

APPLICATION

Name: _____

Address: _____

City: _____ State: _____

Zip Code: _____ DOB: _____

Employer: _____

Work phone: _____

Work Address: _____

Cell Phone: _____

Email: _____

Drivers Lic. #: _____ State: _____

SSN: _____

List any Community Groups/Affiliations:

How did you hear about the Citizens Academy?

Why do you want to attend?

Have you ever been charged or convicted of a crime? Yes _____ No _____

If yes briefly explain:

Shirt Size: __S __M __L __XL __2X __3X



Please return this application to:

Robeson County Sheriff's Office

Attn: Lieutenant Ricky Williams

120 Legend Drive

Lumberton, NC 28358

Email: rwilliams@robesoncoso.org

Citizens Academy



Sheriff Burnis Wilkins



Mission Statement

The mission of the Robeson County Sheriff's Office is to serve and protect our citizens by working cooperatively with the public and other law enforcement agencies to ensure the enforcement of laws as set forth in the framework of the U.S. Constitution. To gain and strengthen our public's confidence in our organization thru developing and maintaining positive public relationships to promote safe communities throughout our county.

Sheriff Burnis Wilkins

CITIZENS ACADEMY

The Robeson County Sheriff's Office Citizens Academy has been established to build a better understanding between Law Enforcement and those we serve, through a series of classroom presentations and community involvement. The academy is open to all persons over the age of 18.

ABOUT THE PROGRAM

The curriculum and training are not what you might expect. What we are seeking is a culturally diverse group of people including bankers, businessmen and women, judges, housewives, school teachers, media representatives, retirees and citizens from all walks of life.

Participants meet eight Tuesday afternoons at the Robeson County Sheriff's Office training room in Lumberton from 3:00pm– 6:00pm and possibly a Saturday class off site. They learn about virtually every aspect of a deputy's job including administration, patrol operations, traffic enforcement and communications, criminal law, SWAT and hostage negotiations, crime scene investigations, corrections and much more.

The Citizens Academy does not limit participants to classroom training. Students are given the opportunity to:

- * Tour the Detention facility, 911 center and Courthouse.
- * Utilize simulators for shoot/don't shoot and driving scenarios.
- * See our boats, drones and K9's in action.



Although graduates of the Citizens Academy are not qualified for daily street duty, they do acquire a better understanding of the Sheriff's Office operations and overall responsibilities.

Citizens Academy graduates gain greater awareness and appreciation of the difficult challenges and decisions a deputy sheriff faces each and every day.