

Topics

- Team building
- How to run a functional meeting
- Hidden treasures in Lenawee County
- How to be a board member
- Economic development
- Marketing
- Public speaking
- Managing conflict
- Education in Lenawee County
- Generational communication
- Developing leadership in others
- Non-profit agencies in Lenawee County
- Time management/balance

Sessions may be personalized to meet the needs of specific groups.



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Past participants of the Emerging Leaders program represent the following businesses and organizations:

Adrian Dominican Sisters
The Andersons Inc.
Boys and Girls Club of Lenawee
Community Action Agency
Fasco Employment Solutions
First Federal Bank
Gleaner Life Insurance Society
Grand Court—Adrian
GreenStone Farm Credit Services
Gurdjian & Associates
HOPE Community Center
Hospice of Lenawee
Jackson Community College
Kapnick Insurance
Kemner-lott Agency
Key Bank
LEAHC
Lenawee Community Mental Health
Lenawee County Juvenile Court
Lenawee Economic Development Corp.
Lenawee Intermediate School District
Lenawee United Way
Marriages that Work
MSU Extension
ProMedica
Reinhart Financial Services
Rima Manufacturing
Siena Heights University
Summit Financial
TC3Net
United Bank & Trust
Wacker Chemical Company

LENAWEE COUNTY EMERGING LEADERS

A Program of
Lenawee United Way



2011-12 Emerging Leaders Participants

About Lenawee County Emerging Leaders

Emerging Leaders, a program of Lenawee United Way, is a county-wide leadership development program founded in 2008.

Mission

The mission of **Emerging Leaders** is to develop leadership skills that can be employed in the workplace as well as in the community. Participants learn from community leaders and local experts who provide opportunities for networking and cultivating leadership.

Participants

The program is open to emerging leaders age 22-35 that represent a cross section of young professionals in the community, including representation from businesses, government, education, media, civic groups, health services, and community organizations.

Eligible applicants must:

- Live or work in Lenawee County.
- Have demonstrated an interest in volunteerism and the community.
- Exhibit leadership potential.
- Be able to attend all of the **Emerging Leaders** sessions.

Requirements

Participants must have the full support of the organization or corporation they represent. The commitment is 8 sessions over 8 months. **Participants must be in attendance at 100% of all monthly sessions in order to successfully complete the program.**

Benefits

Benefits of the **Emerging Leaders** program:

- Increase leadership skills.
- Enhance knowledge of Lenawee County.
- Develop networking opportunities.
- Increase knowledge of non-profit programs and agencies in Lenawee.
- Become a knowledgeable, committed leader in Lenawee County.

Schedule

Emerging Leaders consists of eight day-long sessions. A community service project wraps up the program. Monthly sessions take place on the **second Tuesday** of every month beginning in September and going through April. Sessions run from 8:30 am - 4:30 pm.

“The Emerging Leaders program has taught me very important skills that will help me in my personal and professional life. The Emerging Leaders program has also opened my eyes to areas in the community that I want to help make a difference in.”

- Melissa Linger, Emerging Leaders Class of 2012

“Emerging Leaders has given me the opportunity to create new professional and personal connections between fellow peers and community.”

- Jason Borck, Emerging Leaders Class of 2012

Application Process

If you are interested in being considered for the **Emerging Leaders** program, please complete the application form found at www.lenaweeunitedway.org.

Application deadline is July 1, 2012

Selection Process

The selection of participants will be made by the Emerging Leaders Advisory Council based on leadership potential, community involvement, and professional recommendations. In addition, the council seeks to provide a geographic and professional balance within each class.

Tuition

Tuition is \$300 per person.

A limited number of partial scholarships are available.



“The Lenawee United Way Emerging Leaders Program is an unique opportunity for participants to get both a solid overview and an up-close, detailed look into the people, organizations, and businesses that make our community work. The program examines the roles of our community's private, governmental, for profit and nonprofit institutions. Providing this essential knowledge to young professionals is a good investment for your organization and for our community.”

- Mary Martin, Boys and Girls Club of Lenawee