

Fact Sheet

Environmental Institute of Georgia (EIOG) is a nonprofit that provides education, advocacy, advice, and action on a full range of environmental issues for communities across Georgia. In order to protect and preserve our environment for future generations, we believe that it takes an informed effort.

Our Vision

Our vision is to establish an institute that will educate, stimulate, and motivate Georgians to protect and sustain a healthy, rich, and diverse environment for present and future generations.

Our Mission

Our mission is to provide environmental education and legislative support to communities across Georgia in order to:

- Protect the state's diverse and sustainable natural environment
- Establish a state-of-the-art green space to serve the community
- Provide conduits for environmental science and interdisciplinary studies and research
- Inform and assist communities with regard to environmental issues
- Exchange communication through local, state, and national environmental forums and publications.

Our History

EIOG evolved from the need to preserve 310 acres of natural habitat in Fairburn, GA, and use this habitat as a model for providing education about the environment, in the environment, and for the environment.

The City of Fairburn's vision for that land is to create the Fairburn Nature Preserve, a multi-purpose eco-center that includes a Mitigation Bank, Nature Center and Environmental Education Center with conference facilities.

Working in partnership with the City of Fairburn and educators in Georgia, EIOG serves as trustee of the Fairburn Nature Preserve & EIOG's Center for Environmental Education.

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