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SIOUX CENTER, IA – The Sioux Center Chamber is pleased to announce that they are now accepting applications for the 2022-2023 year of Leadership Sioux Center. Leadership Sioux Center began in 2014 and is an educational program intended for Sioux Center area citizens who have an interest in their community, their leaders and institutions, their decision-making processes and specific leadership opportunities available in Sioux Center.

Sioux Center has a track record of working together and thinking big picture to provide opportunities for those who live and work here. The goal is that this program will help both new and seasoned leaders understand the hard work and vision our past leaders have displayed. Leadership Sioux Center uses the community as its classroom as sessions are held at various locations in the community one day a month, October through May.

AJ Borger, Loan Officer at American State Bank and 2022 of the program stated, "Leadership Sioux Center is an amazing opportunity to listen and learn what makes Sioux Center a vibrant and growing community. Not only do you get to learn about Sioux Center, but you also get to network with many other talented individuals who are engaged and invested in the community. Every person involved with the City of Sioux Center and LSC bring all sorts of skills and backgrounds to our community, and we are truly blessed that they have been attracted to Sioux Center and are willing to invest in the town's future. Even if you have lived here your whole life, I would highly recommend participating in LSC."

The program is open to all people who live or work in the Sioux Center area and individuals from all ages and segments of the community are encouraged to apply. If you are a community-minded, committed citizen and have an interest in shaping the future of Sioux Center, Leadership Sioux Center is for you.

Those interested in Leadership Sioux Center can complete an application at <u>www.siouxcenterchamber.com/leadership-sioux-center.html.</u> Application deadline is Friday, August 19<sup>th</sup> and applicants will be notified of their acceptance by Friday, September 9<sup>th</sup>. For questions regarding Leadership Sioux Center, please contact the Chamber Office at 712-722-3457.

