Community Academy

Join us inside the Hillsboro Police Department for our Community Academy - a series of 12 weekly evening classes and activities that foster communication and understanding between our agency and the community we serve.

Sometimes people simply see a uniform in the midst of stressful circumstances. The Community Academy is an avenue for officers and the community to interact in a positive, low-key environment, providing an opportunity to see beyond the badge.

Classes will look at the budget, explain the recruitment, hiring and training process, explore criminal and public records law, patrol functions and investigations, use-of-force, tactical negotiations, traffic safety, community engagement, crime analysis, code compliance, evidence, the K-9 program, and more. It will include lecture, demonstrations, and hands-on learning.

Tour opportunities will be on Tuesday evenings - dates to be determined:

- 911 Center - Washington County Consolidated Communications Agency (WCCCA)
- Washington County Jail

We will also showcase the many unique and specialized volunteer opportunities within the Hillsboro Police Department.

The Community Academy is held on Thursdays from 6:00 pm to 9:30 pm, beginning the first Thursday in February. The only exception is the first night of class which will start at 5:30 pm.

Class size is limited.

Applications must be received two weeks prior to the first class.

Please submit your application to:
Hillsboro Police Department
Attn: CET, 250 SE 10th Avenue
Hillsboro, OR 97123

Applicant's Legal Name: _____

Home Address: _____

City: _____ **State:** _____ **Zip:** _____

Home Phone: _____ **Cell Phone:** _____

Email Address: _____

Employer: _____ **Occupation:** _____

Business Address: _____

City: _____ **Zip:** _____ **Work Phone:** _____

Date of Birth (must be at least 18 years): _____ **Social Security #:** _____

Driver's License/ID Card # and State: _____

Emergency Contact/Phone: _____

How did you hear about the Community Academy? _____

Why do you want to attend? _____

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CRIMINAL HISTORY - Have you ever been arrested and/or convicted of a crime? If yes, please briefly explain: _____

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PERMISSION TO CONDUCT A BACKGROUND INVESTIGATION

As an applicant to participate in the City of Hillsboro Police Community Academy, I hereby authorize the Hillsboro Police Department to conduct a complete records and background check (including criminal history). I understand that any information of an adverse or criminal nature may disqualify my application. I agree that the police department has absolute and unqualified discretion regarding the decision to accept or disqualify my application. I understand final approval for participation will require that I review and agree to sign the City of Hillsboro Release, Waiver of Liability and Indemnification Agreement. All information is to remain confidential as required by Oregon and Federal Statutes.

I understand there is limited space for the number of participants in Community Academy. Therefore, I agree to attend at least nine of the twelve scheduled sessions. Additionally, I agree to arrive promptly.

Applicant Signature: _____ Date: _____

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