

LEADERSHIP NORTHERN TULARE COUNTY INC.

210 North L Street
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 Northern Tulare County Inc. program include:

A completed, typed or printed application must be returned to LNTC, in care of the Dinuba Chamber of Commerce, 210 North L Street, Dinuba, CA 93618 by August 5, 2016.

- All applications will be screened.
- The Selection Committee will interview final applicants.
- Applicants will be notified of their status on or by early September, 2016
- Applicants should reside or work in the Northern Tulare County area.
- No monies will be collected until notification of acceptance.

APPLICATION 2016-2017

SECTION I – GENERAL INFORMATION

Full Name:

Home Address:

City and Zip:

Home 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 Northern Tulare County Inc. to accomplish its 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/Welcome Reception on September 15, 2016.
- Attend the two-day Team Building Retreat to be held on October 21-22, 2016.
- Attend the two-day Sacramento trip on March 8-9, 2017
- Attend each of the Day Sessions (from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m.) on the following dates (the third Thursday except for the October retreat and March Sacramento trip):

Sept. 15	Oct. 21-22 Team Building Retreat
Nov. 17	Dec. 15 (due to Holiday)
Jan. 19	Feb. 16
Mar. 8-9 Sacramento	April 20
May 18	June 15 Graduation

- Attend each monthly evening session. Dates and times to be selected by the class.
- Attend the graduation ceremony on June 15, 2017.
- Participate fully in planning and implementing the class fund-raiser (Cinco de Mayo celebration in May 2017). May 5-6 including the two days prior for preparation. Get employer commitment for your participation. Class is also asked to assist at the Cinco de Mayo pageant the Saturday prior to Cinco.
- If an illness or family emergency necessitates you missing a class, you must make up the time coordinating with the facilitator how the time will be made up.
- 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.
- Full participation in the program and full payment of tuition by October 1, 2016 is required for graduation or arrangements must be made with LNTC treasurer.

* LNTC participants are responsible for buying their own lunch during each day session. Per diem is given to each participant for the Sacramento trip to cover meals. Transportation to and from Sacramento is paid for each participant by LNTC steering committee. Overnight stay in Sacramento is paid for the participant by LNTC steering committee.

TUITION

Tuition for Leadership Tulare County Inc. program is \$700.00 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.

SIGNATURES

I understand the purpose of Leadership Northern 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 Northern 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 Northern 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 5, 2016**. Candidacy is open to all individuals regardless of creed, race, philosophy or disability.

E-Mail to: LEADERSHIP NORTHERN TULARE COUNTY INC.

Info@dinubachamber.com or send to: LNTC/Dinuba Chamber
210 N. L St. Dinuba, CA 93618 591-2707

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 LNTC Chair- Joanne Tatum 284-3566