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**Selection**  
 Leadership Jackson Hole cultivates dynamic and visionary leaders while enhancing individual strengths and connecting participants and the community. Tuition is \$300 which includes instruction materials and meals. Participants must provide their own transportation.  
**Attendance is required for the first session.** Participants absent from more than one session will not graduate. Class size will be limited. Selection will be based on criteria on the application form.

Leadership Jackson Hole was established under the leadership of a local steering committee with representatives from the following:

City and County Government  
 Jackson Business Community  
 University of Wyoming

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**2017-2018  
 SEMINAR**

**Purpose**

Leadership Jackson Hole builds a solid pathway to leadership by cultivating relationships, enhancing skills and empowering individuals.

**Objectives**

- Encourage individuals to build and enhance relationships within their business and the community
- Balance personal and professional growth
- Develop dynamic leadership skills through education
- Inspire participants to take on leadership roles
- Increase understanding of Jackson Hole issues, economics and resources

**Description**

Leadership Jackson Hole will provide both educational and participatory experiences. LJH consists of nine full day sessions from September through May. The curriculum is a blend of issues, theory and skills; plus Community Based Experiences, Board Visits, and Public Hearings.

**Application**

Applications are available at: Teton County Extension Office or online at <http://wyoextension.org/tetoncounty/community-development-education/> Deadline for application is August 28, 2017.

**Community Based Experiences**

Participants will complete at least one Community Based Experience (CBE) scheduled outside each of the regular monthly sessions. CBE's are on-site interactive activities with Institute Affiliates who represent a broad base of community resources including education, government, judicial services, law enforcement, health care, business/industry, non-profit organizations and social services.

**Course Outline**

**Introduction to LJH – Team Building**

*Issue – Entrepreneurship in JH*

**Wednesday, September 20, 2017**

Participants will begin exploring personality types and different leadership styles to work to establish positive, interactive relationships. This mandatory session provides a course overview and explores team building fundamentals.

**Generational Differences & Communication**

*Issue – What's your social media footprint?*

**Wednesday, October 18, 2017**

Participants will explore technological and personal communication techniques to enhance communication skills and explore how generational differences affect communication within the workplace.

**The Power of Place Organizational Culture & Ethics**

*Issue –Community Capitals in JH*

**Wednesday, November 15, 2017**

Participants will learn about the role culture plays in organizations. We will also explore the role of ethics and what's at the core of decision making and leadership

**Playing to your strengths, improving your weaknesses**

Improving Speaking & Listening Skills & Social Action Process

**Wednesday, December 13, 2017**

Participants will explore tips to improve professional impact though the words we use and our listening skills. Strategic and Tactical planning in real-life community situations requires a plan to enable communities to create action.

**Local & State Economy &**

**Government Functionality**

*Issue – Education in JH*

**Wednesday, January 17, 2018**

This session will focus on the structure and the financial trends of Teton County's economy, how it is linked to Wyoming and the rest of the world. And a review of local and state government's process & procedures to create rules & laws.

**Trip to Wyoming State Legislature**

**Sunday-Tuesday, Feb 26-28, 2018**

Class will travel to Cheyenne to meet with state leaders and attend legislative hearings. Sessions with several state agencies will allow participants to increase their awareness of state governance and program management issues.

**Conflict Resolution & Negotiation**

*Issue: Scarcity in the Land of Plenty*

**Wednesday, March 21, 2018**

Conflict is a natural part of group dynamics. Participants will explore techniques for managing conflict and remaining open-minded as a leader. And learn tools and strategies that can help resolve points of differences to be able to achieve a win/win resolution through negotiation.

**Energy and the Environment**

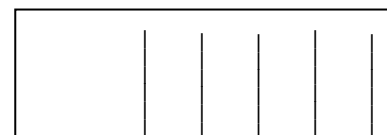
**Wednesday, April 18, 2018**

A field trip to a regional energy operation will afford participants an opportunity to learn about energy and environmental issues.

**Graduation**

**Wednesday, May 16, 2018**

With newly acquired and honed leadership skills, participants will be encouraged to take on new leadership roles with Teton County. Participation and accomplishments in the LJH will be acknowledged and celebrated.



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