



## **M3 L'Evate Application Class of 2023**

**L'Evate is a community** - based organization that provides participants with insight into how our community functions, its cultural and organizational differences and an opportunity to meet and network with other community leaders. The M3 - Modern, Mature, Motivated, program of L'Evate will include topics that impact your life as well as the community such as: government, history, diversity, volunteering, education, transportation, and the arts. You will experience opportunities that will enrich your life. Leadership is a vital component in the success and economic future of our communities.

### **MISSION STATEMENT:**

To enhance leadership abilities, foster opportunities and improve the quality of life in our community.

### **VISION STATEMENT:**

To inspire and maintain a culture of diversity, equity and inclusion of all kinds where everyone in our community has the opportunity to be seen and heard in equal ways.

### **M<sup>3</sup> Leadership Objectives**

- Learn more about the community
- Explore new volunteer opportunities
- Associate with community leaders
- Discover personal leadership skills
- Experience the value of relationships
- Rejuvenate your life
- Share your knowledge
- Help our community grow
- Identify community needs and wants
- Promote community identity

Eligible Applicants must be 50+ years old and retired or semi-retired. In addition, applicants must either live in the L'Evate service area or be retired from within the L'Evate service area. The service area is defined on page 2 of this document.

Our goal is to have a diverse class representative of the service area demographics. L'Evate is a nonpartisan educational organization designed to produce well-informed and motivated community leaders who are willing and capable of working together for a better community.

If you have any questions, please call one of the following team members.

**M3 L'Evate Coordinator: Evelyn Tade (615) 477-7754**  
**M3 L'Evate Chair Jacquelyn Campbell (615) 513-0890**



## M3 Class Member Requirements and Calendar

The 2023 class schedule is listed below. To graduate from the program, participants must commit to attending Orientation, Retreat and participate in the Class service project which are all mandatory to Graduate from the 2023 program. In addition, you may miss no more than 10 hours during the 7 program days.

All dates listed are Tuesdays except for the Monday evening Orientation.

August 14, 2023	Orientation & Reception (Monday 3:30 p.m. – 8:00 p.m.)
August 29, 2023	Retreat (Tuesday)
September 5, 2023	Program Day
September 19, 2023	Program Day
October 3, 2023	Program Day
October 17, 2023	Program Day
October 24, 2023	Program Day
November 7, 2023	Program Day
November 14, 2023	Program Day
December 12, 2023	Graduation

Everything on this document will be discussed in detail during Orientation and Retreat, however you may contact the Executive Director or M3 Coordinator Evelyn Tade (615) 477-7754 for more information at any time.

### **M3 - L'Evate Service Area:**

Eastern boundary HWY 109 from Central Pike to the Cumberland River  
Northern boundary Cumberland River  
Western Boundary Fessler's Lane to I 24 East  
Southern Boundary Harding Road to Murfreesboro Pike to  
Smith Springs Road East  
Cross Percy Priest Lake to the HWY 171 at the Wilson County Line  
Follow 171 to Central Pike and go east  
End at HWY 109

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**M<sup>3</sup> L'Evate Application**  
**Class of 2023**

**PERSONAL INFORMATION:**

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Mr. / Mrs. / Ms. / Dr. / Other \_\_\_\_\_ Birth date: Month \_\_\_\_\_ Day \_\_\_\_\_

Address: \_\_\_\_\_

City: \_\_\_\_\_ State: \_\_\_\_\_ Zip: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

E-Mail Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Number of years you have lived in Donelson, Hermitage or adjacent area: \_\_\_\_\_

**Employer/Company Name** (or retired from) If retired, please list your last place of employment and your position.

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**ORGANIZATIONS AND ACTIVITIES**

Please list community, civic, professional, religious, athletic, social and other organizations:

Organization(s):

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

What are your chief hobbies and recreational activities? \_\_\_\_\_

What is one fun fact about you? \_\_\_\_\_



How did you hear about the M3 L'Evate program? \_\_\_\_\_

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## GENERAL

- All applicants for the M3 L'Evate Program must meet the program requirements stated on page 1 of this document.
- To graduate from this program you must attend the **opening orientation**, in-town **retreat**, **service project** and miss no more than 10 hours of program day time.

Tuition of **\$75** will be due upon acceptance to the class. Please do not include payment with your application; you will be invoiced upon acceptance to the program. Upon completion of the program annual dues are \$25.

**As an alumnus of an L'Evate program, you will be expected to have a future, ongoing commitment to the growth and continuity of the program and the community.**

**After graduation, I agree to serve on a program committee for the Class of 2024 and to be an active M3 Alumni. Please initial \_\_\_\_\_**

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Date: \_\_\_\_\_

### **Application Deadline: June 30, 2023**

You will be notified of your application status by July 14, 2023

Please retain first two pages for your records. Mail completed pages 3 and 4 of the application to:

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