

COUNTY HIRES FIRST SUSTAINABILITY COORDINATOR



Orange County Asset Management Services has hired Brennan Bouma as the County's first Sustainability Coordinator. Mr. Bouma will come on board on November 17, leading the integration and effectiveness of the County's sustainability efforts. Additionally, Brennan will provide staff support to the Commission for the Environment.

Mr. Bouma comes with more than 14 years of experience in the Sustainability field, most recently with the Triangle J Council of Governments Energy and Environment Program, where he served as a regional energy and environmental planner.

"We're very fortunate to attract a talent of Brennan's caliber. We are looking forward to him advancing and synthesizing the County's diverse sustainability efforts across environmental, organizational, and social lines," said Jeff Thompson, director of Asset Management Services.

Mr. Bouma's most recent role assisted public and private organizations to improve the sustainability of their operations, vehicle fleets and the commute patterns of their employees. He also co-authored a report on coordinating affordable housing and transit investments and Electric Vehicle Readiness Plans for the Triangle Region and North Carolina.

Brennan holds a Bachelor of Science degree in biology and a Master's in City and Regional Planning from the University of North Carolina at Chapel Hill.