Impact Marana, a program of the Marana Chamber of Commerce (MCC), is an immersive experience taking a dedicated cohort of business and community leaders through an in-depth behind the scenes look at the many dynamic sectors of the Marana community. While building community leadership skills, the Impact Marana cohort will receive information and experiences focusing on public safety, education, agriculture/agritourism, human services, economic development, environmental resources, sustainability, arts, history and culture and so much more.

Applications are due Monday, June 30th 2025 by 4pm

This program is designed for participants to gain a comprehensive understanding of all facets of Marana and to be a more impactful business and community leader driving the future of our community.

# **Program Schedule**

#### Program Days:

Thursday, October 9, 2025 8:30am – 4:30pm Thursday, November 13, 2025 8:30am – 4:30pm Thursday, December 11, 2025 8:30am – 4:30pm Thursday, January 8, 2026 8:30am – 4:30pm Thursday, February 12, 2026 8:30am – 4:30pm Thursday, March 12, 2026 8:30am – 4:30pm Thursday, April 9, 2026 8:30am – 4:30pm

Program Graduation: Thursday, May 14, 2026 12-1:30pm

## **Benefits**

- Impact the community and strengthen your business through awareness, information and unique experiences
- Interact with leaders from the various sectors of our community to build strong professional relationships
- Develop an awareness and participate in discussions of the challenges and opportunities in the community
- Deepen your company's profile with community, business and government leaders through visibility as well as commitment to community success

## **Application Process**

Approximately 20 applicants are chosen by the selection committee to create a diverse and talented cohort. The Impact Marana cohort will experience the entire seven month series of programming focusing on various community sectors. Applications are <u>due Monday, June 30th 2025 by 4pm</u>. Applicants are notified in late July.

# Program Commitment & Selection Criteria

- Have full support from their organization/business & given the required time to participate
- Demonstrate leadership attributes through career achievement or participation in community activities
- Represent a cross-section from businesses, government and non-profit organizations
- Value continuous learning and personal and professional development
- Maintain a personal and professional commitment to Marana by sharing resources and experience

# Tuition - Scholarships - Payment Options

Impact Marana tuition is a one-time participation fee (\$850 for Chamber Members & \$1,200 for all others) that includes all seven dynamic program days including meals, refreshments, transportation and all admission fees. Tuition also includes registration for the program completion ceremony luncheon. Tuition is nonrefundable.

Cash, check or credit card accepted. Tuition payment plans are available and partial scholarships are offered and those requests are encouraged and supported to ensure no barriers to participation.

#### Contact

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