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### Future Leaders of Illinois

By Patrick T. Reardon on Tue., 06/16/2009 –5:53 pm.

High school students who want to learn more about the metropolitan region and plan for its future have until Friday, June 26, to apply for the Future Leaders in Planning program.

The program is sponsored by the Chicago Metropolitan Agency for Planning, and is looking for high school students from each of the seven counties of the region --

- Cook, DuPage, Kane, Kendall, Lake, McHenry and Will.

For information and an application, check here.

Applications can be filed on line or by mail. If mailed, an application must be postmarked no later than June 26.

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This blog is about history, planning and the future. It's rooted in the recognition that we live in a world that is created by plans – and by the failure to make plans. [\[MORE\]](#)

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