



COMMUNITY INFLUENCE LEADERS' ROUNDTABLE HISTORY

INTRODUCTION: The Community Influence Leaders Roundtable (CILR) was established in July of 2015 as a Greater Arlington Chamber hosted council and represents a cross section of leaders as well as Chamber partners. The CILR was formed with the understanding that for the Arlington community to achieve economic sustainability, diversification of our economic base, with a collective business focus and reach our full economic potential, we as community leaders must move forward in an atmosphere of inclusiveness. The CILR discusses issues related to improving the economic and social development of the City of Arlington, the diversification of the City's boards, commissions and committee, and the collaboration for mentorship with other chambers.

MISSION: The mission of the Community Influence Leaders Roundtable, consistent with the Greater Arlington Chamber of Commerce's primary strategy of building a sustainable community, is to promote understanding, awareness and participation in opportunities from the growing diversity of the Arlington community. Thus, to demonstrate how fostering minority inclusion in our business community will positively impact the future of Arlington's economic development, policy and community issues.

VISION: To achieve a united business focus that is representative of Arlington's unique diversity. Also, to create a platform that encourages the sharing of ideas, resources, opportunities and contributions from all of Arlington's unique community.

INITIATIVES

- Economic Development
- Education
- Collaboration
- Minority and Women Business Enterprises (MWBE)
- Transportation
- Technology
- Planning and Zoning

FOCUS

- Communication Pipeline
- Capacity Building
- Membership
- Mobility

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