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Carver County Sheriff's Office to Host its Seventh Citizens Academy

Carver County Sheriff Jason Kamerud is pleased to announce that the Carver County Sheriff's Office is again hosting a county-wide Citizens Academy this fall! The Carver County Sheriff's Office is accepting applications for its seventh Citizens Academy. Citizens Academy is designed to provide an opportunity for the Sheriff's Office to educate its citizens about the law enforcement agency that serves their community, and allow its citizens to experience a unique perspective of law enforcement.

The goals of the program are to educate citizens about law enforcement policies, practices and difficulties; continue to expand on the positive partnership that the Carver County Sheriff's Office has with its citizens, and promote comradery among the participants and the Sheriff's Office.

The program will meet every Thursday from 6:00PM to 9:00PM, starting Thursday, September 19th and concluding with a graduation ceremony on Thursday, December 5, 2019. Citizens Academy will not take place on Halloween or Thanksgiving. Citizens Academy will be held in various locations and cover many topics such as: Sheriff's Office tours, ride-a-long opportunities, dispatch and jail shadowing, K-9 and tactical demonstrations, use-of-force training, crime scene processing, traffic control, law enforcement vehicles, investigations, scenario-based training, use of Taser and other tools for law enforcement use, and much more.

Classroom participation is limited to 15 learners. Applicants must be 18 years of age, live in Carver County, must be able to commit to a majority of the time requirements, must not be on probation and must pass a basic background check. **The application deadline is September 12, 2019.**

For further information or to complete an application please go to:

<https://www.co.carver.mn.us/departments/county-sheriff/general-information/citizens-academy> or contact Sgt. Dustin Bones at 952-361-1757. Please see the attached flyer for detailed information.

If you need assistance from police, fire or medical personnel call 9-1-1. Anyone with information related to an incident or crime is asked to contact the Carver County Sheriff's Office at 952-361-1212. After hours, call 952-361-1231.

To remain anonymous, you may leave a message on the tip line: 952-361-1224. You may also use the tip form on the Sheriff's Office website at: <http://www.co.carver.mn.us/departments/county-sheriff/crime-prevention/crime-tips>

CITIZEN ACADEMY



- *Meet Your Officers*
- *Learn about Equipment*
- *Learn about CC Policing*
- *Experience the Training*
- *Tour the Dispatch Center, Jail, Crime Lab and Training Center*
- *K-9 Demo*
- *Tactical Team Demo*
- *DUI and Other Laws*
- *Radio Use*
- *Traffic Stops*
- *Ride-a-longs and Job Shadowing*
- *Investigations*

- *Learn about the Volunteer Units*
- *Learn about Use of Force and Deadly Force Laws*
- *Learn and Hands on Use of Tools such as Baton, Mace and Taser*
- *Experience Scenario-Based Training*
- *Experience the MILO Interactive Simulator*
- *Learn and Hands on Use of Crime Scene Forensics*
- *Standardized Field Sobriety Testing*
- *Traffic Control Techniques*
- *Learn Firearms Safety*
- *Current Events in L.E. and Much, Much More*

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