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The natural resources of Pearl River County make it unique and inviting. As our population continues to grow, leaders need to make insightful decisions that promote and improve the integrity of our resources.

Partners for Pearl River County has developed the *Partners in Leadership* designed to produce a generation of leaders who can raise the overall *quality of life*. This program is tailored specifically to the needs of Pearl River County, Poplarville and Picayune.

Program Mission

Through this leadership program, Partners in Leadership will provide the "human-engine" to accomplish the long term goals of the county by:

- Training
- Enhanced Communications
- Community Involvement
- Personal Commitment

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Partners in Leadership

Training Community Leaders



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Partners in Leadership

Goals of the Program

- Deepen your insights in the community
- Introduce you to current leaders
- Acquaint you with strength, weaknesses, opportunities and threats (SWOT)
- Learn the demographics of your community
- Cultivate your skills in problem solving, communication and team building
- Equip you with knowledge for addressing civic-minded initiatives
- Provide you opportunities to serve and lead while learning
- Create the environment for networking with other individuals

Who can qualify?

- Citizens who either live or work in Pearl River County
- Applicants who complete an application and return it to our office by due date
- Selection based on commitment
- Attendees from domains such as business, education, health care, government, social services, Stennis Space Center, government, etc.
- Class demographics to reflect that of the County

What is required?

- One August evening Reception at the Crosby Arboretum
- Key leadership skills training at an overnight two day Retreat on a Friday/Saturday
- One day per month in class training for 10 months, usually on the 2nd Thursday
- Participation on a team project
- Cost of the program \$300 (nonrefundable)
- Commitment to complete the program
- Desire to learn community-oriented leadership
- A willingness to participate in the following year's Partners in Leadership Class as a facilitator

Topics:

- Physical Infrastructure
- Health & Social Infrastructure
- Civic Infrastructure
- Economic Development
- Heritage & Preservation
- People & Education
- Leadership Development
- Environment

Tentative Schedule:

Applications Due	Before Reception
Reception	August 6, 2009
Retreat	August 14-15, 2009
Leadership I	September 11, 2009
Economic Development	October 8, 2009
Education	November 12, 2009
Government	December 3, 2009
Leadership II	January 7, 2010
Social Services/Health	February 11, 2010
Environment	March 11, 2010
Law Enforcement	April 3, 2010
Graduation	May 13, 2010

Results of a leadership program

With leaders focused on the future of Pearl River County, gathering knowledge about our resources and our core values, using this information to gauge "what is" to "what should be" and by closing this gap, a team of leaders' strategy will produce positive results.