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City taking applications for the Fall 2025 Citizens Government Academy

Kerrville, Texas (Aug. 22, 2025) – Following three successful sessions, the City of Kerrville is now accepting applications for its fourth Citizens Government Academy, a 10-week program designed to engage residents and provide a behind-the-scenes look at city operations and services.

The Academy offers an interactive learning experience featuring classroom discussions, facility tours, and hands-on activities with city staff. Participants will gain insight into the work of City Council, Public Works, Police and Fire, and other municipal services—building a clear understanding of how the city operates and serves the community.



Note: This is not the Citizen Police Academy. While the Citizens Government Academy does include an overview of the Police Department and its services, the program focuses on

all city departments and municipal operations. For the Citizen POLICE Academy, apply here https://www.kerrvilletx.gov/DocumentCenter/View/32558/CPA_Application_2018.

The program consists of weekly sessions, each lasting approximately three hours. Some sessions will include tours of city facilities to enhance the learning experience.

To be eligible for the Citizens' Government Academy, participants must:

- Be a resident of Kerrville, own a business in Kerrville, or volunteer in Kerrville
- Be at least 18 years of age
- Not be running for political office during the program period
- Not be a current member of the Kerrville City Council
- Not have previously participated in the Citizens Government Academy
- Commit to attending all sessions

The Citizens Government Academy is free of charge, and applications will be accepted until Sept. 15, 2025.

To apply to the Citizens' Government Academy, please visit:

<https://kerrvilletx.gov/2092/Citizens-Government-Academy>.

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