

# The Manager's Role in Community Leadership



# Contemporary Community Leadership Grounded in Ethics and Ideals

What is community leadership?

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How do we define the role of the manager in contemporary community leadership?

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What role does data serve in identifying issues that should be advanced in the community?

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Who are the partners that should be engaged in these discussions?

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**What is the definition of “neutrality” in the actions of local government managers?**

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**What can we do individually and collectively to balance the tension of being both politically neutral and a reformer?**

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## **The Declaration of Ideals**

**What does the ICMA Declaration of Ideals mean to today’s local government managers?**

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**Should the Declaration of Ideals be amended to reflect current challenges?**

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