



APPLICATION FORWARD WISE COUNTY 2025

A LEADERSHIP DEVELOPMENT PROGRAM SPONSORED BY THE WISE COUNTY/CITY OF NORTON CHAMBER OF COMMERCE

Name _____

First

Last

Middle

Age _____ Male ___ Female _____ Years lived in Wise County/City of Norton _____

Mailing address _____

Phone _____ E-mail address _____

Spouse's name _____ Age(s) of child (ren) _____

Employer _____

Address _____ Phone _____

Position _____ Years with employer _____

High School Attended

Date of Graduation

College/University Attended

Date of Graduation

List, in order of importance to you, up to five communities, civic, professional, business, religious, social, athletic and/or other organizations which you are an active member. (1 = most important) Please list any other offices held.

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

4. _____

5. _____



What do you consider your most important career or civic achievement or responsibility?

What do you hope to learn from Forward Wise County?

What do you consider the three most important issues/challenges facing Wise County/City of Norton at present?

1. _____

2. _____

3. _____

What areas of community service interest you? Check all that apply

Running for public office

Serving on appointed boards/commissions

Volunteer work (food bank, church, etc.)

Civic organizations (Lions clubs, Kiwanis club, etc.)

Other _____

Participants are required to attend all sessions and field trips. Absences will be excused only in cases of serious illness or business emergency. The retreat at the beginning of the program is mandatory. A Certificate of Completion will not be awarded to those who have more than one un-excused absence.

I support this requirement and if selected to participate in Forward Wise County 2025, I agree to fully participate and to attend all sessions.

Signature _____ Date _____

Please return application no later than January 31, 2025 to the Wise County/City of Norton Chamber of Commerce, 765 Park Avenue, Norton, VA 24273. Phone 276-679-0691-E-mail - info.wisecountychamber@gmail.com