



# 2023-2024 LEADERSHIP READING GROUP

## Confidential Application

### Instructions:

Please complete each section in full. Limit answers to available space. No other attachments are needed. Application must be signed by applicant and received no later than August 15, 2023.

Name \_\_\_\_\_  
Last First Middle Nickname

Title \_\_\_\_\_ Organization \_\_\_\_\_

Business Address \_\_\_\_\_  
City State Zip

Business Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Cell Phone \_\_\_\_\_

Email Address \_\_\_\_\_ Web Address \_\_\_\_\_

Why would you like to join the Fieldstone Leadership Reading Group?  
\_\_\_\_\_

How would you describe yourself as a reader?  
\_\_\_\_\_

Currently, do you read more for pleasure or for work? \_\_\_\_\_

How did you hear about this program? \_\_\_\_\_

Have you ever participated in a book club? \_\_\_\_\_ Are you part of a club now? \_\_\_\_\_

### Commitment

To participate in the Leadership Reading Group you agree with and understand the following:

- 1) The reading group is a peer learning experience which requires participation from the entire group, therefore it is mandatory that you attend all nine sessions. We will be using a hybrid model, and if needed, members can join by Zoom. The sessions take place from 12:00pm to 1:30pm on the third Tuesday of the month."All dates are listed below. If you are unable to commit to every session, you should not apply to this program this year. Once you have been admitted to the program, tuition will not be reimbursed.

#### Reading Group Dates

|                             |                            |
|-----------------------------|----------------------------|
| Tuesday, September 19, 2023 | Tuesday, February 20, 2024 |
| Tuesday, October 17, 2023   | Tuesday, March 19, 2024    |
| Tuesday, November 14, 2023  | Tuesday, April 16, 2024    |
| Tuesday, December 19, 2023  | Tuesday, May 21, 2024      |
| Tuesday, January 16, 2024   |                            |

- 2) The program requires each member to read the book selection each month.

- 3) The cost of the program is \$350 and includes facilitation, training, and lunch when able to meet in person. As people have personal preferences as to how they obtain and read books (electronic, paperback, hard cover, library), books are not included in the program fee and are the responsibility of the member.
- 4) If your employment status changes while in this program, you may continue your participation in the Reading Group.
- 5) The work of the Fieldstone Leadership Network includes taking pictures of our leadership programs and participants and our involvement with the community. As a partner with us and a participant in our various programs, you acknowledge that your image may appear in our photographs and videos. You agree to give permission to the Fieldstone Leadership Network to use these images in our publications and communication vehicles, including our website and social media platforms.
- 6) There may be sensitive information that is shared in the sessions. In honor of our value of teamwork and trust, all information shared as part of this group is to remain confidential.

***My signature below indicates my understanding of the Fieldstone Leadership Network Commitment Policy. Payment of the \$350 tuition is due upon submission of the application and applications will not be deemed complete until tuition is received. Tuition will not be reimbursed once you have been formally admitted into the program.***

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**Signature of Applicant**

**Please return application and \$350 payment to:**

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