

LEADERSHIP Training with a COMMUNITY Focus



For over 40 years, the Greater Mankato Leadership Institute has been the premier comprehensive leadership training program with a community focus. The program consists of a monthly full-day session from September to May and a special two-day session that includes a trip to the State Capitol. Program participants have an opportunity to enhance and practice their leadership skills, build and strengthen relationships with other emerging community leaders, learn about the past, present, and future of Greater Mankato, and much more. Each year, the curriculum is updated to ensure graduates are well prepared to serve as leaders in their workplace and our community.

PRESENTED BY:

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Program TOPICS:

- Ropes Course & Team Building Activities
- Greater Mankato's Past, Present, and Future
- Understanding Emotional Intelligence
- Making an Impact through Volunteerism
- Embracing Diversity
- Effective Communication
- Greater Mankato Arts & Culture Scene
- The Role of Public Servants & Community Advocacy
- Leadership Effectiveness, Conflict Competency & Ethics
- Identifying Your Goals & Priorities

“The Leadership Institute has given me a broad range of new skills and knowledge to grow and thrive in the Greater Mankato community. Not only have I received valuable leadership, conflict resolution, and management skills, but I've also grown a network of fantastic professional and personal connections. There was so much to be learned from both the presenters and my classmates, and the opportunity to discuss and apply the content in class was very helpful. I would highly recommend the program!”

Macy Anderson, Blethen Berens

“The Leadership Institute has been an amazing experience! Leadership to me is having the ability to guide a team by motivating and inspiring them to get them where they need to be. The program has given me the tools I need to continue to better myself as a leader. I have so much appreciation for our community and all the opportunities that were provided throughout the program. The relationships built with my classmates throughout this experience I will carry on for a lifetime!”

Crystal Hoffrogge,
Community Bank Mankato



Benefits to **PARTICIPANTS**:

- An exceptional working environment, allowing participants to practice leadership skills and apply them to their work and personal life.
- Instruction and guidance from community leaders and professional experts.
- An opportunity to build strong connections with other community leaders.
- A well-rounded curriculum focused on professional, personal, and community leadership.



"With a passion for people, the Leadership Institute supported me with a platform to align myself with other like-minded professionals. I am thankful for the relationships created and the lifelong connections I gained by participating in the program. There were certainly many layers of value from the class, but the relationships will last forever."

Jamie Jacobs, APX Construction Group



Class of 2022 - 2023 visiting the State Capitol

Benefits to **EMPLOYERS**:

- Strengthened leadership skills and insight.
- Increased opportunities for employee growth.
- Enhanced skills applicable to today's workplace.
- Exposure to the latest leadership development tools and information employees can bring to the workplace.



"The Leadership Institute has given me the opportunity to make genuine connections with other members of our community. Each session gave me tools to improve as an employee, a member of the community, and as a person. This has been a valuable experience I would highly recommend to anyone who would like to develop professionally and personally."

Rebecca Bieck, MRCI

APPLY TODAY

Greater Mankato Leadership Institute is an exclusive program for Greater Mankato Growth members at Engaged or higher levels. Tuition for the 9-month program is \$2,499 and includes materials, meals, transportation, and lodging for the two-day civic engagement in St. Paul. Each session is generally held the second Wednesday of the month and participants are expected to attend all sessions. Class members will not be eligible to graduate from the program if more than two of the full-day sessions are missed. In order to foster an effective learning environment, class size is limited to 40 participants.

Applications will be considered in the order they are received. To help ensure your spot in the upcoming class, please apply early. Application deadline: June 15, 2023.

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