

**CONFIDENTIAL APPLICATION**  
**LEADERSHIP AUGUSTA CLASS OF 2026**

**PROGRAM COMMITMENT FORM**

- The Leadership Augusta program year requires a significant commitment of time and energy.
- Class members will be required to participate in your private Facebook Group.
- Class members will have a required reading project.
- Class members will have various Community Service Projects throughout the year.
- Class members will have homework for each class day.
- To graduate, participants are expected to attend all sessions.
- Class members may have one excused absence with no consequences. Please notify the Class Chair, Co-Chair, or Program Coordinator in advance.
- Class members missing more than one session may remain in class, but will not graduate that spring. They will be required to utilize the make-up policy in order to attain the status of graduate of their original class and be eligible for alumni status.
- Participants missing more than two sessions will be immediately dismissed from the program. Upon dismissal, there is no appeal and no refund of tuition.

**Definition of Absences constituting a Session:**

- Absence of four (4) hours or more constitutes a full day.
- Absence of less than four (4) hours constitutes a half day.
- Make-Up Policy: If more than one session is missed, the Class member must complete the same or similar classes in the following year. Upon completion, participants will be considered a “graduate” of their original class and eligible for alumni status.

If selected, will your job and/or family obligations enable you to commit to full participation in the Leadership Augusta program year?

YES

NO

**The schedule for the 2025-2026 Leadership Augusta Class is as follows (Subject to minor changes):**  
***Most Class Days run from 8:00 AM till 5:00 PM.***

Leadership Afternoon - July 31 or August 7, 2025

Overnight Retreat - August 21-23, 2025

Community Service Day - September 18, 2025

History Day - October 9, 2025

Economic Development Day - November 13, 2025

Healthcare Day - December 4, 2025

Education Day - January 22, 2026

Government Day - February 12, 2026

Military Day - March 11, 2026

Criminal Justice Day - April 23, 2026

Arts & Culture Day - May 14, 2026

Celebration of Leadership - May 21, 2026

*\*Dates are subject to change.*

TUITION

Tuition for each participant in Leadership Augusta is \$2,250.00. Payment plans and a limited number of partial scholarships are available. If you are requesting a scholarship or payment plan, please explain your circumstances on a separate sheet and attach to this application. This request must be received by the application deadline.

***Payment is due in full no later than July 31, 2025***

Leadership Augusta is a membership organization dependent on its members who have completed the program year to participate in the planning and implementation of future programs. It is encouraged that after the program year, participants will become active dues paying Alumni with an ongoing commitment to the development of new leadership in the Metro Augusta area.

I HAVE READ THE ABOVE AND UNDERSTAND THE COMMITMENT INVOLVED IN LEADERSHIP AUGUSTA PARTICIPATION. I AFFIRM THAT ALL OF THE INFORMATION LISTED ON THIS APPLICATION IS TRUE.

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Signature of Applicant

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Date