



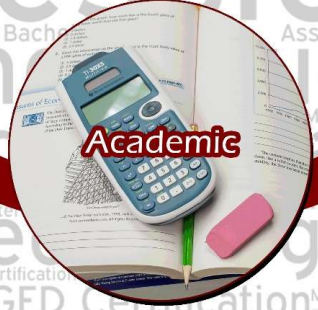
Leadership Elk & Cameron Class XII

Evening Reception
Tuesday, September 11, 2018



CEC

Community Education Center
of Elk and Cameron Counties



Impacts & Outcomes – Leadership Elk & Cameron



- Developed in response to need identified in Stackpole-Hall Foundation Community Needs Assessment, 2006
- 159 Graduates, 11 classes completed
- Advisory Committee – 1000+ cumulative hours logged each year

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2017-2018 Class Evaluations

As a result of the program.....

- 100% *Agreed* or *Strongly Agreed* that they have a better understanding of our communities' strengths and weaknesses
- 100% have a better understanding of how to become involved in solving community issues and promoting community assets
- 91% *Agreed* or *Strongly Agreed* that they know how to find important information about our communities

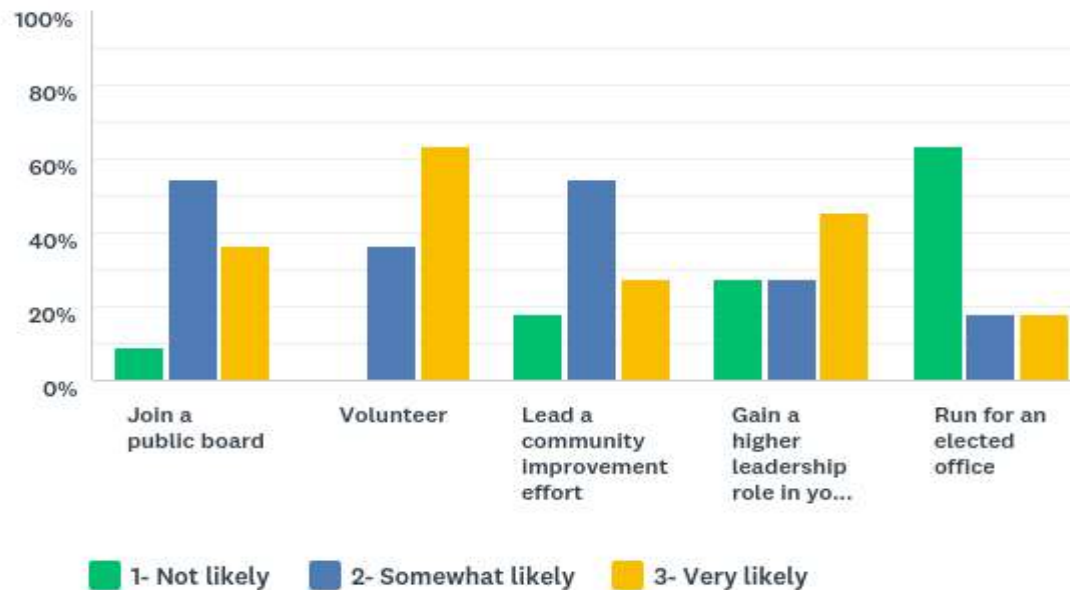
Impact statements:

- "I feel more connected with my community and it's champions!"
- "I didn't feel like a true leader in my organization until participating in LEC."

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Q4 As a result of this program, how likely are you to become active in your community through the following.





What to Expect Leadership Elk & Cameron

Over this 10 month commitment....

Monthly Sessions:

- Orientation/team building
- Tourism & Environment
- Communications
- History & Preservation
- Health & Human Services
- Arts & Education
- Local Government
- Economic Development
- State Government/Harrisburg Trip

Community Improvement Projects

YMCA – Ridgway Chamber – Oak Manor – Headwaters – Dickinson Center – Community Nurses – Elk County Catholic HS – LIFT – Youth Center – City of St. Marys – Footlighters – 4H – Big Maple Farms – West Creek Rail Trail
Over \$40,000 in cash and materials donated to date

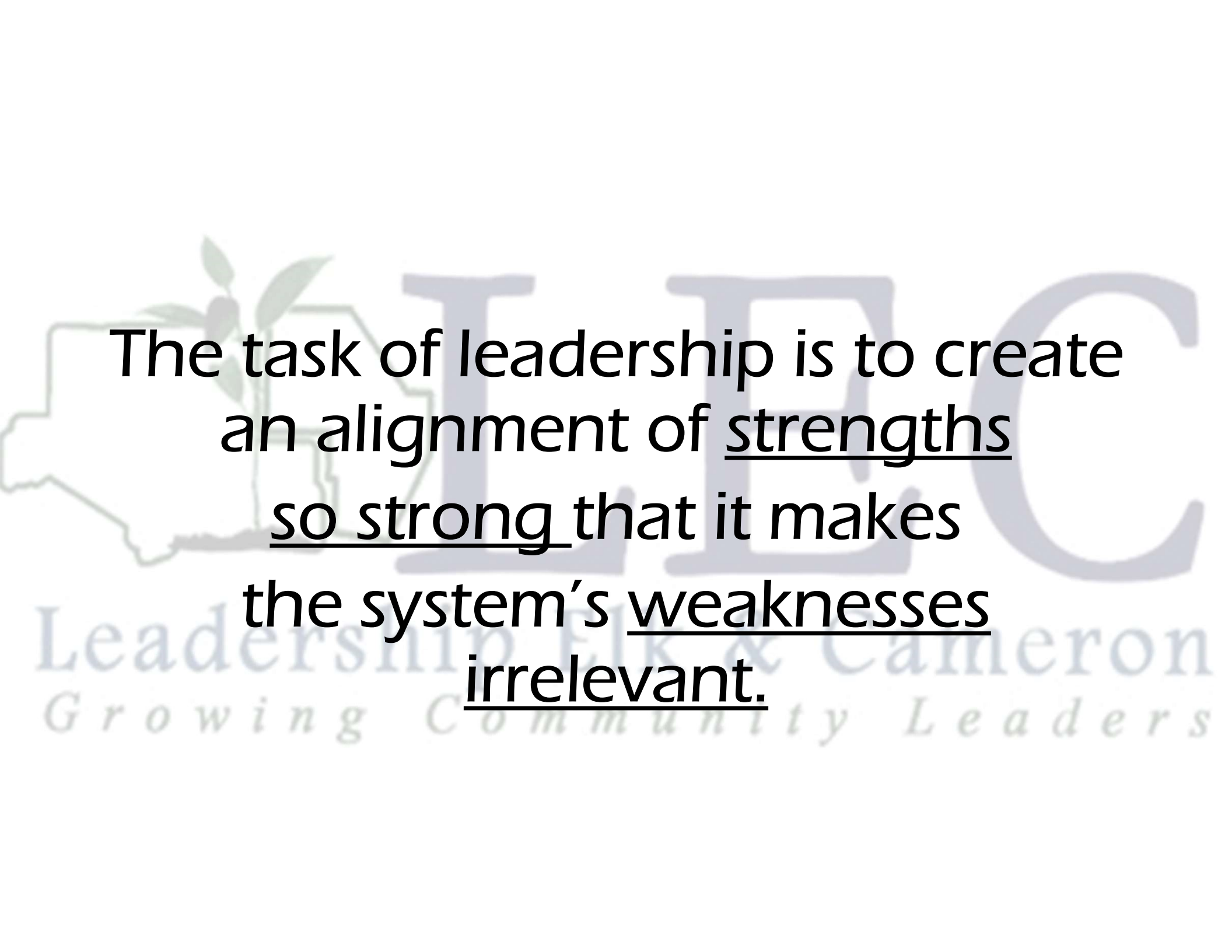


2018-2019 Participant Sponsors

- Allegheny Coatings
- Assured Testing Services
- Cameron County Magisterial District
- City of St. Marys
- Clarion Sintered Metals
- Community Nurses
- DogCat Enterprises (Elk County Vet Clinic)
- Dickinson Center
- Domtar
- Horizon Technologies
- Johnsonburg Borough
- Johnsonburg Library
- LEDVANCE (Osram-Sylvania)
- Liberty Pressed Metals
- Northern PA Regional College
- Northwest Bank
- Penn State DuBois
- Ridgway Main Street Program
- Saint Marys Area High School

Thank You to this Evening's Sponsors





The task of leadership is to create
an alignment of strengths
so strong that it makes
the system's weaknesses
irrelevant.