



... the quality of our leadership will determine the future of Delaware County

CONFIDENTIAL APPLICATION INSTRUCTIONS

Please type or print clearly and complete each section fully. Limit answers to the space available. Application must be signed by applicant and returned with updated resume and letter of support by employer/ organization no later than **August 14, 2019 to:**

**Foundation of the Delaware County Chamber of Commerce
1001 Baltimore Pike - Suite 9LL,
Springfield, Pa 19064.**

For more information call 610- 565- 3677 or e-mail foundation@delcochamber.org.

ENROLLMENT AND TUITION

Enrollment in the program is limited, and candidates are selected based on their commitment and potential talent for community leadership. **Tuition is \$1,700 for Chamber members, \$2,000 for non-members.**

Applicants selected may have all or part of their tuition paid by an employer or sponsor, or with a limited number of partial scholarships awarded. Included in the tuition fee are all program materials, professional headshot, attendance at the Chamber's Annual Dinner and Small Business Awards Dinner.

Please note: The 2019-2020 Leadership Delaware County Program consists of **ten mandatory sessions**. Each session will be held from **9:00 AM to 3:00 PM** in variety of locations throughout Delaware County, with two exceptions:

- **December 4, 2019** will begin at Noon and conclude at the chamber's Annual Dinner at the Drexelbrook Special Events Center.
- In **April** the Leadership Delaware County class will spend the day in **Harrisburg** to network and discuss leadership in government with local officials and staff. Participants will be expected to arrive at the Delaware County Chamber of Commerce at **6:45 AM** for the bus and will arrive back the chamber at **3:00 PM**. Transportation fees are included in tuition.

The program will commence with a graduation ceremony on the morning of May 27, 2020.

Before submitting your application, please review class schedule on page 2, as each session is **mandatory**.



Leadership Delaware County 2019-2020 Schedule:

September 19, 2019	March 19, 2020
October 17, 2019	April 2020 <i>*Class Day in Harrisburg*</i>
December 4, 2019 <i>*Class begins @ Noon*</i>	May 21, 2020
January 16, 2020	May 27, 2020
February 20, 2020	Comcast Cares Day: Date TBA

Payment is required prior to the first class. **Checks should be payable to The Foundation of the Delaware County Chamber of Commerce.**

SELECTION CRITERIA

Participation in LEADERSHIP DELAWARE COUNTY is open to persons living and/or working in Delaware County.

The Foundation Leadership committee, based upon the information completed on this application act as the selection committee. The Committee will be seeking representation from a cross-section of the community. These leaders and potential leaders will be active in business, education, the arts, religion, government; community based organizations, ethnic and minority groups and will reflect the diversity of the community.

Applicants must have the full support of the organization or corporation they represent.

**2019-2020 LEADERSHIP DELAWARE COUNTY
 APPLICATION FORM
 (PLEASE PRINT CLEARLY OR TYPE)**

Name:			Current Position/ Title:		
Business/ Organization:			Dietary Restrictions: <i>(Please Circle One) Yes/ No</i>		
Business Address:			Home Address:		
City:	State:	Zip:	City:	State:	Zip:
Phone:	Cell:	Email:			



How did you learn about Leadership Delaware County?

Identify the ways in which you have demonstrated leadership in your career and volunteer activities:

Please list any goals you have for participating in this program.

Please describe the goals you would like to reach in the next five years?

Identify a challenge, issue or problem you feel is critical to the community. How do you see your involvement with this issue?

COMMITMENT

Participants must attend **all** of the sessions and participate in the Comcast Cares Day on a Saturday in April 2020.

Applicant's signature _____ date _____

Every application must include this document, an updated resume and letter of support from his/ her business or organization.

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(email to foundation@delcochamber.org)**