

### **City of Desert Hot Springs**

#### APPLICATION FOR CIVICS ACADEMY

#### **General Information**

Thank you for your interest! Through the Desert Hot Springs Civics Academy, you will learn the basics of local City government and how your city works for you. Get to know your city first-hand and gain exposure to the wide range of City services, functions, issues, and activities.

## Eligibility

- Must be a Desert Hot Springs resident, business owner/employee, or student age 18+
   Priority will be given to Desert Hot Springs residents
- Must NOT be running for, or currently serving in, a political office
- Must be willing to commit to attendance of 7 sessions (can miss two (2) sessions and still receive certificate of completion)
  - Sessions are held Wednesday evenings, October 5, 2022 November 16 from 6:00 pm 8:00 pm
  - Most sessions are held in Council Chambers, although some may be held offsite at various City locations (schedule to be determined)
  - Graduates will be recognized at a future City Council Meeting following completion of the Academy
  - o All participants must sign and follow a Civics Academy Code of Conduct

For more information, please contact Emily Pearson, Executive Assistant to the City Manager, at (760) 329-6411, ext. 115 or <a href="mailto:epearson@cityofdhs.org">epearson@cityofdhs.org</a>



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Street Address		
City	State	Zip Code
Email Address	Cell Pho	ne Home Phone
Employer	Employe	er Phone Occupation
Employer Address		
City	State	Zip Code

QUESTIONNAIRE		
Please take a moment to answer a few questions regar	ding Civics Academy:	
1. Why do you want to apply to the Desert Hot Springs Civics Academy?		
2. In your opinion, what are the most important issues for	acing the City of Desert Hot Springs?	
Use this space to provide any additional information or statements.		
CERTIFICATION AND AUTHORIZATION		
I certify that all statements made in this application are	true and complete.	
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