

Know Before You Apply

Selection Process

- Your application will be evaluated by a diverse alumni committee in the context of the entire applicant pool.
- Due to record-setting interest in LWP over the last three years, we expect a competitive field of applicants for Class XXXVI.
- Our LWP program has become known as an inclusive and supportive community of engaged leaders, and we welcome this enthusiastic interest in becoming a part of our community, however capacity is limited to 50 individuals each year.
- If you are not selected, we encourage you to apply for the following year. There are also other opportunities to get involved with our community through the Chamber.
- Strong applicants show a track record of leadership, commitment to the community, and a clear desire to grow and contribute.
- Particular attention is given to curating a balanced class with an appropriate mix of following factors: business type, business size, ethnicity, age and gender.
- Applicants will be notified of their **acceptance status in early June** by email.

Tips for a Strong Application

- Preview the application in advance **HERE**.
- Prepare your short answer responses ahead of time to ensure well thought out answers.
 We recommend preparing your answers in a Word doc and then transferring to the application.
- The Selection Committee relies heavily on your written responses, so be thorough and reflective in your answers.

Program Commitment

- Click **HERE** to view the Class XXXVI calendar.
- The overnight Retreat is mandatory.
- Class members are allowed to miss a maximum of two session days.

Application & Tuition Fees

- Application fee: \$55 (due when submitting your application, nonrefundable).
- Tuition (if accepted):
 - o \$2,850 for Winter Park Chamber of Commerce members
 - o \$3,600 for nonmembers
- Tuition covers all program expenses, including the orientation retreat, meals and graduation festivities.
- Scholarships are available, please see website for details and application.