

## What is a Citizens Academy?

The Mountlake Terrace Police Citizens Academy is designed to give interested community members; insight into the inner workings of their local law enforcement, first-hand experience of their department in action, and an opportunity to get to know the department's staff.

Academy participants will be trained by police department staff in a variety of topics such as criminal law and narcotics. Many of the presentations are "hands-on". There may also be a field trip or two.

The Academy is one evening a week for twelve weeks, followed by a graduation reception. The classes are 2 1/2 hours, each Wednesday night from 7:00 to 9:30 PM. The Spring 2010 Academy will begin April 14th with graduation on June 30th. Family will be welcome at the graduation reception.

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MOUNTLAKE TERRACE  
POLICE DEPARTMENT  
Citizens Academy

*A Community  
Oriented Policing  
Program*

# Citizens Academy Application

## *What previous graduates have said about Citizens Academy...*

*"I was impressed with the enthusiasm and competence of the records specialists and the straight-forward way that things were presented".*

*"Excellent presentations"*

*"I've read almost everything I've seen on drugs and gangs. The materials presented by the Officers gave it a much more personal touch".*

*"I was able to see how the officers approach different situations, and why they take certain actions. Sometimes, to citizens, a police officer's actions are hard to understand".*

*"..I learn something new every time.*

*"Made me feel like part of the team".*

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

Legal Name(s):

Last: \_\_\_\_\_ First: \_\_\_\_\_ Middle: \_\_\_\_\_

Other Names you are known by: \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address: \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone: \_\_\_\_\_ Cell: \_\_\_\_\_ Email: \_\_\_\_\_

Employer: \_\_\_\_\_ Work Phone: \_\_\_\_\_

Occupation: \_\_\_\_\_

Drivers License #: \_\_\_\_\_ Social Security #: \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Birth: Month: \_\_\_\_\_ Day: \_\_\_\_\_ Year: \_\_\_\_\_ Gender: \_\_\_\_\_ Female \_\_\_\_\_ Male

Why are you interested in attending the Citizens Academy? \_\_\_\_\_

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How did you find out about this Academy? \_\_\_\_\_

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Applicants to the Citizens Academy must agree to be screened. Have you ever been convicted of a crime other than a moving traffic violation? \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ Yes. If "yes" please explain: \_\_\_\_\_

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I, \_\_\_\_\_, authorize the Mountlake Terrace Police Department and its agents and employees to conduct a review of the records of the Mountlake Terrace Police Department and other law enforcement agencies for the purpose of confirming that I am of good character. I hereby release the City of Mountlake Terrace and all its agents and employees from liability which may arise out of the background investigation and recommendations, including liability from negative recommendation based on erroneous information.

Signature: \_\_\_\_\_ Dated: \_\_\_\_\_