MISSION

The Mayor and Council Members will continue working together as a team, representing all Merced constituents, in order to make Merced a city which:

- ♦ Maintains a high quality of life for its citizens;
- Demonstrates a positive attitude and approach in dealing with all segments of the community;
- ♦ Shows sensitivity and awareness of community needs and issues;
- Respects the diversity of its community;
- Develops creative and affordable solutions and alternatives to meet community needs;
- Is service-oriented, efficient, and progressive in its approach to problem resolution and use of resources;
- ◊ Offers economic development opportunities beneficial to its citizens;
- Maximizes teamwork and encourages individual involvement and personal growth, so that the community achieves its goals and contributes to society as a whole; and
- Creates and maintains an enjoyable atmosphere in which to live and work.