

# LEADERSHIP LAGUNA MADRE

## **Notice to Class XVI Applicants**

**The \$75.00 registration fee must be paid by the applicant and submitted with the application. Applicants not selected for participation will be refunded their registration fee.**

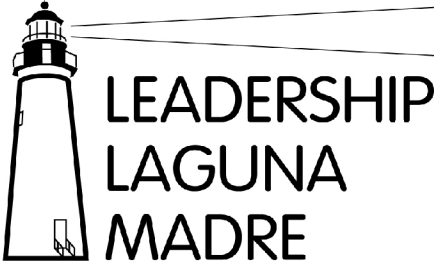
**The \$275.00 balance will be due and payable when the applicant receives notification he/she has been selected to participate .**

**A limited number of scholarships are available.**

***APPLICATION DEADLINE IS AUGUST 19, 2011***

**Return original (copies/faxes will not be accepted) application to:**

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# CONFIDENTIAL APPLICATION

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## I. PERSONAL DATA

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Name: \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First Middle

Preferred Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Male \_\_\_\_\_ Female \_\_\_\_\_ Date of Birth: \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Address (Physical): \_\_\_\_\_  
Street & Number City State Zip

Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_ Type of Business: \_\_\_\_\_

Employer: \_\_\_\_\_ Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Fax: \_\_\_\_\_

Employer Address: \_\_\_\_\_  
Street & Number City State Zip

Where do you want your mail sent? \_\_\_\_\_  
Address City State Zip

E-Mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have a current Passport Book or Passport Card? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

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**II. COMMUNITY INVOLVEMENT**

If you have had the opportunity to participate in the community, please list your involvement in community, civic, religious, political, governmental, social, athletic or other activities. Indicate role in the organization at this time.

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Have you been as active in civic activities as you would like to be?      Yes      No      (circle one)

If not, what has prevented you from becoming involved?

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**III. GENERAL INFORMATION**

One of the goals of Leadership Laguna Madre is to build a network of community leaders who can enhance their problem solving and other leadership abilities through shared perspectives and working together.

What do you feel are the three most significant issues facing the Laguna Madre Area today?

- 1. \_\_\_\_\_
- 2. \_\_\_\_\_
- 3. \_\_\_\_\_

Explain ONE of your choices and give recommendations for approaching and/or resolving the problem.

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Why do you want to participate in Leadership Laguna Madre?

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#### IV. COMMITMENT (*Read Carefully*)

As a participant in Leadership Laguna Madre, I am willing and able to attend the program and functions organized by Leadership Laguna Madre Steering Committee. I will strive to know my community, its uniqueness, its beauty and its ever changing status. I understand leadership is about people and I will collaborate with my fellow colleagues so that we may each use our talents and skills to the maximum degree possible. I will be considerate and respectful of our class decisions so that we may promote our causes and our organization. I have studied the calendar of events and have determined my schedule will permit me to be present at the dates and times specified. Since Leadership Laguna Madre is an educational program throughout a nine month period of time, I realize it is essential I attend all programs in their entirety including any other programs and/or functions the Leadership Laguna Madre Steering Committee may deem necessary.

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A participant will be eligible for graduation when:

1. Participant attends all Retreat days.
2. Participant does not miss more than one class day, as outlined in the Program Requirements.
3. Participant completes and submits required Community Service hours as outlined in Program Requirements.

**I UNDERSTAND THE COMMITMENT STATEMENT OUTLINED ABOVE AND HAVE READ THE LEADERSHIP REQUIREMENTS ATTACHED TO THIS APPLICATION.**

Date	Signature of Applicant
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*If accepted into the program, you will be furnished a class shirt. Shirts will be men's and women's sizing.*

*Please indicate size: (circle one)                    S   M   L   XL   XXL   XXXL*

#### V. EMPLOYER COMMITMENT

This application has the approval of this organization/company and the applicant has our full support which includes the time required to participate in the program. We understand the designated class days are as follows:

Retreat	September 26-27, 2011
Community Service	October 12, 2011
Commercial Fishing	October 26, 2011
Education	November 9, 2011
Health	December 7, 2011
Government	January 11, 2012
Tourism & Transportation	February 8, 2012
International	April 11, 2012
Emergency Preparedness & Media	May 2, 2012

We further understand and support any other time that might be needed for the participants community service hours and the class project, or other time as required.

Employer Name (Please print)	Title
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Employer Signature	Date
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