



Leadership Nacogdoches

a program of the Nacogdoches County Chamber of Commerce

Community Service Project Guidelines

Leadership Nacogdoches 2020 - 2021 Class

PURPOSE:

The Leadership Nacogdoches class will adopt a class project from applications submitted by local non-profit agencies. This project will be a positive contribution to the community and will allow class participants a chance to apply their team building and leadership skills while they give back to the community. The project will begin as early as November and will complete no later than the end of May, prior to graduation in May of each year.

PERSONS ELIGIBLE TO APPLY:

Any non-profit organization within Nacogdoches County that can provide non-profit status.

FUNDS:

The Leadership Nacogdoches class commits to raising up to (but not limited to) \$5,000 toward the completion of the project. If necessary, all other funds will be provided by the non-profit organization.

SELECTION CRITERIA:

- Leadership Nacogdoches class will choose a project from submitted and approved applications.
- Must address an urgent or strong need in our community.
- Have a clearly defined commitment of the purpose, if any/all maintenance and upkeep arranged and under contract for the preservation of the future of the project.
- Be simple and brief enough to complete within the allocated time, but large enough for all class members to participate.

Applicants must follow directions and complete the application. Only complete applications will be accepted.

SELECTION PROCESS:

- Select volunteer project through class majority vote based on grant applications submitted
- Prepare a reasonable and realistic budget as well as plan to raise funds for project, if necessary
- Prepare a plan of action to make the project a reality
- Prepare a proposal on the project to go before the Chamber Board.

APPLICATION DEADLINE:

Applications must be received no later than 4 p.m. on Nov. 6, 2020.

2020-2021 LN COMMUNITY SERVICE PROJECT TIMELINE:

2020

- Oct. 22 Project Application available.
- Nov. 6 Application submission deadline. All applications must be delivered to Kelly Augustine at the Nacogdoches County Chamber by 4 p.m. Applications may be delivered to the Chamber, attn: Kelly Augustine 2516 North St. or emailed to: business@nactx.com
- Nov. 9 Eligible applications forwarded to LN class members for review.
- Nov. 12 Class discussion and vote at or soon after the LN Education session.

2021

- May 15 Project completion deadline.

