HOW

The Hach Center is a convener for Northern Colorado citizens to collaborate and lead visionary community development for our region.

INITIATIVES: Recruit new people and resources as our region grows, which will result in synergistic ways to complete creative initiatives. Projects already underway such as the Regional Leadership Initiative, Water Literate Leaders, Destination Downtown Loveland, CiviCO Academy – and the recently completed Sky Corral Ranch – now fit under the umbrella of the Hach Center.

EVENTS: Host events and speakers designed to inspire and unify our region. By partnering with the Hach Center, you will connect with like-minded individuals and contribute your talents and resources to community initiatives.

PARTNERSHIPS: Cultivate community partnerships to maximize regional impact.

VISION: Mobilize intellectual property and financial resources to help our fast-growing region prepare for the future.

PLANNING: Ensure that the future of Northern Colorado is shaped by informed leadership, thoughtful planning, and genuine-relationship building. Great communities require great intentionality.

"Leadership is about mobilizing

a group of people to jump

into a better future."

- John P. Kotter



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LEAVE YOUR MARK!







Northern Colorado faces far-reaching challenges that influence the future of our region. Successfully navigating these issues requires a shared vision, collaborative funding, and committed individuals and organizations. The Hach Center for Regional **Engagement represents** the diverse citizens of Larimer and Weld counties and is driven by the desire to preserve the enviable quality of life we enjoy today for future generations.



WHY

To vision and positively shape the future of Northern Colorado.

Connecting people to create great things doesn't happen by accident. In the 19th century, the Frenchman Alexis de Tocqueville observed the unique quality of Americans to band together to help their neighbors and improve their communities. The Hach Center is driven by that same spirit of cooperation for community progress. Composed of public sector, private sector, and philanthropic members, the Hach Center will be a forum for Northern Colorado citizens to bring their opinions – from ideas for visionary initiatives to identifying needs for new community resources.

"The health of a democratic society may be measured by the quality of functions performed by private citizens."

- Alexis de Tocqueville

In the 1970s, a group in Fort and community engagement. Donor Collins formed "Designing Tomorrow services is a self-sustaining role while Today"— an effort to generate ideas community engagement requires and build support for community ongoing investment. Foundation initiatives, which gave rise to what is staff and volunteers carry out these now the Community Foundation of dual roles while serving our region Northern Colorado. on a range of important initiatives The Foundation operates in two encompassed by the Hach Center for distinct spaces: donor services Regional Engagement. Bruce and Muriel Hach embrace the power of collaboration to envision a better future. These engaged community members honored their commitment to future generations with a generous endowment that established the Hach Center as a permanent resource that will support current and future projects. **HISTORY**



To expand the Community Foundation's framework for community collaboration and engagement.

CONNECTING PEOPLE

Collaboration generates creative ideas. And with effective leadership, the inclusive Hach Center welcomes diverse opinions to inspire and unify people to explore community concerns and implement solutions.

AN INNOVATIVE FRAMEWORK FOR COMMUNITY COLLABORATION

Platforms such as Uber, Airbnb, and GoFundMe have revolutionized entire industries and shown that providing a framework for simple, yet powerful, connections can lead to dramatic impact. The Hach Center provides our region with a powerful mechanism to bring together people, ideas, and resources.

"If you want to go fast, go alone.

If you want to go far, go together."

- African Proverb