

Vision

A primary outcome of this process is the development and affirmation of a new Vision for the future of the County. This Vision was vetted and affirmed by the participants of a Vision Retreat, which convened several community leaders on September 13, 2018 – including the Board of Supervisors and Planning Commission – to review citizen input and craft the following Vision. The new Vision for the future of Warren County is presented below:

Our Vision

Warren County will be a thriving community that retains its safe, scenic, friendly and inviting character with leadership that puts community first and works cooperatively to:

- ⚙️ Preserve the quality of our clean water, air, natural resources and scenic landscape;
- ⚙️ Grow gradually at a rate that supports the local economy but does not place stress on County services or natural resources. This has historically meant a 2% to 3% annual growth rate.
- ⚙️ Maintain our small-town character and rural lifestyle while providing quality amenities for shopping, recreation and entertainment;
- ⚙️ Enhance opportunities for quality wage jobs that allow residents to live, work and raise families in the County;
- ⚙️ Support an excellent school environment that retains quality teachers and graduates the next generation of leaders;
- ⚙️ Provide a variety of housing choices to allow our citizens and workforce to live prosperously and age with dignity within their community;
- ⚙️ Deliver quality services such as fire, safety, and law enforcement, and provide safe and modern roads and other infrastructure within a framework of balanced taxes and sound fiscal management.
- ⚙️ Make Warren County a place of choice in Virginia, where people choose to live, prosper, raise families, grow businesses and stay a lifetime.