.

A unified community, working to provide the opportunity for every citizen to all that they can be.

Troup County. Citizens creating a community of participation in the building of a future for us all.

In 20 years, 100,000 people love living, learning and working in Troup County with its clean air; ample fresh water; full lake; wide open spaces; culture that celebrates art, music, education and history; and a sustainable environment.

Troup County will endeavor to act with a progressive entrepreneurial spirit, capitalizing on our unique location within a major growth corridor, while maintaining a high quality of life through carefully managed growth principals and preservation of our natural resources."