



Inaugural Class of 2024-2025

Apply today to the Leadership Lindale class of 2024-2025 program! Get involved with this hands-on experience to learn how to lead your community.

Our Mission is to develop, connect and inspire diverse leaders who build a strong and vibrant community.

Tuition

\$1,500

Class

Limited Number of Participants

Duration

Sept-May

Number of Sessions

9

Class Schedule

(Second Thursday of each month 8a.m. - Noon)

AUG	Leadership Lindale Welcome Reception	
	Community Focus	Leadership Development
SEPT (Full Day)	Opening Retreat/ Lindale Then and Now	Understanding Behavioral Styles
OCT (Half Day)	City Government	Best Practices for Effective Networking
NOV (Half Day)	Education	Communicating with Confidence
DEC (Half Day)	County Government	Conflict Resolution
JAN (Half Day)	Economic Development	Time Management
FEB (Half Day)	Community Services/Non-profits	Non-profit Board Leadership
MAR (Three Days)	State Government	*East Texas Coalition Trip
APR (Half Day)	Healthcare & Quality of Life	Problem Solving and Quality Decisions
MAY (Half Day)	Your Next Steps and Graduation	Final Report & Challenge

Candidate Criteria:

- Business must be a member of the chamber for at least one year
- Candidate must live or work in the Lindale area
- Community minded
- Must exude positive behavior

Class Includes:

- One-day-a-month sessions for duration of 9 months (Can only miss one of the 7 half-day sessions)
- Hands-on experience in different community sectors
- Volunteer opportunities
- Recommended attendance for the East Texas Coalition Trip March 2 - 4, 2025 (*Additional fee required)

Visit www.LindaleChamber.org/Leadership-Lindale or call (903) 882-7181 for applications, sponsorship opportunities, and questions.

**LINDALE AREA
CHAMBER OF COMMERCE**



"Building the Future Together"

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Inaugural Class of 2024-2025 APPLICATION

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Program Rules:

- Can only miss ONE of the 7 half-day sessions (excludes opening retreat)
- All Participants **MUST** attend opening retreat
- Must attend one of the following during program:
 - City Council meeting
 - School Board meeting
 - Smith County Commissioner's Court (via Zoom)
- Must volunteer at one of the following chamber events:
 - Annual Chamber Banquet
 - Lindale Championship Rodeo
 - Golf Tournament
 - CountryFest/Harvest Hustle 5K

Full Name:

Phone:

Email:

Home Address:

Zip Code:

Shirt Size (Unisex):

XS

S

M

L

XL

XXL

Business Name:

Job Title:

Since:

Business Phone:

Work Email:

Business Address:

Zip Code:

Mailing Address:

Zip Code:

Have you participated in a leadership program before? **YES** or **NO**

DATE:

DUE BACK: MAY 20, 2024

What is your involvement in the community at this time?

Why do you want to participate in Leadership Lindale?

What makes you a good candidate?

What leadership skills do you have?

1.

2.

3.

What skills do you hope to gain?

1.

2.

3.

Deadline to apply is May 20, 2024 by 4:00 p.m.

**Drop off application at the chamber office located at 205 S Main St., Lindale, TX
or email completed application to: shelbie.glover@lindalechamber.org**

**Interviews will be held late May - early June (Final approval of class participants will be determined by task
force and chamber board)**

**Participants will be announced at the August LACC Luncheon on August 1, 2024. Applicants
will be notified in early July. Tuition for Leadership Lindale is \$1,500 and must be paid in full by August 1.
No refunds will be made after class welcome reception.**

**As a matter of policy, Leadership Lindale does not discriminate against applicants and participants on the basis of race, religion, sex,
national origin, sexual orientation, age or physical ability. All applications will be handled in the strictest confidence.**