The Basic Purpose of The American Radio Relay League, Inc. is to Support and Enhance Amateur Radio

A. By developing the Amateur Radio Service as a National and International resource.

Through:
- Advancement of the state of the art.
- Dissemination of information.
- Encouraging the interest of youth in Amateur Radio.
- Providing emergency communication service to the public.
- Promoting international people-to-people contact.
- Providing our country with a trained cadre of operators and technical personnel.

B. Strengthening membership in the Amateur Radio fraternity, both in numbers and commitment.

Through:
- Improving the leadership credibility with membership.
- Developing a new organizational concept based on a team approach.
- Strengthening membership services.

C. By Fostering the proper use and improvement of our operating privileges.

Through:
- Strengthening ARRL’s position with governmental agencies.
- Promoting and supporting the IARU and its member societies.

D. By assuring effective management and direction of our organizational resources.

Through:
- Ensuring a sound financial position.
- Preserving and strengthening our headquarters resources.