## **DEFINITIONS**

## **ISSUE:**

A POINT OR MATTER OF DISCUSSION, DEBATE OR DISPUTE.
GOAL:
THE LONG TERM END TOWARD WHICH PROGRAMS OR ACTIVITIES ARE DIRECTED.
OBJECTIVE:
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A SPECIFIC, MEASURABLE, ACHIEVEABLE END WITH A TIMETABLE THAT MARKS PROGRESS TOWARD ACCOMPLISHING THE GOAL.

OBJECTIVES SHOULD ALWAYS BE: SMART
SPECIFIC
MEASUREABLE
ACHIEVEABLE
REALISTIC
HAVE A TIMETABLE

Objectives seek to reach the Goal while resolving as many of the issues as possible. One Goal can have several Objectives.

## **ACTION STEPS**

The steps needed to achieve the Objective; they should always be listed in sequence.