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# Watershed Management Plan 2021-2031

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The Mississippi Watershed Management Organization (MWMO) is committed to protecting, managing, and improving the water resources within its boundaries. The MWMO Board of Commissioners has directed staff to lead efforts to accomplish the mission by assisting, educating, supporting, and cooperating with its member organizations, other units of government, nonprofit agencies, and a variety of community groups to achieve a diverse, functional urban river ecosystem.

### **Mission Statement articulates why the organization exists:**

*To lead, and to foster stewardship of the watershed and its waters with actions that promote civic ownership and responsibility and through measures that achieve diverse and functional upland and river ecosystems.*

### **Vision statement describes what the organization hopes to achieve by 2031:**

*To lead, to inspire, to act, to educate, and to create a shared vision for a river system with ecological integrity.*

