



## ***Leadership North Las Vegas 2011-2012 Program***

*Leading the North Las Vegas Community  
North and Beyond*

***Leadership North Las Vegas*** is a leadership development program through the North Las Vegas Chamber of Commerce, designed to offer participants the opportunity to experience various aspects of the North Las Vegas community while incorporating leadership building skills that can be used to build a better community.

***Leadership North Las Vegas*** will bring together individuals with diverse backgrounds and experiences to develop their leadership potential, become connected to the community, and expand their professional and social network.

### **Mission Statement:**

The mission of ***Leadership North Las Vegas*** is to develop current and emerging leaders who will rise to the challenges and accept responsibility to bring about the betterment of North Las Vegas and the community at large.

### **Selection Criteria:**

Each participant in this program will be selected based on information provided on the application as well as an oral interview. Selection criteria will include:

- Professional commitment to remain in the community
- Demonstrated commitment through past and present community involvement
- Demonstrated leadership ability through personal and professional achievements
- Sincere concern about the future of North Las Vegas and a desire to become involved in shaping its future

### **Application Instructions:**

- Late or incomplete applications will not be considered.
- Please limit answers to available space.
- Applications must be complete and signed by candidate and employer.
- **Application deadline is July 1, 2011**
- Mail or deliver applications to:

North Las Vegas Chamber of Commerce  
Attn: Leadership North Las Vegas Program  
3365 W. Craig Rd., Suite 25  
North Las Vegas, NV 89032

Call Vanessa Roque at (702) 642-9595 or e-mail [vroque@nlvchamber.org](mailto:vroque@nlvchamber.org) with questions regarding this application.



***Leadership North Las Vegas 2011-2012 Application***

**Business Information**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Title/Position: \_\_\_\_\_

Company Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Company Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Business Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Cell Phone/Alt: \_\_\_\_\_

Company's Industry: \_\_\_\_\_

Current Position: \_\_\_\_\_

Length of Time with Current Company: (If less than 2 years please list prior company & position) \_\_\_\_\_

Is your company a member of the North Las Vegas Chamber of Commerce? \_\_\_\_\_

**Personal Information**

Home Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail: \_\_\_\_\_

Length of time in Southern Nevada: \_\_\_\_\_





Briefly describe one problem or issue in the North Las Vegas community that you would focus on or are passionate about. Why is it important to you and what changes would you make to address the problem?

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Why do you want to participate in Leadership North Las Vegas?

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**General Information/Additional Interests**

List any hobbies, special interests in areas outside of your business/profession which you would like the selection committee to know:

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**Honors or Awards**

List any special honors or awards (community, business, or education) you have received during the past five years including the year received:

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Candidate Name: \_\_\_\_\_

## **Program Summary & Schedule (REVISED):**

**Leadership North Las Vegas** consists of ten sessions that include a two-day, one night opening advance session, and nine regular program session days. The two-day advance session is structured to form a cohesive group as well as examine various leadership and personality styles.

Each session will focus on various aspects of the North Las Vegas and at-large community as well as develop and enhance critical leadership skills.

### **Session Schedule:**

### **Program Focus:**

September 16 & 17, 2011  
October 14, 2011  
November 10, 2011\*\*  
December 9, 2011  
January 13, 2012  
February 10, 2012  
March 9, 2012  
April 13, 2012  
May 11, 2012  
May 25, 2012  
May 31, 2012

**Advance Session in Mesquite, NV**  
Community Volunteerism & Human Services  
Government, Development & Planning  
Healthcare  
Business & Industry  
Education  
Public Safety & Justice  
Armed Forces – Nellis Air Force Day  
Community Amenities  
**Wrap-up Session**  
**Graduation Ceremony**

### **Attendance Requirements:**

Full participation in curriculum session days is integral in achieving a meaningful experience within our program. Learning and development occurs not only from our industry expert day hosts, but most importantly from the interactions and discussions of class participants. Accordingly, each class participant is expected to make a commitment to fully attend each session day, arriving on-time, and prepared for active participation.

Absences, tardiness, or partial day attendance are disruptive to the quality of the learning experience for all participants and therefore will not be tolerated. Missing a session day will result in being placed on probation. Any participant who misses a second session day will be removed from the program. Additionally, if a participant arrives late or leaves early to a session day two times, he/she will be placed on probation; a third occurrence will result in removal from the program. Lastly, **the two-day opening advance session in September is mandatory to participate in the program.**

If a participant wishes to contest a tardiness or absence, they may submit a letter of appeal to the Leadership Steering Committee. Such letter will be evaluated by the Committee and their decision will be deemed final in that matter.

Initial: \_\_\_\_\_

**Cell Phone Policy:**

To fully enjoy the learning and relationship building experience, cell phones, pagers, iPads/Notebooks, and other personal communication devices are not permitted at any session. All communication devices will be collected at the door and returned at the end of the day. On-site staff will have a cell phone for emergency use and the number will be provided to you at the start of the program. Noncompliance with this policy may result in fines or sanctions up to dismissal from program.

Initial: \_\_\_\_\_

**Tuition:**

Tuition for North Las Vegas Chamber members is \$1,700

Tuition for non-members is \$2,000. Participants that join the Chamber within three months from the start of the program will receive a \$300 credit towards their membership.

Tuition covers all program costs, including materials, meals, transportation, room costs at the opening advance session, and graduation.

**Participants chosen for the program must have their tuition paid in full to the North Las Vegas Chamber of Commerce by August 31, 2011.**

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**Refund Policy:**

No refunds will be given to any participant once the program has started.

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## **Program Statement of Commitment**

The full commitment of the participant as well as the company, are essential factors to the success of the Leadership Program.

Please read and sign the Personal Commitment Statement.

### **Personal Commitment Statement**

I, \_\_\_\_\_ (print your name), personally verify that all information contained in this application is complete and truthful.

Furthermore, I personally have a full understanding of the dates and time commitment of the Leadership North Las Vegas program.

Therefore, I fully understand that this commitment is binding and that if I fail to meet the commitments and requirements of the program that I can be asked to leave the program without the opportunity to graduate, fully understanding that no amount of the tuition cost will be refunded.

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

### **Company Statement of Commitment**

Candidates for the Leadership North Las Vegas program must have the support and commitment of their business or organization. The signature of the head of the candidate's company or organization is necessary as an indication of support for the applicant's participation in the Leadership North Las Vegas program.

Employer Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_

Print Name and Title \_\_\_\_\_

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