Application for Enrollment

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Gender: M / F

Home Address:

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Work: _____-_____-_____

DOB: _____

Drivers License:_____

Present Employer:

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Email: _____

Emergency Contact:

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Emergency Contact Telephone:

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Personal Reference:

Name:_____

Relationship:_____

Address:_____

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Telephone:( ) _____-_____

I hereby authorize the Bluffdale Police Department to conduct a preliminary background investigation into my character, and any previous criminal activity. I realize that a prior criminal conviction may or may not necessarily disqualify me for admittance into the academy

Signature:

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Date: _____

Bluffdale Police Department Citizens Police Academy

Information and Application for Enrollment

Bluffdale Police Department
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What is the Citizen's Police Academy?

The Bluffdale Police Department has established a Citizens Academy in order to promote a better understanding and working knowledge of the Police Department. Our goal is to provide an educational environment for one to learn the basic duties of the Law Enforcement Officer. In addition, this course will provide a means to dispel myths, perceived suspicions, and misconceptions regarding the practices of Law Enforcement. The Citizens Academy presents an opportunity to promote civic awareness.

The Academy will provide an opportunity for classroom presentations, and "hands-on" experience for the student. This program will provide valuable insight into the day-to-day operations of a Police agency.

Course Objective

This program is designed to build a bond of mutual trust and respect between the Bluffdale Police Department and the Community it serves. In addition, the Academy highlights the importance to citizen involvement in public safety.

Promoting Community Involvement

Trained and experienced police officers provide class lectures, discussion, and demonstrations, which allow for student participation.

Each week, different aspects of Law Enforcement will be covered. This allows all participants to acquire a working knowledge of the daily activities that the Bluffdale Police Officers perform.

Class Topics

Patrol
Criminal Investigations
Court Systems
Use of Force
Crime Prevention
Juvenile Law
DUI
Special Operations/SWAT
Community Service
Domestic Violence
Accident Investigation
Traffic Control
School Resource Officer/D.A.R.E
Communications

Class Schedule and Academy Eligibility

Classes are held annually and meet on a weekday from 6:30 p.m.-9:30 p.m. The duration of the Academy is approximately eight (8) weeks in length. Class size is limited. Citizens that successfully complete the Academy receive a Certificate of Completion, and are invited to join us for an awards presentation.

Following completion of the Academy, graduates are eligible to apply for a position with the Bluffdale Police Department "VIPS" (Volunteer's in Police Service). The Academy will serve as its prerequisites.

Eligibility

Class members must be 21 years old of age and in good standing in the community. Applicants must pass a background check and must reside in the City of Bluffdale.

For more information about the Citizens Academy, please contact:

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