



**ROSEBURG  
AREA** Chamber of  
Commerce

# Project Leadership Roseburg

2021-22

**CALLING ALL FUTURE BUSINESS LEADERS**

*Are you or one of your employees a future Douglas County business leader?*

## **Now is the time to apply for participation in the 2021-2022 Project Leadership Roseburg program.**

Since 1989, more than 600 business men and women have graduated from Project Leadership Roseburg, and many of today's respected Douglas County business and civic leaders are graduates of this esteemed program. Now in its 32<sup>nd</sup> year, the mission of the Roseburg Area Chamber of Commerce's leadership program is to educate, inspire, and strengthen community-minded individuals through increased business and community awareness and to promote civic activism through volunteerism.

Not your typical leadership program, Project Leadership provides participants with a comprehensive awareness of the many facets of Douglas County and they gain a deeper understanding of how our community works, directly from its leaders. The nine-month program not only imparts knowledge about our region, but fosters dedication to our community as participants learn about opportunities for involvement to help create a more vibrant future for Douglas County.

### **Making a Commitment to Leadership**

Project Leadership Roseburg requires a two-year commitment from participants. During the first year, participants attend eight day-long sessions per month. Each month, participants will attend a full-day workshop, panel presentations/briefings, and/or tours on different session topics.

Project Leadership challenges its participants to become more involved in local politics, the chamber, community and civic organizations—all for the future betterment of Douglas County. This involvement will start soon after participants "graduate" from the leadership program in May. They may assist chamber staff with facilitation of workshop sessions for a new class of Project Leadership participants; thus, fulfilling their second-year commitment to the program.

### **Now Accepting Applications**

The chamber is currently accepting applications for the 2021-22 Project Leadership class. Space is limited. Applicants may be employer-sponsored or self-sponsored. The cost for the program for Roseburg Area Chamber members is \$700; the cost for non-member participants is \$925. Roseburg Area Chamber members will be given priority and acceptance is on a first-come/first-approved basis. Only one candidate per company may be accepted.

### **Ready to apply?**

An application is available to download online at [www.roseburgchamber.com](http://www.roseburgchamber.com)

### **For more information:**

Email: [sales@roseburgareachamber.org](mailto:sales@roseburgareachamber.org)  
Phone: (541) 672-2648 ext. 23

**Application Deadline**

**5 p.m.**

**August 27, 2021**

**Applications should be mailed to:**

**Roseburg Area Chamber of  
Commerce P.O. Box 1026  
Roseburg, OR 97470**

The **\$50 application fee** is applied to the tuition cost if the applicant is accepted; or if not selected, the deposit will be refunded.

## PROJECT LEADERSHIP ROSEBURG CURRICULUM 2021-22



### Project Leadership Roseburg

2021-22

*A program devoted to strengthening  
and educating community-minded  
business leaders to serve in  
volunteer leadership positions  
throughout Douglas County.*

**SEPTEMBER 9, 2021 | ORIENTATION / LEADERSHIP / TEAMBUILDING**  
Setting the stage for leadership training and getting acquainted with fellow participants. Program overview and class goals are discussed.

**OCTOBER 7, 2021 | NATURAL RESOURCES / INDUSTRY**  
An overview of our timber, manufacturing and service industries. Identify local natural resource issues and its impact on the community; study of the economic climate of Douglas County

**NOVEMBER 15, 2021 | ECONOMIC FORECAST 2020 EVENT / TRANSPORTATION & UTILITIES** (Note: This is a Monday, as Thursday 11/11 is Veterans Day.)  
**A.M. Session:** Class attends “Economic Forecast 2022”  
**P.M. Session:** Transportation & Utility services in Douglas County

**JANUARY 13, 2022 | LAW ENFORCEMENT & CRIMINAL JUSTICE**  
Learn about trends, techniques and issues of law enforcement and gain an increased understanding of the local judiciary system.

**FEBRUARY 10, 2022 | ROLE OF GOVERNMENT**  
How various levels of government fit into the Douglas County area. Understanding the planning process for public and private partnerships.

**MARCH 10, 2022 | ROLE OF EDUCATION**  
Education as a resource and how it affects the community, including the challenges ahead.

**APRIL 14, 2022 | MEDICAL & HUMAN SERVICES**  
An examination of health and social services, funding capabilities and future planning.

**MAY 12, 2022 | COMMUNICATION & LEISURE / FUTURE VOLUNTEER & LEADERSHIP**  
Exploring the effective use of local media platforms; economic impact of local recreational and tourist assets.  
Overview of opportunities and organizations for future volunteering.

**MAY 16, 2022 | PROJECT LEADERSHIP GRADUATION**  
Graduates and their employers are presented at the May membership meeting of the Roseburg Area Chamber of Commerce.



# Project Leadership Roseburg

Application for 2021-22 Program

## APPLICANT INFORMATION

First Name \_\_\_\_\_ Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ Nickname \_\_\_\_\_

Business Title \_\_\_\_\_ Employer \_\_\_\_\_

Business Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Business Email \_\_\_\_\_

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

Street

City

Zip Code

Home Telephone \_\_\_\_\_ Home Email \_\_\_\_\_

Send program correspondence to:  Business email  Home email

**APPLICANT: *Submit the following with your application***

**References** – Two professional/community references

**Questions/Essay** – Answer the following questions on a separate sheet of paper:

1. Community Involvement: List up to three community, business, civic, political, or social volunteer areas in which you have served. Include the name of the organization and/or your responsibilities or role in its activities.
2. Why do you want to participate in Project Leadership Roseburg?
3. How will Project Leadership help you reach your personal and professional goals?

## APPLICANT COMMITMENT

I understand the purpose of Project Leadership and, if selected, I will devote the time necessary to complete the program.

I will attend the program of eight, full-day, monthly sessions that will be held on the second Thursday of the month, except as noted, from September through May and attend the class graduation.

I understand that Project Leadership Roseburg does not end with graduation, but that I may be asked to assist staff facilitating a class session in the following year for the next class of Project Leadership Roseburg.

I also understand that if I have two full-day absences during the year, I will not graduate and will not complete the program. I will be automatically excused from the program and no portion of the tuition shall be refunded.

I accept these requirements and am willing to make this commitment.

**Application Deadline**  
**5 p.m, August 27, 2021**  
A completed application and \$50 application fee must be received no later than Friday at 5 p.m. on August 27, 2021.

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**Roseburg Area Chamber of Commerce**  
**P.O. Box 1026**  
**Roseburg, OR 97470**

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Applicant Signature \_\_\_\_\_

Date \_\_\_\_\_

RACC Acceptance \_\_\_\_\_

RACC President/CEO



**Project Leadership Roseburg**  
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**EMPLOYER INFORMATION**

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

Type of Organization/Business \_\_\_\_\_

Supervisor's Name \_\_\_\_\_

Supervisor's Title \_\_\_\_\_

Business Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Business Email \_\_\_\_\_

Business Address \_\_\_\_\_  
Street City Zip Code

**TUITION**

**Application Deposit**

A \$50 deposit is required with this application payable to the Roseburg Area Chamber of Commerce and is refundable if applicant is not selected. If the applicant is accepted, the fee is applied to the tuition.

**Program Tuition**

The \$700 member/\$925 non-member tuition covers: class material, session lunches, admission to the chamber's May and November membership meeting luncheons and class graduation, annual awards event and Economic Forecast 2022.

**EMPLOYER COMMITMENT**

This applicant has the full commitment of this organization and, if selected, the time and financial support required to fully participate in Project Leadership.

I understand that if my employee has two full-day absences during the program sessions, they will not graduate and will automatically be excused from the program and no portion of the tuition will be refunded.

As the employer, I, or my designee, shall be responsible for representing our organization at the graduation program.

In addition, I, or my designee, will devote the time necessary to serve as a mentor to our participant and keep informed about the Project Leadership program.

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Employer Signature

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Date