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SOUTHLAKE CHAMBER TO COHOST REGIONAL “NORTH TEXAS LEADERSHIP CONFERENCE”

Southlake, Texas –

The Southlake Chamber of Commerce joins several regional chambers and leadership programs to bring the fourth annual North Texas Leadership Conference on Friday, February 8. Conference attendees will expand their knowledge of community and business leadership, hearing prominent speakers on topics ranging from scenario planning to communication to selecting talent and many more.

Of special interest is renowned speaker and author Dr. Gary McCaleb whose session is titled, “Community Trusteeship: A Leader’s Blueprint for building community.” McCaleb is vice president of Abilene Christian University (ACU) and executive director of the Center for Building Community and professor of management at ACU. His two books, The Gift of Community: Reflections on the Way We Live and Work Together and Community: The ‘Other’ Side of Self caused numerous communities to reinvent themselves.



Chamber president Giovanna Phillips said, “I’ve attended this conference for several years and saw the value of it first-hand. As a result, when the opportunity came to partner in making this conference regional, the Southlake Chamber was excited to become the first chamber in Tarrant County to participate. Fort Worth also decided to participate, and I’m sure others will soon join, adding to the depth of the North Texas Leadership Conference.” She continued to say, “We’ll be the host venue for this conference within the next couple of years and look forward to showcasing our community to the region.”

The conference, presented by Capital One Bank, is from 8:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. at the Collin County College Spring Creek Campus Conference Center in Plano. Reservations are \$85 per person and include conference materials, networking opportunities with businesspeople from surrounding cities, continental breakfast, and lunch. Seating is limited. Conference information, including schedule, speaker topics and biographies, directions, and registration is available at www.ntxleadership.org. Registration deadline is February 4

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