

Things you need to know ...



Program is conducted the second Tuesday of the month, September through May, from 8 a.m. to 4:30 p.m.



Cost is \$500. Scholarships are limited. Often, employers pay this fee.



Applications are available on the Leadership Rutherford website.
www.leadershiprutherford.com



Attendance is required at every session. Those who miss a session must make it up the next year before graduating.



The application period starts in March and is completed before the retreat, which is mandatory and takes place the last Saturday morning in August.



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Helping Rutherford County
build a bright future



**Leadership
Rutherford**



Take a ride with us

Into the heart of Rutherford County to explore all facets of life here. As a Leadership Rutherford participant, you are treated to in-depth views of critical issues, economic development, health care, education, government, lifestyle and diversity, agriculture, and environment.

During the nine-month program that starts with a retreat in late August, you will connect with a large number of county leaders, and have an opportunity to talk with and question them about their responsibilities.

You will also receive leadership training as a way to encourage you to get involved and help our county prosper.



A brief history...

Started in 2000, the program has graduated more than 224 residents, many of whom are now in leadership positions.

Each class has completed a public service project, including the Cherry Bounce Trail, the iRutherford website, a highly successful running event that benefitted the backpack food program at Spindale Elementary and other community contributions.

Leadership Rutherford graduates are also sought for positions on community and governmental advisory boards.

Join us ... it's a fun and meaningful ride.