Arizona’s Center for Rural Leadership: Project CENTRL
“...provide young agricultural and rural leaders with a broader view of society, as well as a greater sense of the world and how they fit into the bigger picture...”

- The Legacy of the Ag Leadership Development Program: Rich Heritage Cultivates Future Opportunities, Helstowski, 2000
“You may see a day when 75,000 – 100,000 people may live in the Valley.”

President Theodore Roosevelt, 1900s
Speech at Tempe Normal Damming of the Salt River
3 State Senators

Six Town/City Mayors

Four Town/City Council

3 Representatives

Six County Supervisors

Community Organizations

800 +
Arizona’s 54th Legislature

**District 14**
- Rep. Becky Nut, Class XXI
- Rep. Gail Griffin, Class XIII

**Rep. Tim Dunn, XI**

**Rep. David Gowan,**
Former Speaker of the House, Class XVI

**Senator Frank Pratt, R-8,** Class XVI

**Senator Sine Kerr, XXII**
County Supervisors

Jim Parks, Coconino Co. District 4; Class XXII
Cities and Towns

“If it wasn’t for Project CENTRL and the resources and inspiration this organization provided, this project could not have been possible.”

2003 Incorporation of Maricopa

Edward Farrell, Class XVI
Charter Mayor of Maricopa
Local Leadership
2015 Arizona Capitol Times: Leaders of the Year in Public Policy, Non-Profit Category
A Legacy of Leadership

Class IX at the White House

Project CENTRL

Class 26
Class 29 Application Deadline: 3/15/20
Seminars June 2020 – June 2021

WARNING:
DUE DATES ARE CLOSER THAN THEY APPEAR
Class 29 Expectations

• **Mandatory** attendance at all seminars
• Professional and appropriate attire
• Seminar Experience
  – Preparation
  – Leadership opportunities
  – Logistics include roommates
• Continual Feedback
• Personal and Professional Commitment