



The A to Z of City Operations

CityWorks Academy is a unique opportunity for Austin residents to learn about the City's governmental processes, its procedures and the people who deliver these services.

- 🎓 The program will focus on informing Austinites about the business of local government.
- 🎓 Participants will learn about the A to Z of City operations from aviation to zoning.
- 🎓 Executive Team members, Department Directors and other City staff will host unique, interactive and informative sessions designed to give Austin residents hands-on experience in City government operations.



11-Session Curriculum

Tuesdays : 6 to 9 p.m.

Application Deadline: July 31, 2010

Classes Begin: Sept. 7, 2010

Be informed and involved and join others who help keep our community strong by actively participating in City affairs.

Apply today!

Online at www.cityofaustin.org/cityworks

For additional information, 974-2969





The **CityWorks Academy** includes 11 2 1/2-hour Tuesday evening sessions and a half-day optional tour of certain City facilities on Saturday, Oct 2, 2010.

Sessions begin Sept. 7, 2010, and conclude Nov. 16, 2010.

The classes will be limited. Participants will be selected based on this application.

For more information or to apply online, www.cityofaustin.org/cityworks or call 974-2969.

Application

Name _____
(Last) (First) (Middle)

Physical Address _____
(ZIP code)

Preferred Phone () _____ Cell Phone () _____

Employer _____ Business Phone () _____

Occupation/Position _____ Fax Number () _____

E-mail Address _____

(If you need additional space please feel free to attach your answers.)

1. Why would you like to participate in Austin's **CityWorks Academy**? What do you hope to gain from the experience?

2. Please list some of the ways in which you have been involved in community activities.

3. In what ways would you like to be a community leader in Austin in the next five years?

4. List some of the topics and/or skills you would like to learn to make you a better leader for Austin.

5. In your opinion, what changes are needed to make Austin a better place to live?

6. Have you ever served on a Board or Commission for local government? Yes No

If yes, please explain/list:

7. Are you interested in serving on a Board or Commission? Yes No

The City of Austin recognizes and supports the concept of balanced representation in the academy.

Every effort will be made to select members who represent Austin's diverse community, including residents of all ethnic groups as well as people with disabilities.

How long have you been a resident of Austin? _____

In which geographic area and/or neighborhood of Austin do you reside? _____

Ethnicity: _____ Gender: Female Male Date of Birth _____

Do you have a disability? Yes No If yes, what type? Visual Hearing Mobility Cognitive Other

Applicant Personal Commitment

If selected I will devote the time necessary to meet graduation requirements. If chosen, I will attend at least nine (9) of the eleven (11) sessions. I will continue to stay involved in City government to the best of my ability and act as an ambassador by sharing my knowledge with other Austinites.

Deadline for submitting applications is July 31, 2010. Please return the completed application to:
Austin City Hall, 301 W. Second St., Austin, TX 78701 Attn: CityWorks Academy or Fax to 974-2405.

