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2019 Water Leaders Class

APPLY BY DEC. 4, 2018



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The Water Leaders Class is a highly competitive one-year program that identifies early to mid-career community leaders from diverse backgrounds, and educates them about water issues. The program enhances individual leadership skills and prepares participants to take an active, cooperative approach to decision-making about water resource issues. Water Leaders leave the program with a deeper understanding and knowledge of water issues. Leading stakeholders and top policymakers serve as mentors to class members.

Individuals from water districts and other public agencies, engineering and law firms, educational and nonprofit organizations, state and federal agencies, and public interest groups are encouraged to apply.

Program details include:

- ▶ Attending water tours and conferences
- ▶ Participating in work-group meetings in Sacramento
- ▶ Shadowing and interviewing an assigned mentor
- ▶ Preparing a class report on a key water topic

Criteria for Acceptance:

- ▶ Commitment to understanding water issues
- ▶ Interest in seeking leadership roles on public boards and commissions, or key staff positions
- ▶ Commitment to the community through volunteer activities

For more information and to download an application, go to

www.watereducation.org/WaterLeaders