



# ODESSA CHAMBER OF COMMERCE LEADERSHIP ODESSA

2017 - 2018 Enrollment Form  
**Registration Deadline ~ August 11, 2017**

## Personal Information (Please Print or Type Clearly)

Mr. Mrs. Ms. \_\_\_\_\_  
First Name
Last Name
Name you prefer to go by
Birthday

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\_\_\_\_\_ City Zip Code

\_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone Cell Phone E-mail Address

## Employment Information

\_\_\_\_\_ Title/Position

Place of Employment

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\_\_\_\_\_ Work Fax E-mail Address

Work Phone

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\_\_\_\_\_ City Zip Code

Business Address

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\_\_\_\_\_ Title/Position

Employer/Supervisor

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\_\_\_\_\_ E-mail Address

## Education

\_\_\_\_\_ Location

College/University/Trade School

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\_\_\_\_\_ Degree/Certification

Dates Attended

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**Organizations/Activities (Please list in order of importance to you.)**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Your Role \_\_\_\_\_ Yrs. \_\_\_\_\_

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**Please respond to this question:**

Given the opportunity to influence a significant change in Odessa, what issue would you address? What approach would you take? Who would you work with and why? (Please use the space below to answer)

**Commitment**

The goal of the Leadership Odessa program is to identify, educate and encourage emerging community leaders to use their leadership skills for long term benefit of the community. When selecting the 2017-2018 class, priority will be given to those individuals who have a positive response to the following statements:

- I have a sincere commitment, motivation and interest to serve the Odessa community.
- I have an occupational commitment to remain in Odessa.
- I have an interest in holding public office or being involved in key volunteer leadership roles in the community.
- I will attend the mandatory retreat at Prude Ranch that will be held September 9th & 10th 2017.**
- I will be able to attend and actively participate in the monthly sessions that will be held Thursdays from **8am-5pm** on the following dates:  

<b>October 19, 2017</b>	<b>January 18, 2018</b>	<b>April 19, 2018</b>
<b>November 16, 2017</b>	<b>February 2018 (John Maxwell TBD)</b>	
<b>December 21, 2017</b>	<b>March 22, 2018</b>	<b>May 17, 2018</b>
- I will commit to assist with the planning/coordinating of at least **one session** (either one day- long retreat or one 4-hour evening session) for the January/February 2017 Junior Leadership Odessa program.
- I will commit to assist with the planning/coordinating of **one session** of the 2017-2018 Leadership Odessa program.

## **Applicant /Employer Agreement**

**Applicant Commitment:** Leadership Odessa is a nine-month program. Attendance is mandatory at the retreat and each session. Lack of attendance may lead to participants being dropped from the program without reimbursement. Participants can miss no more than **2 sessions (16 hours)** in order to graduate from the program. Failure to remain a member in good standing with the Odessa Chamber of Commerce will subject participants to being dismissed from the program immediately and not allowed to graduate.

**Employer Commitment:** An employer must approve and sign employee agreement below, which acknowledges the time commitment required of program participant. By signing this form, I acknowledge the foregoing conditions for participation in the Leadership Odessa program.

Applicant's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

Employer's Signature: \_\_\_\_\_

For valuable consideration received, I hereby grant to the Odessa Chamber of Commerce and the legal representatives and assigns, the irrevocable and unrestricted right to use and publish photographs of me, or in which I may be included, for editorial trade, advertising and any other purpose and in any manner and medium; and to alter the same without restriction. I hereby release photographer and his legal representatives and assigns from all claims and liability relating to said photographs.

A class roster will be produced and distributed to all the participants in the Leadership Odessa program while at the retreat. Please submit a photo via email to Lynn Van Amburgh when you return your completed enrollment form. Please email your photo to [lynnva@odessachamber.com](mailto:lynnva@odessachamber.com)

**Leadership Odessa  
Odessa Chamber of Commerce  
P. O. Box 3626 - Odessa, TX 79760  
Attn: Lynn Van Amburgh**

All enrollment forms are subject to confidential evaluation. Enrollment forms are accepted in order of receipt. If you are not selected due to limited class size, you are encouraged to reapply next year.

