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APPLICATIONS NOW OPEN FOR BURNSVILLE CITIZENS ACADEMY

Citizens Academy to be Held Thursday Nights Sept. 13 – Nov. 15

After a short hiatus due to construction at Burnsville's City Hall/Police Department, the popular Citizens Academy is back for 2018.

Who: Adults ages 18+ who live or work in Burnsville
When: Thursdays, Sept. 13 – Nov. 15 | 6 – 9 p.m.
Where: Burnsville City Hall, 100 Civic Center Parkway
Cost: FREE (must apply and pass a background check)

The 10-week course is taught by Burnsville police officers and offers a wide variety of interactive information. Class topics include:

- History of the Burnsville Police Department
- Tour of the newly renovated police facilities
- Common police calls, laws of arrest and handcuffing procedures
- Functions of police divisions including patrol, investigations, SWAT, physical evidence team,
- domestic abuse response team, negotiators, bike patrol traffic and K-9 units
- Traffic stop and DWI demonstration
- Officer survival and use of force
- A Taser demonstration and opportunity to shoot in an indoor range

Interested individuals must apply to attend Citizens Academy and pass a background check. Chosen participants must also commit to attending all 10 weeks. Space is limited.

For more information or to register visit www.burnsville.org/citizensacademy or contact Burnsville Police Sgt. Daniel Anderson at Daniel.anderson@burnsvillemn.gov or 952-895-4596.

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