



Building the Greater Hot Springs Area
Through Training Its Leaders

CONFIDENTIAL APPLICATION

Please type or print legibly.

Date completed and mailed _____

Name _____
Last First Middle

Preferred Title: Mr. Mrs. Miss Ms. or other _____ (Please Circle One)

Home Address _____
Number/Street State Zip

Home Telephone: _____ Business Telephone: _____

Email Address: _____

Spouse's Name _____

Length of Residence in the Greater Hot Springs Area* _____

*Participants must have resided in the Greater Hot Springs Area for at least one (1) year.

List two (2) references: _____
Name Telephone Relationship

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EDUCATION:

Begin with high school, college(s), business or trade schools, and/or other specialized training:

Name	Location of School	Dates from/ to Degree	Major
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Special Awards / Honors for Academic Performance _____

Employment / Vocation

Present Employer: _____ **Date Began** _____

Present Title or Responsibility _____ **Since** _____

Previous Employment (in reverse chronological order)

Account for all periods including military active duty.

Employer	Title / Responsibility	From	To
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COMMUNITY ACTIVITIES

List key community, civic, professional, business, religious, social, or other organizations you have been involved in within the past five (5) years.

Organization	Dates of Membership	Positions Held
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____

Special Awards or honors for Leadership Activities / Education: _____

What have you accomplished in these activities that are important to you and/or made a difference in the community or organization at large?

What do you hope to gain from participation in Leadership **Hot Springs** and what do you think you could give to this community as a past participant in this program?

What do you feel are the two (2) most pressing problems facing the Hot Springs/Garland County area today? Explain why and give any recommendations that you may have for approaching and resolving these problems?

TUITION AND FUNDING

Name of employer, organization, or individual sponsoring your nomination _____

Will you need a partial scholarship to participate in the program? Yes No (If yes, contact Leadership Hot Springs Executive Director at P.O. Box 26052, Hot Springs, AR 71903, for a scholarship form to be submitted with your application) * Scholarship funds are limited.

EMPLOYER COMMITMENT (if applicable)

This application has the approval of this firm and the applicant has our full support which includes the time required to participate in the program.

Firm _____

Signature _____ Title _____

PARTICIPANT COMMITMENT AND PLEDGE

Leadership Hot Springs is planned to be a learning experience and requires the following commitments on the part of the participant:

1. I understand that attendance at all nine (9) monthly sessions for the full day is required. I also understand that attendance at the entire two-day (Friday and Saturday) weekend retreat in September is mandatory. Even though emergencies do arise, any participant missing more than two (2) class days will be dropped from the program and no portion of the tuition is refundable. (Missing more than one half (1/2) of a program day will be considered an absence for the entire day.)
2. I understand that there may be other activities (program planning meetings, graduation banquet, etc.) in which all participants will be expected to participate.
3. I understand that the tuition fee is \$475.00 and that the full amount of tuition is due to Leadership Hot Springs no later than September 1.
4. If selected, I will not use contents from the sessions or statements made therein for the purpose of news coverage or self-promotion.
5. If selected, I will not use the name of Leadership Hot Springs in a political campaign to imply endorsement of Leadership Hot Springs.
6. I release Leadership Hot Springs of any damages incurred to myself by participating in the programs.
7. I understand that during each LHS monthly session, or other functions, I will be required to act in a dignified and respectful manner, particularly towards persons involved in the program. I also understand being in the LHS program may mean that I am exposed to people, ideas, or environments that are unfamiliar to me. I therefore agree to conduct myself in a professional and appropriate manner consistent with someone in a leadership role. I understand that my failure to do so may result in my removal from the Leadership Hot Springs program with no portion of the tuition refunded.
8. I understand that my involvement in LHS is the beginning (or confirmation) of my active and ongoing participation in community organizational events and volunteer efforts.

Applicant's Signature

* SELECTION CRITERIA

The goal of Leadership Hot Springs is to identify new or existing leaders in the community who can assume a leadership role in determining the future of Hot Springs. We are not concerned with leadership training in the narrow sense, but rather we are targeting the program for individuals who are already recognized for their leadership potential.

The Selection Committee will objectively evaluate each applicant's leadership potential, sphere of influence, and demonstrated or expressed interest for constructive involvement in community affairs. The following will be considered in evaluation of each applicant:

- Applicant's previous involvement in his/her community and in own sponsoring business or organization.
- Leadership potential.
- Motivation/Attitude.
- Honors/Recognition received.
- Education/Training.
- Career Background/Work Experience.
- Special consideration (estimated time available for community work, resources available to the applicant to carry out community work)

***Applications are accepted without regard to sex, race or color, national origin, handicap/disability, age, religion or political affiliation.**

***Applications are subject to confidential evaluation.**

You may include up to four (4) attachments.

Please return to: Leadership Hot Springs, P. 0. Box 20652, Hot Springs, AR 71903

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