

# Neighborhood Leadership Training

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**Canton  
Neighborhood Leadership Training**  
Thursday, February 11, 2010  
Thursday, March 11, 2010  
Thursday, April 8, 2010  
Thursday, May 13, 2010  
Time: 5:30 – 8:30 P.M.

**Location**  
Stark Community Foundation  
400 Market Avenue North  
Canton, Ohio  
First floor conference room.

Limited parking is available in the lot at the rear of the building. Meter parking is also available and is free after 5:00 p.m.

**The registration deadline is  
January 8, 2010**

These classes are offered to you  
**FREE OF CHARGE!**

Each class participant is required to attend all of the training sessions in order to graduate and receive the benefits afforded program graduates. There are four (4) training classes.

**Please complete the registration form (on the other side) detach it and mail it to:**

Marilyn Thomas Jones – Program Officer  
Stark Community Foundation  
400 Market Avenue North, Suite 200  
Canton, Ohio 44702

Questions? Call Marilyn at (330) 454-3426  
Or E-mail her at [mjones@starkcf.org](mailto:mjones@starkcf.org)

# You Don't Have to Move to Live in a Better Neighborhood!

Neighborhood Leadership Training



## Neighborhood Leadership Training Sessions

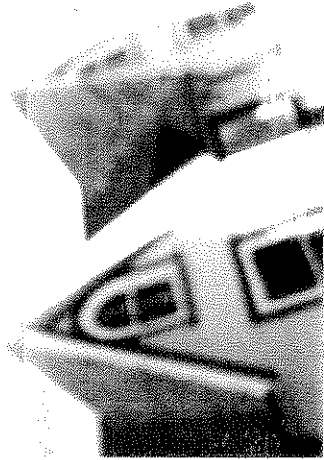
From the History of Neighborhoods, to Conflict Resolution, to Neighborhood Goal Setting, the classroom sessions will offer you knowledge about issues and resources that affect your neighborhood. Additional leadership skills and new contacts will assist you in furthering your neighborhood and personal goals. You will also receive a certificate honoring your completion of the program.

Upon graduation, you will become a part of the growing network of neighborhood leaders, the Neighborhood Leadership Council, which meets on a monthly basis to exchange information about their neighborhood activities, exchange ideas and network. The Neighborhood Leadership Council meetings are held at Stark Community Foundation. More information about the Neighborhood Leadership Council will be given at the training graduation.



### Program Objectives

- to build upon the neighborhood leader's experience
- to encourage and assist in the establishment of networks among neighborhoods, their leaders and their institutions
- to broaden the participant's understanding of the community at large
- to enhance the ability of neighborhood residents to resolve problems on their own or in cooperation with other neighborhood groups and institutions



### Why Neighborhood Leadership Training?

Who cares more about the future of your neighborhood than its residents? Every day many actions are taken and decisions made that affect your neighborhood and your city. Some things change because of your efforts in your neighborhood. However, sometimes decisions that may have the greatest impact on your neighborhood's future do not include your input. The Neighborhood Leadership Training program is designed to increase the participation and effectiveness of neighborhood residents in deciding on the future of their neighborhood and their city. Emphasis is placed on capacity building and the identification of neighborhood assets.

### Neighborhood Leadership Training is...

- a recognition of your role as a neighborhood leader
- a unique opportunity to learn, to participate, to contribute
- an opportunity to solve today's problems and build tomorrow's dreams
- a way to bring hope for the future of your neighborhood
- an opportunity to advocate for and to support continued positive change in your neighborhood
- a vehicle to develop a committed, core group of individuals who are active in the life of their neighborhood and in community affairs

## Canton Neighborhood Leadership Training Registration Form 2010

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

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

City/State: \_\_\_\_\_

Zip Code: \_\_\_\_\_

Telephone: \_\_\_\_\_

Email: \_\_\_\_\_

If you are representing a neighborhood association affiliated with the Neighborhood Leadership Council, please complete the following:  
Neighborhood Association Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Is your Association a 501(c)(3)?  
Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_

If no, Neighborhood Association Fiscal Agent: \_\_\_\_\_

Neighborhood Boundaries: \_\_\_\_\_

Neighborhood Assoc. Chairman or President: \_\_\_\_\_

I realize that I must have perfect attendance. I will attend ALL sessions. \_\_\_\_\_

Signature \_\_\_\_\_