

LEADERSHIP EXTENSION PROGRAM
COHORT XVII
APPLICATION FORM

Name: _____

County: _____ District: _____ Unit: _____

Title: _____

Address: _____

City, State, Zip: _____

Years employed with Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service: _____
(Applicant must have completed minimum of three (3) years with Texas AgriLife Extension Service prior to application deadline.)

Have you applied for the SALE-LE Program previously? Yes No
If yes, in what years? _____

Describe your educational background degree(s) completed, major course(s) of study, university, date degree(s) received, etc.

Are you currently pursuing an advanced degree? Yes No
If yes, list degree, major, university and number of hours completed toward the degree

Describe any special training (formal or informal) you have had in leadership development.

Were you ever a member of 4-H or FFA? Yes No
If yes, when, and where were you involved?

List by years (beginning with current) the positions you have held with Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service.

List any other relevant professional positions (jobs) you have held outside of Texas A&M AgriLife Extension Service.

List any leadership positions you have held in professional associations, civic groups, church, community service organizations, etc.

List any honors, awards or recognitions you have received.

Describe your long-range career objectives.

Why are you interested in being selected to participate in the Leadership Extension Program?

I understand that if selected as a Leadership Extension participant I will be required to pay a one-time payment of \$600 for the Participant Fee.

(The tuition fee is due by May 1, 2026.)

In addition, I am required to attend all four (4) sessions to be eligible to graduate. In the event I fail to attend a session, I will not graduate until the next SALE-LE Class holds the same seminar that I missed. Missing two sessions will require reapplying to the San Antonio Livestock Exposition-Leadership Extension Class.

Session Dates and Locations:

May 12-15, 2026: College Station

November 16-20, 2026: Louisiana

May 4-7, 2027: Austin

November 16-19, 2027: San Antonio

Signature of Applicant

Date

Approval to Participate

Signature of Immediate Supervisor

Date

Immediate Supervisor Information

Name: _____ Title/District: _____

Address: _____ City, State, Zip: _____

Completed applications should be submitted to Dr. Jim Mazurkiewicz, Professor and Leadership Program Director by December 1, 2025. Applications may be mailed (2137 TAMU, College Station, TX 77843), or e-mailed to jim.mazurkiewicz@ag.tamu.edu & jennifer.martinez@ag.tamu.edu

Those selected will be notified by March 1, 2026