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## **Leadership Foundation Impact Denver class partners with 10 community organizations**

DENVER—Putting their focus on community issues into action, young professionals in the Denver Metro Chamber Leadership Foundation's Impact Denver class will help 10 organizations with community impact projects.

[Impact Denver](#) is one of the Leadership Foundation's six programs aimed at building strong community-minded leaders. Participants get an introduction to civic and business issues, learn from local leaders and experts and volunteer in the community over six months.

This year the class selected the following community organizations: Clayton Business Coalition, [Denver Urban Scholars](#), [Cooking Matters Colorado](#), [Denver Opportunity Youth Investment Initiative](#), [Colorado Youth at Risk](#), [HopeKids Colorado](#), [LiveWell Colorado](#), [Community Ministry of Southwest Denver](#), [Denver Public Schools CareerConnect](#) and [Minds Matter Denver](#). Community projects will be completed in December.

"This is a great opportunity for these passionate, civic minded leaders to channel what they're learning and talking about during Impact Denver into a real-life project," said Denver Metro Chamber Leadership Foundation Executive Director Dan Lewis. "Their work strengthens the community and often creates long-term relationships between our participants and these community organizations, making their support even more impactful."

### **About the Denver Metro Chamber Leadership Foundation**

An affiliate organization of the Denver Metro Chamber of Commerce, the Denver Metro Chamber Leadership Foundation provides the knowledge, skills, networks and experience to inspire leaders to engage in issues critical to the region's success. The Leadership Foundation creates leadership capacity through a continuum of programs, including the Colorado Leadership Alliance, Impact Denver, Leadership Denver, Leadership Exchange, Access Denver, Colorado Experience and the Leadership Alumni Network. For more information, please visit [denverleadership.org](http://denverleadership.org).

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