



Sustainable Procurement

Future Procurement Strategies

Purchasing Division

July 29, 2021

Strategic Alignment

2019 Strategic Plan

County's Mission: Deliver exceptional, financially and environmentally responsive / responsible services that promote a safe, affordable, healthy, and resilient community

Strategic Initiatives	
X	Regional Leadership
X	Fiscal Responsibility
X	Exceptional Service and Operational Excellence
Strategic Goals	
	Public Safety and Integrated, Data-Driven Justice System
	Enhance Economic Opportunities
	Improve Infrastructure
X	Promote a Sustainable Environment
	Build Healthy, Inclusive, and Resilient Communities

Strategic Themes	
	Inter-Organizational Cooperation
	Quality of Life
	Economic Development
	Infrastructure
X	Environmental Sustainability
	Non-Environmental Sustainability
	Lake County Branding
	Mental Health
	Grants and Specialty Funding
	Diversity and Inclusion

Sustainability Statement



- **In 2013, a Sustainability Statement was incorporated into RFPs**
- **The focus was on the vendor's sustainability**
- **Revising to focus on the procurement's sustainability**

Revised Sustainability Statement



- **RFP – Vendors will submit:**
 - **Their sustainability policy**
 - **A narrative with specific criteria**
 - **Sustainable approach options with initial cost variances and life cycle costs**
 - **Responses may be scoring criteria for certain projects**
- **Bids – work with department for sustainable product specifications**

SWALCO Partnership



Community Connections through SWALCO

- **RRS (Resource Recycling Systems)**
- **Circular Great Lakes**
- **Local organizations with programs reducing single use plastics**
 - **AbbVie**
 - **CLC**



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