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Nebraska LEAD Program Looking for Next Class

The Nebraska LEAD Program is recruiting prospective participants interested in being part of the 32nd LEAD class, beginning this fall.

LEAD – which stands for Leadership Education Action Development – was formed in 1981 as a way to develop leaders in the agriculture industry.

LEAD President and Director Terry Hejny (hey-nee) says they are looking for people, generally between the ages of 25 and 50, who are involved in production agriculture or agribusiness to participate in the two-year program. (play audio :23)

Hejny says one out of three jobs in Nebraska is related to agriculture, and the LEAD program aims to help participants become the leaders in the industry and in their communities. (play audio :17)

The program is limited to 30 participants, and the application deadline is June 15th. For more information, contact Terry Hejny at 402-472-6810, or visit the web site, www.ianr.unl.edu/lead.