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Application

Due: June 19th, 2024

Leadership Barrow

A Community of Passionate, Competent Leaders
Successfully Leading Tomorrow's Barrow County

Personal Information:

Suffix: Dr. _____ Mr. _____ Ms _____ Miss _____

Name:

_____ Last _____ First _____ Middle _____

Name of preference (nickname): _____

Home address: _____
Street

_____ City _____ County _____ State _____ Zip _____

Home phone: (_____) _____ - _____ Cell phone: (_____) _____ - _____

Personal email address: _____

Employer or Business name: _____

(Title): _____

Business address: _____
Street

_____ City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Business phone: (_____) _____ - _____

Business email address: _____

Number of employees: _____ Type of Organization: _____

Number of years living, or working in Barrow County: _____ Have you ever participated in a community leadership program in the past? _____ If yes, what program? _____

How did you learn about the Leadership Barrow program? _____

Have you ever applied for Leadership Barrow? _____ If so, what year? _____

Please attach your **professional resume** and **include any community, civic, and/or professional activities**. Please answer the following questions on a separate sheet of paper. Answers must be typed. **Number all questions and submit your response for all your questions on one 8 1/2 X 11 page.**

1. **What do you consider the greatest responsibility, skill, or achievement related to your career or role in the community?**
2. **What do you feel are the three most significant opportunities facing Barrow County?**
3. **Participation in Leadership Barrow requires significant commitment of time and energy. State why you want to be in the program, what specific skills/knowledge you hope to gain from Leadership Barrow, as well as what you can contribute.**
4. **Describe your most valuable leadership experience.**

Applicants Signature

Date

A shirt will be included in the fee for the class. Please indicate your shirt size: _____

TO BE COMPLETED BY SPONSORING COMPANY OR REFERENCE:

Please submit a letter of reference stating why you feel this applicant is a good candidate for Leadership Barrow. Please sign below signifying that you have reviewed this application and authorize the above applicant to participate in Leadership Barrow, including the orientation and retreat.

Sponsor/Referral Signature

Title

Sponsor/Referral Name (please print)

Date

Application Deadline: **Applications and Fees are due: June 19th, 2024.**

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Leadership Barrow

Class of 2025



*Honoring and empowering Barrow's brightest & most influential leaders...
One class at a time.*

What is Leadership Barrow?

Leadership Barrow is an educational program that encourages and fosters the development of community leaders and volunteers by utilizing an interactive study program that inspires leadership.

The purpose of the program is to create a network of emerging leaders through an educational experience that increases the participants understanding of local institutions and community groups and how they serve this county.

By participating in Leadership Barrow, future leaders are more actively involved in community life and therefore better prepared to lead Barrow County to a brighter future.

Your time commitment:

Leadership Barrow consists of a two-day retreat, nine one-day sessions, a class project, group leadership project and graduation. The LB Program extends over an eleven month period (August thru June) and each participant must make a commitment to attend **all events and sessions**.

Additional Leadership Barrow Details:

Class members will work on leadership training each month as well as interact with community leaders in team building presentations, and visits to facilities in and around Barrow County and the State Capital. Listed below are some of the topics and assignments that are part of the program:

A weekday retreat, History of Barrow County, Educations/Barrow County School System, Non-Profits and their Role in the Community, Business & Leadership, State Government, Local Government, Public Services, Environment, Economic Development, Class Community Services Project, and Graduation.

Cost for Leadership Barrow:

Participants are charged tuition to defray the cost of program material, meals, retreat and graduation expenses, along with administrative costs. Cost for the entire program is \$1,000.

Each participant is responsible for paying his/her own tuition and/or for making arrangements for tuition to be paid by his/her employer or sponsoring organization before June 19th, 2024.

Space is limited. All applications received by deadline will be considered. Applicants will be notified by July 14th of acceptance into the program.



Leadership Barrow Class Schedule

2024-2025

- **August 21** – Camp Twin Lakes
- **September 11** – Education Day
- **October 15-16** – Non-Profit Day & Overnight Retreat
- **November 13** – Barrow History Day
- **December 11** – Economic Development Day
- **January 8** – Infrastructure Day
- **February 12** – State Government & State Economic Development Day
- **March 12** – First Responders Day
- **April 16** – Local Government Day
- **May 14** – Work Force Development & Healthcare Day
- **June 3** – Leadership Barrow Graduation

Advance notice will be given if schedule needs to be changed

Coffee Talk – 7:30 am to 8:00 am and
Class Day will run from 8:00 am to 4:00 pm unless otherwise
noted.