



# Application

Advanced Leadership Elk River is open to individuals who have:

- the ability to make time and personal commitment necessary to derive the full benefit from the program
- shown interest in investing in their personal leadership growth
- preference will be given to Participants who have completed the chamber's Leadership Elk River/ Community Leadership program.

Class size is limited. A minimum class size of 10 and a maximum of 15 is required.

## INSTRUCTIONS

- Please print
- The application must be signed by the candidate and employer (if applicable) and received no later than August 30. Applicants will be notified of their status by September 6<sup>th</sup>.

**Submit this application by August 30 to:** Elk River Area Chamber of Commerce, 509 Highway 10, Elk River MN 55330

If you have questions about the program, call Elk River Area Chamber of Commerce, (763) 441-3110.

## I. PERSONAL DATA

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
*Last First Middle Nickname*

Best Email \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

## II. EMPLOYMENT / BUSINESS INFORMATION

Employer/Business \_\_\_\_\_

Position \_\_\_\_\_ Business Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Business Address \_\_\_\_\_

## III. PERSONAL PERSPECTIVE

What specific skill or knowledge do you hope to gain from your participation in Advanced Leadership?

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## IV. COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

List organizations in which you have been involved and position held.

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## V. PAST LEADERSHIP PROGRAMS

Other Leadership Training programs you have completed (preference is given for past Chamber Leadership programs)

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**VI. CLASS DATES AND TIMES**

Classes will run from 8 am – 11:45 am

- September 28
  - October 26
  - November 16
  - December 7
  - January 25
- Project planning time will be scheduled by class leaders

**VII. TUITION**

Tuition for each participant is \$1000. Elk River Area Chamber of Commerce members receive a \$200.00 discount, (\$850), past graduates of Community Leadership (Leadership Elk River) receive a \$100 discount (\$750) Payment is required before the first class.

If selected, who will be responsible for your tuition?

\_\_\_\_ Employer/Sponsor      \_\_\_\_ Applicant      \_\_\_\_ Other (please specify) \_\_\_\_\_

**VIII. GRADUATION REQUIREMENTS**

To graduate, participants may not miss more than 1 class. Supplemental materials will be provided for content missed. If more are missed, the participant may make-up the missed sessions during the following program year and then receive a certificate of completion. No portion of the tuition will be refunded.

Participants are expected to assist in facilitating with their cohort a community-based betterment project within 90 days of coursework completion.

*I understand the purpose of the Advanced Leadership program and if I am selected, I will devote the time and resources necessary to complete the program. I understand the above commitments and agree to be bound by them in signing this application.*

*I understand that my name may be shared, with civic and non-profit organizations as a candidate for available volunteer leadership positions.*

\_\_\_\_\_  
Applicant Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date

**Employer Commitment (if applicable)**

*This application has the approval of this organization, and the candidate has our full support, which includes the time required to participate in the program. (See note on graduation requirements)*

Employer or Supervisor Name \_\_\_\_\_

Email \_\_\_\_\_

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Employer/Supervisor Signature

\_\_\_\_\_  
Date