**“The ability of a community to effectively tap the potential of its citizens depends on the community’s willingness to reach out to them, identify their expertise, open some doors, and share some insights about the community’s inner workings.”**

Leadership Lincoln’s Executive Series community leadership development program welcomes senior management and their spouses/significant others, where applicable, and is designed to provide executives from both the public and private sectors an exposure to and a deeper understanding of the critical issues facing the community. The program represents our ongoing commitment to the betterment of the Lincoln community and to the increased dialogue among its leaders. During the past twenty-nine years, over 600 executives and their spouses have been involved in the Lincoln Executive Series.

This program was originally designed for senior management new to the community but over the years has evolved into serving all senior management. For the past few years, each class has been made up of a mix of individuals new to the community and those who have been in Lincoln for years. We have found that having that mix has been of benefit to all involved. New senior management appreciates the opportunity to become quickly involved with those who are already in leadership roles in the community. New management finds this enables them to assimilate into the community in a rapid manner. Executives who have been in town for a period of time have appreciated getting to know those who have just moved to town and to develop new business relationships and opportunities. The mix of the two groups has proven to be successful.

The Lincoln Executive Series consists of nine sessions. The sessions encompass those systems that make up the Lincoln community and include: economy, government, health, human services, arts, education and the hot issues of the day. Each intensive educational session includes guest presenters, discussion and dinner.

Participation the Lincoln Executive Series is limited and is by invitation only. Tuition is $3,400.00 and includes spouse/significant others (where applicable).

**Program Schedule**

The schedule for the 2017-2018 Lincoln Executive Series is as follows:

Leadership Lincoln State of the City:

* Thursday, September 14, 2017 (7:30-9:00am)

Opening Retreat

* Tuesday, September 26, 2017 (8:00am-7:00pm)

Seminars:

* Thursday, October 5, 2017 (4:00-8:30pm)
* Thursday, November 16, 2017 (8:00am-12:00pm)
* Thursday, December 7, 2017 (4:00-8:30pm)
* Thursday, January 11, 2018 (4:00-8:30pm)
* Thursday, February 15, 2018 (8:00am-5:00pm)
* Thursday, March 1, 2018 (4:00-8:30pm)
* Thursday, April 5, 2018 (4:00-8:30pm)
* Thursday, May 3, 2018 (4:00-8:30pm)
* Thursday, May 31, 2018 (4:00-8:30pm)

**Are you Interested? Please contact us to learn more!**

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