

LEADERSHIP TULARE COUNTY INC.

P.O. BOX 114
DINUBA, CA 93618

Leadership Northern Tulare County Inc. provides the opportunity for residents of Cutler, Orosi, Dinuba, and Reedley, to build a communication network with current leaders while establishing a foundation with other emerging leaders. Guidelines for application to the Leadership Tulare County Inc. program include:

- A completed, typed or printed application must be returned to LNTC. P.O. Box 114, Dinuba, CA 93618 by August 15, 2010.
- All applications will be screened.
- The Selection Committee will interview final applicants.
- Applicants will be notified of their status on or by early Sept., 2010
- Applicants should reside or work in the Northern Tulare County area.
- No monies will be collected until notification of acceptance.

APPLICATION 2010-2011

SECTION I – GENERAL INFORMATION

Full Name:

Home Address:

City and Zip:

Home Phone No:

Cell Phone No:

E-Mail Address:

Birth Date (Optional):

Do you expect to be living in the area in three years?

SECTION II – EMPLOYMENT (If not applicable, skip to Section III)

Employer:

Business Address:

City and Zip:

Business Phone:

Type of Business:

Title:

Brief description of your job responsibilities:

SECTION III – LIFE EXPERIENCES AND COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT

1. Please attach a typed or printed resume, which includes areas of interest, educational background, hobbies and work experience.
2. List organizations in which you have participated, for example: community, civic, professional, religious or social.

Organization

Date and type of participation

Please list any special awards/recognition:

3. What are your areas of particular interest in the Dinuba or Cutler –Orosi communities?

SECTION IV – GOALS

1. What do you hope to gain from your Leadership Tulare County Inc. experience?
2. Please identify and discuss a particular issue, opportunity or problem crucial to Dinuba or Cutler-Orosi as a community (be specific). How would you resolve the issue?

SECTION V – PARTICIPATION EXPECTATIONS

In order for Leadership Tulare County Inc. to accomplish it's stated goals and because Leadership is a commitment to follow through, the full participation of each individual and the support of their family and employer are necessary. As a class member you will be required to:

- Attend the orientation session/welcoming reception on September 16, 2010.
- Attend the two-day team building retreat to be held on October 22-23, 2010.
- Attend the two-day Sacramento trip on March 9-10, 2011
- All county Leadership class day on April 8, 2011.
- **100% Attendance to each of the day-long seminars** (from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.) on the following dates (the third Thursday with the exception of the October Retreat, April meeting and March Sacramento trip)

Sept. 16	Oct. 22-23 Wonder Valley Retreat
Nov. 18	Dec. 9 (due to Holiday)
Jan. 20	Feb. 18
Mar. 9-10 Sacramento	April 8
May 19	June 16 Graduation
- Attend each monthly evening session. Dates and times to be selected by the class.
- Attend the graduation ceremony on June 16.
- Fully participate in planning and implementing the class project of organizing the local Cinco de Mayo Celebration in the town of Dinuba. **This includes Cinco Planning Sessions (days/time & frequency are determined by the class and should run from December thru April).** The Cinco de Mayo Celebration will be held on May 6 & 7, 2011. Two days prior to this event ALL class members are involved in the park preparation process working with Dinuba Parks & Recreation Department. Each member must get employer commitment for his/her participation.
- If an illness or family emergency necessitates you missing a class, you must request in writing from the steering committee, a request to be excused.
- Class is also asked to assist at the Cinco de Mayo pageant the Saturday prior to Cinco. Class members are encouraged to meet with Cinco de Mayo Pageant Committee in month of April to determine their role.
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- **There is a 100% attendance policy for both day and evening sessions.** *Any* unexcused absence may result in request for resignation from the program. An absence, due to illness or emergency, may result in a make-up assignment to be determined by Steering Committee.
- Full participation in the program and full payment of tuition by September 15, 2010 is required for graduation or arrangements must be made with LNTC treasurer.

TUITION

Tuition for Leadership Tulare County Inc. program is \$600.00 and is *non-refundable*. Payment of tuition must be made at the time of receipt of the Letter of Acceptance from the steering committee (prior to beginning the program). A limited number of scholarships are available. Scholarship requests must be made in writing to Steering Committee.

SIGNATURES

I understand the purpose of Leadership Tulare County Inc. program and that completion of this application as part of the screening process does not ensure a candidate's acceptance. I am willing to abide by the tuition and participation requirements and will allocate time on my monthly calendar for this program.

Applicant's Signature

Date

Participants in the Leadership Tulare County Inc. program must have the supporting commitment of their family and employer if not self-employed.

I am aware of the attendance requirement of Leadership Tulare County Inc. program. I support this employee participating in the program and approve his/her being away from the job for the dates specified on the previous page (Section V).

Employer's Signature

Date

Application deadline: **August 15, 2010**. Candidacy is open to all individuals regardless of creed, race, philosophy or disability.

Mail to: SELECTION COMMITTEE
LEADERSHIP TULARE COUNTY INC.
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For your personal records, please make a copy of this application and resume. Please send no money until you receive notification of acceptance. Applications will be held in the strictest of confidence.

If you have any questions, please call Lisa Castillo at (559) 595-7235 or Vicki Stasch, Program Facilitator at (559) 733-0634.