



Colorado River Leadership Program

The mission of the Colorado River Leadership Program is to promote community leadership by developing knowledgeable, skilled leaders committed to building bridges of understanding across diverse segments of our community. The program begins in September and continues with one session per month through June. The nine-session program covers issues and topics key to our community as evidenced by the curriculum outlined in this information package.

This packet includes the program outline and an application for participation. There are several levels at which your business or organization can provide sponsorships to the program. For additional information or if you have questions, please contact Melinda Sobraske (928) 234-1729. The more sponsorship and support we have from the business community, the more successful the program. All checks should be made payable to Colorado River Women's Council.

CORPORATE SPONSORSHIP:

Sponsorships are used to off-set costs of providing the program. If you and your business are interested in becoming a corporate sponsor, please contact Jennifer Ronan at president@coloradoriverwomenscouncil.info. She will be glad to provide you with the materials you need to perform this very important job. There are smaller sponsorships to help future leaders who are not working for you with tuition funds.

SESSION SITE HOST:

We are looking for business members who would like to become site hosts. You would be responsible for

1. Provide a meeting space for approximately 30 people.
2. Provide breakfast snacks, beverages and lunches for same.
3. Provide contact person to work with session coordinator for necessary audio/visual equipment and any special program needs (if applicable).

Optional: Assist in providing transportation for a tour (as needed at one of the sessions that includes community site tours.) Since the cost of renting a van or bus for a day varies, if your company has one and can provide a driver, that would be appreciated.

PARTICIPANT SPONSORSHIP:

Your business may provide \$250 towards an employee's tuition cost of \$300 (limit three per annual program per business). In addition, your commitment that the participant(s) must be given time off to attend all nine sessions is required. The sessions are planned for the second Friday of each month, but there may be scheduling changes.