

LEADERSHIP LEE COUNTY APPLICATION

Leadership Lee County is a program sponsored by the Auburn and Opelika Chambers of Commerce. It seeks out, honors, educates, challenges, and develops a select group of Lee County Citizens who have the potential to provide the leadership needed to solve problems of community and statewide significance. Participants are selected on the basis of ability, demonstrated interest in the community, and potential for responsible and effective leadership.

PERSONAL

NAME _____
Last first middle preferred

HOME ADDRESS _____
Street city state zip

E-MAIL ADDRESS _____ PHONE _____

NOMINATED BY (optional) _____ PHONE _____

DIETARY RESTRICTIONS _____ SHIRT SIZE (CIRCLE ONE) S M L XL XXL

EMPLOYMENT

PRESENT EMPLOYER _____ DATE BEGAN _____

ADDRESS _____ PHONE _____
Street city state zip

PRESENT TITLE _____

How long have you been in your present position? _____ Are you subject to transfer? _____

Briefly describe your present job responsibilities or activities:

What do you consider your most significant contribution or achievement related to your work so far?

Please list business/professional affiliations in which you have been active. (Do not include public office or political activity)

PAST EMPLOYMENT (list last position first, including military duty)

EMPLOYER	TITLE	DATES
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

EDUCATION

Please list all schools attended beginning with high school.

NAME OF SCHOOL	CITY/SCHOOL	DATES ATTENDED	MAJOR & DEGREE

COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

Please list in order of importance to you all organizations in which you have been involved. (Civic, religious, social, etc.)

ORGANIZATION	POSITIONS HELD	DATES

Briefly state any contributions or achievements in these activities which you consider significant and your role in the accomplishment.

How much time each month do you commit to community, civic, professional or other organizations? _____

Have you been as active in community, civic or state affairs as you would like to be? _____

On what kinds of community or state boards, committee or groups would you like to become active in the future?

REFERENCES

Please list the names of two persons, other than your sponsor, who are knowledgeable about your leadership potential and performances, and who may be contacted regarding your qualifications as a participant.

NAME AND TITLE _____ PHONE _____

BUSINESS/ADDRESS _____

NAME AND TITLE _____ PHONE _____

BUSINESS/ADDRESS _____

Explain briefly what you hope to gain and how you would use your Leadership Lee County experience.

COMMITMENT

The Leadership Lee County program consists of nine monthly seminars and a retreat. **Each participant is required to attend the opening retreat which will be held September 3-4 (no overnight stay is required), and the full-day seminars on the second Thursday of the month from October through May. Any participant with two or more absences will not receive a diploma from the program. If you are unable to make such a commitment, it is not in your best interest to apply at this time.**

Tuition for the 2008-2009 program is \$650 and covers all program costs, including materials, meals, transportation and the retreat. If accepted into the program, the nominee will be billed for the tuition in full to be paid by the individual or his sponsoring organization. Tuition is payable prior to the retreat. No tuition will be refunded in whole or in part after the Opening Retreat has begun. All applications must include a \$25 non-refundable application fee which will be applied toward tuition payment if accepted into the program.

I understand the purposes of the Leadership Lee County Program, and if selected, will devote the time to complete the program.

Applicant's signature

Date

The support and commitment of the sponsoring organization/employer is essential for application to the Leadership Lee County program. Each nominee must obtain the signature of the head of his/her organization as an indication of support.

Signature/Title

Date

In order to be considered for application to the Leadership Lee County class, applicants must complete all items listed on this form. Please check it over carefully for any omissions before submitting. All applications are subject to confidential evaluation by our Selection Committee. Due to the size restrictions of each year's class and the need for diversity in class composition, many qualified candidates will not be chosen for inclusion in the class. However, individuals are strongly encouraged to re-apply in subsequent years.

Mail completed applications along with a \$25 application fee to P.O. Box 1370, Auburn, AL 36831-1370 by August 7. You will be notified of the Selection Committee's decision by August 17. If you have any questions, please contact either the Auburn Chamber at (334) 887-7011 or Opelika Chamber at (334) 745-4861.

