

ACCEPTING
THE FIRST
50
APPLICANTS
FOR CONSIDERATION



LEADERSHIP GREEN BAY

“Never doubt that a small group of thoughtful, committed citizens can change the world; indeed, it is the only thing that ever has.”

- Margaret Mead -

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APPLICATION

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LEADERSHIP GREEN BAY IS A PROGRAM OF THE GREEN BAY AREA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Mission

“Leadership Green Bay develops and fosters leaders — providing education about local community’s strengths and opportunities, to encourage community stewardship.”

Program Elements

Participants meet one day per month, October through May, following a two-day overnight retreat in September. Programs focus on Green Bay’s local economy, education, local history and heritage, diversity and cultural awareness, human services, government and environment. In addition, small groups work on projects designed to enhance awareness of community problems, identify systems and methods to effect change, and develop his/her project management, team and presentation skills. The groups meet on their own time outside Leadership Green Bay sessions.

**YOUR ANSWERS, AS WELL AS THE INFORMATION ON THIS APPLICATION,
WILL BE USED AS PART OF THE SELECTION PROCESS.**

SELECTION CRITERIA FOR LEADERSHIP GREEN BAY

The most important factor in selection is identifying those individuals most apt to utilize their leadership for the long-term benefit of the community. We strive to select a cross-section of participants from all sectors of the community. The basic criteria for achieving this selection are:

1. Select those individuals with a sincere commitment, motivation and interest to serve in the community.
2. Select those intending to seek public office, boards, commissions, or key volunteer leadership roles.
3. Select those with potential or existing opportunities for advancement to top leadership positions within their own organization, which may in turn play a significant role in the community.
4. Select individuals committed to their personal/career development.

BACKGROUND INFORMATION

Please type or print neatly. Use additional paper if needed.

Name _____
Last First Preferred First Name Middle

Employer _____

Job Title _____

Work/Mail Address _____
Street or P.O. Box City ZIP

Work Phone _____ Preferred E-mail address _____

Home Address _____
Street or P.O. Box City ZIP

Home Phone _____ Fax Number _____

Education:

(Begin with high school, then college(s), business or trade schools and/or specialized training.)

Name & City of School	Dates (from-to)	Degree	Major
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COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

Record community, civic, religious, political, government, social, athletic, or other activities (include all communities, not just the Green Bay area). Do not include business/professional activities. Indicate major role in the organization.

1. Organization _____

Assignment/Position _____ Year(s) involved

Describe responsibilities _____

2. Organization _____

Assignment/Position _____ Year(s) involved

Describe responsibilities _____

3. Organization _____

Assignment/Position _____ Year(s) involved

Describe responsibilities _____

PLEASE ANSWER THESE QUESTIONS ON A SEPARATE SHEET OF PAPER (ONE OR TWO PARAGRAPHS)

1. Explain your one most important achievement to date.
2. In your judgement, what are three problems facing the Green Bay area today?
Explain your reasoning and make recommendations for approaching and resolving these problems.
3. Describe the three most notable opportunities Green Bay has to offer.
4. What do you hope to gain from Leadership Green Bay? Give us an example of how you will apply this knowledge.

REFERENCES

Submit a letter of recommendation from one individual (other than employer or spouse) who has knowledge of your qualifications as a Leadership Green Bay applicant. Please submit the letter with this application.

COMMITMENT

If selected as a Leadership Green Bay participant, I understand that I am committing myself to involvement in the community upon graduation from the program. My name and contact information will be published annually in the LGB Directory for distribution to non-profit organizations. My name will also be given to community service organizations that are seeking volunteers.

ATTENDANCE:

In addition to the Opening Retreat and the Closing Dinner, the time commitment is eight full-day sessions. Attendance at the two day overnight Opening Retreat and Closing and at all sessions is required. If you miss a session, you may be subject to review by the LGB Steering Committee as to your eligibility for graduation from the program.

COMMUNITY PROJECTS:

In addition to the sessions, you will be asked to commit your time to a small group community project. The amount of time you will need to devote to the development of your project will be determined by consensus of your small group. Participation in the small group meetings is expected.

TUITION:

Leadership Green Bay's tuition is \$1,725. Employers generally pay all or most of the cost, but there are limited funds available for people who demonstrate a need for financial assistance. **Tuition is non-refundable once the program begins.**

SCHOLARSHIPS:

Partial scholarships may be available for those successful candidates from a small business or non-profit agency who demonstrate a clear need for such assistance. If accepted, do you wish to apply for tuition assistance? Yes _____ No _____

LGB APPLICATION FEE:

There is a non-refundable application fee of \$25 **to be submitted with the written application.**

ADMINISTRATIVE FEE:

Leadership Green Bay will assess a \$250 administrative fee for anyone who withdraws from the program after acceptance and prior to the opening retreat.

HOW DID YOU LEARN ABOUT LEADERSHIP GREEN BAY? *Please check all that apply.*

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| <input type="checkbox"/> Newspaper | <input type="checkbox"/> Business Referral | <input type="checkbox"/> LGB Website | <input type="checkbox"/> LGB Alumni | <input type="checkbox"/> TV |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Friday Report | <input type="checkbox"/> Personal Referral | <input type="checkbox"/> Employer | <input type="checkbox"/> Chamber Event | <input type="checkbox"/> Radio |
| <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Please Specify) _____ | | | | |

APPLICATION PROCESS TIME LINE:

*The first 50 {fifty} applications will be accepted for consideration.
From that field, 40 {forty} applicants will be selected.*

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| March/June: | Interviews will be held
Successful applicants will be notified as soon as selections are completed |
| August: | Program Begins with Welcome Breakfast |
| October 30: | Tuition Due |

Signed _____ Date _____

RETURN TO:

Jeanne Agneessens
300 N. Broadway
Green Bay, WI 54305

Phone: 593-3412
Fax: 593-3457
Email: lgb@titletown.org

Did you enclose?

- Application
- Answers to the questions
- Letter of recommendation
- Application fee

*For Chamber Use:
Date Application Received:*

