

Now accepting applications!

Russell County Leadership

2023 - 2024



RCL is an intense leadership program aimed at developing emerging community and business leaders in the Russell County Area.

PROGRAM OBJECTIVES:

- Improve leadership and communication skills
- Increase understanding of the City and County legislative process
- Preparation for public service positions
- Exploration of successful industry
- Discovery of emerging business opportunities
- Increased awareness of critical issues facing Russell County

SEMINAR TOPICS:

- Orientation & Personal Development
- Tourism & Culture of Russell County
- Professionalism & Conflict Management
- Exploring the Natural Resources of Russell County
- Innovation and Economic Development
- Local Business & Community Involvement
- Local Government, Services, and Community Management
- Kansas Capitol Tour & State Representative Engagment

TUITION:

- \$300 per participant
- Tuition Includes:
 - Fees
 - Materials
 - Refreshments
 - Lunch
 - Graduation Celebration

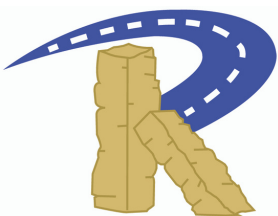
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Deadline June 28th, 2023



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"I would recommend Russell County Leadership to anyone who wants to get involved in the future of Russell County"

- Lacie Austin, Class I Associate

*"When it's all over, it's not about who you were... it's whether you made a difference."
- Bob Dole*



Who are we looking for?

A successful candidate for Russell County Leadership Class II is a leader who has an appetite for growth and making a positive impact in their community through their work in government, business, volunteerism, or advocacy.

Challenges in Russell County



Declining Population



Housing Shortage



Declining Enrollment



Lack of Adequate Childcare Facilities



Water Sourcing Challenges & Depleting Ogallala Aquifer



Lack of Diversified Economic Drivers



**"I've lived in Russell my entire life and I got to experience and discover so many things in Russell County that I didn't know were here."
- Kelli Johnson, Class I Associate**