



Mission

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The El Paso Chamber is the unifying voice of Borderplex businesses since 1899.

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Economic Development & Innovation

Enhances the business climate, improves infrastructure, supports local events, and attracts tourism. Partners with educational institutions, offering programs that strengthen business development and provide access to a skilled workforce.

Public Policy & Government Relations Advocates for the Borderplex business community on a wider range of issues more frequently than any other organization in the region, such as aerospace & defense, manufacturing, healthcare, and military & veteran affairs. We empower job creators to influence policies that enhance our region as a great place to do business, work, and live.

Infrastructure & Transportation Dedicated to advancing advocacy efforts for transportation initiatives in our region. The efficient flow of transportation is crucial for the economic success of any community, and this holds particular significance for us as a cross-border community.



Leadership El Paso, our nationally recognized (Stevie® Awards) program has empowered leaders for nearly five decades. The El Paso Chamber's premier Leadership El Paso program (LEP) has been dedicated to fostering leadership excellence, and the journey of each cohort stands as a testament to this mission. Leadership El Paso (LEP) is proud to present its 46th class, LEP46, a select group of professionals who have come together to explore and engage with the vibrant fabric of the greater El Paso area.

Program Highlights:

Immersive Learning Experience: Over the course of a year, participants meet monthly to gain a comprehensive understanding of the major sectors, organizations, businesses, and programs shaping the El Paso region.

Engagement with Changemakers: LEP46 members will have the unique opportunity to connect with influential leaders and decision-makers who are driving progress in the borderland community.

Leadership Development: The program offers specialized training sessions led by regional experts to help participants hone their leadership skills and maximize their impact.

Networking Opportunities: LEP46 participants will collaborate with key stakeholders across diverse industries, fostering valuable relationships that extend beyond the program year.

Class Project: A hallmark of the Leadership El Paso experience is the class project. Each cohort is tasked with conceptualizing and implementing an initiative that delivers lasting, positive change for the community. This collaborative effort embodies the spirit of service and innovation that defines LEP.

Legacy of Leadership: Upon graduation, Leadership El Paso alumni are encouraged to continue their journey of growth and community engagement. Alumni are pivotal in:

Educating Peers: Sharing knowledge about the challenges and opportunities in El Paso.

Driving Change: Acting as catalysts for leadership, leveraging the diversity of their experiences to strengthen the community.



2025 LEP Schedule

January 31- February 1 Retreat	February 28th	March 28
April 25th	May 30th	June 27th
July 25th	August 22nd	September 26th
October 24th	November 21st	December 8th Graduation

- Attendance is required at a minimum of 10 monthly sessions. Any participant missing more than two sessions, for any reason, shall be automatically dropped from the program, and no portion of the tuition shall be refunded. Monthly sessions will take place on the last Friday of each month (unless otherwise noted), January 2025 through November 2025. Each session will take place between 8:00 AM and 5:00 PM. Punctuality is required. Not every session will last the entirety of those hours, but we require participants reserve those times for LEP. Participants must attend the entire session; leaving early or arriving late will be counted against attendance.
- Attendance at a minimum of one El Paso Chamber event is required in order to graduate from the program. An event overview form will be provided for your feedback.
- Active participation in the class project is required. The Chamber will provide further guidance on project guidelines during the program.