

# LEADERSHIP MSI 2008-2009

Plans are under way for the *2008-2009 Leadership MSI* program. The purpose of the program is to familiarize upcoming leaders on the various aspects of the community. Classes will begin in September and meet the third Thursday of the month through April. As part of the training, the class will select a community project to be completed by class end. Topics covered will include Economic Development, Government, Education, Healthcare, and more. If you are interested in becoming a part of *Leadership MSI*, please fill out this application for the program. Call the chamber office if you have any questions, need more information, or would like to have a tentative agenda forwarded to you. Class size is limited, so please do not hesitate.

## LEADERSHIP **MSI** 2008-2009 Application

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
LAST FIRST MI e-mail address

Home Address \_\_\_\_\_  
STREET/P.O. BOX CITY STATE ZIP

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Length of Residence in Iredell County \_\_\_\_\_

Employer \_\_\_\_\_

Employer's Address \_\_\_\_\_  
STREET/P.O. BOX CITY STATE ZIP

Business Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Member of MSI Chamber \_\_\_\_\_

Position \_\_\_\_\_

Briefly describe responsibilities \_\_\_\_\_

List your current/past community activities and personal accomplishments \_\_\_\_\_

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What do you feel are the most significant problems facing the Mooresville/South Iredell area, and how might these problems best be solved? \_\_\_\_\_

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What specific goals do you wish to accomplish from your participation in Leadership MSI?

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I understand the purpose of the Leadership MSI program and, if selected, I will donate the time and resources required. Although emergencies do arise, I understand that attendance is mandatory at the opening two-day session [September 25 and 26]. **Participants missing more than two sessions, for whatever reason, will not graduate from the program!** Participants must agree to attend the **FULL DAY'S** agenda each month. Arriving more than 30 minutes late or leaving more than 30 minutes early will constitute a half-day miss.

I understand the above commitments and agree to abide by them in signing this application.

\_\_\_\_\_  
APPLICANTS SIGNATURE

\_\_\_\_\_  
DATE

## ADMISSION

Admission to the Leadership MSI program is based on criteria that are stated on the front page of this application. Leadership MSI is limited to a maximum of 25 participants. Please make sure the application is filled out completely. Application Deadline is August 22, 2008.

## TUITION

If accepted into the Leadership MSI program, you or your employer will be invoiced for \$399.00 for MSI Chamber members and \$699.00 for non-members. This investment covers one two-day and six one-day sessions, including meals, refreshments, speakers, and transportation [if applicable], materials, administrative fees, and graduation dinner. No refunds will be granted after August 22, 2008. There is a \$50.00 processing fee [included in tuition] that is non-refundable.

## EMPLOYER COMMITMENT

Leadership MSI begins with a two-day opening session in September and is completed with graduation in April. The program consists of the two-day session in September, one-day session each month October through April, class project, and a graduation dinner. Participant's attendance is mandatory for the opening session. Participants cannot graduate from the program if they miss more than two of the remaining sessions.

Will you ensure the applicant has the necessary time to participate? \_\_\_\_\_ YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO

Comments: \_\_\_\_\_

Will your company pay the full tuition for your applicant? \_\_\_\_\_ YES \_\_\_\_\_ NO

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EMPLOYERS SIGNATURE

\_\_\_\_\_  
TITLE

\_\_\_\_\_  
DATE

Please return your application as soon as possible,  
but no later than August 22, 2008 to:

Leadership MSI  
MSI Chamber of Commerce  
P.O. Box 628  
Mooresville, NC 28115  
FAX # [704] 664-2549