



## **2018 FAPAC Leadership Shadowing Program (2018 LSP)**

**I. OBJECTIVE:** The focus of this Leadership Shadowing Program (LSP) is to provide FAPAC qualified members (participant) the opportunity to “shadow” the current FAPAC elected Officials. This program can provide the “participant” a closer look of the roles and responsibilities of the elected official as they perform their duties in accordance with the Constitution and Bylaws.

**II. IDENTIFICATION & QUALIFICATION:** Qualified interested members:

- Must be an active member of National FAPAC Chapter
- Completion of the application form

**III. HOW DOES THIS WORK:** This is a 6-month program from 15 Jan 2018 to 15 Jun 2018. This timeframe coincides with the FAPAC Election cycle that starts in July 2018, ends Aug 2018. Any FAPAC member who desired to run for an elected office position for the upcoming election in July 2018, can participate in the 2018 LSP and be given the opportunity to experience and observe how the elected officials serves their members.

- Selected members will start the shadowing program of their chosen Officer or Chair;
- Officer/Chair will meet with the “participant” in Jan to start the process;
- Participant will be responsible for coordinating the “shadowing” assignment;
- Participants and Elected Officials are responsible to make sure the required 40 hours is completed;
- At the completion of the program, both elected Official and Participant will finalize the one-on-one meeting to discuss decision by the participant to run for office or not (could be a volunteer for be a committee chair) be recognized by both parties. Completion of the program will be presented a certificate of completion to both the participant and the elected official.

**IV. EVALUATION PROCESS & SELECTION:** The following will be implemented during the evaluation and selection process and interested participants:

- Must be an active regular member during the last 12 months and in good standing to run for Elected Position during the FY2018 Election Cycle;
- Associate and Honorary members have all the rights and privileges; however, they are not eligible to hold elected office position; and
- Selection will be announced on 1 December 2017 and LSP will begin in January 15, 2018.