

# Leadership Montgomery County

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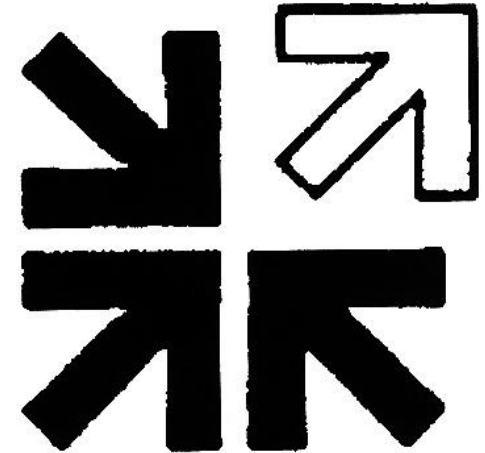
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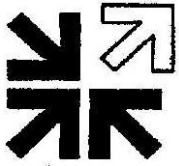
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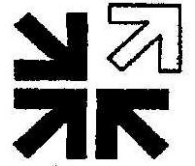


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an exciting program to identify and involve tomorrow's leaders



◇ Gives emerging leaders an insider's view of Montgomery County. Through fast paced monthly sessions, participants explore issues with key decision makers, develop a network of contacts and join the fast track to effective community service.

◇ Identifies and trains emerging leaders by vigorously exploring community issues and by opening the channels for spirited dialogue with community leaders and decision makers.

◇ One of nearly 500 similar programs nationwide devoted to shaping high profile community leaders ready to tackle tough community problems.

## THE OBJECTIVES

Leadership Montgomery County is designed to promote and develop dynamic business and community leaders among citizens of Montgomery County.

- \* identify emerging leaders from all sectors of the community
- \* create awareness of community issues
- \* develop leadership skills
- \* bring together people and resources from the business & civic communities
- \* facilitate participation in Leadership Montgomery County and community service
- \* develop a network of leaders
- \* familiarize participants with economic, governmental, cultural, educational & social organizations in Montgomery County

## THE PROGRAM

Participants delve into today's most compelling issues. Community experts lead stimulating, full-day sessions each month on topics relevant to Montgomery County and it's future.

Sessions will cover:

- \* Community Assessment
- \* Developing Leadership Skills
- \* Influencing Public Policy
- \* Local, State, & Federal Government
- \* Community Human Needs
- \* Education
- \* Industry and Infrastructure
- \* Quality of Life

## THE PARTICIPANTS

A class of selected participants, representing a cross-section of the community, will attend a full-day program each month from September through April plus a mandatory weekend retreat in August. Applicants must live or work in Montgomery County and are expected to attend all sessions.

The cost of investing in Montgomery County's future through Leadership Montgomery County is \$395. Tuition is payable by the participant, employer or sponsoring organization. The tax-deductible tuition includes meals, overnight retreat accommodations, transportation and materials for various sessions.

Leadership Montgomery County welcomes corporate, business and individual support to underwrite the programs and to provide scholarships.