



## 2022 Butts County Citizen's Academy

### What is the Butts County Citizen's Academy?

It is important that we, as a county government, avail ourselves of every opportunity to educate our citizens on how their County Government works. The Butts County Citizen's Academy is a **free**, interactive program designed to familiarize the general public with the roles, services, and operations that comprise the Butts County Government. The program focuses on educating residents, business owners, and interested persons who work in Butts County on how the daily County Government operations contribute towards building a better, sustainable community. Classes meet weekly for 6 weeks, from 6:00 PM to 8:00 PM at the County Administration Building, beginning September 13<sup>th</sup> and ending October 18<sup>th</sup>, 2022.

### Standards for Admissions

- Applicants must make a commitment to attend **all** sessions.
- Applicants must be at least 18 years old, clear of any felony arrests and clear of any misdemeanor arrests within six months of applying.
- Participants must be a resident, a business owner or employed full time in Butts County.
- The Citizen's Academy is a learning and informational program. Acceptable conduct standards will be maintained by participants to assure each session is a positive experience.

### CITIZEN'S ACADEMY – 1<sup>ST</sup> CLASS BEGINS SEPTEMBER 13<sup>TH</sup>, 2022

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Applications for the Citizen's Academy must be turned in by September 5<sup>th</sup>, 2022. Please fill out and return original copies to the Butts County Administration Office located at 625 W. Third Street, Suite 4 in Jackson. You must commit to attending all six sessions when submitting.

For more information, call the Administration Department at 770-775-8200



## BUTTS COUNTY GEORGIA

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### 2022 Butts County Citizen's Academy PRELIMINARY Syllabus

**All Classes are 6PM-8PM each Tuesday at the Butts County Administration Building**

#### Tuesday, September 13, 2022

##### Orientation Night

- Overview of Program
- County History
- Administration & Management
- Budget & Finance

#### Tuesday, September 20, 2022

##### Public Safety

- E-911
- Fire, EMS and EMA
- Law Enforcement

#### Tuesday, September 27, 2022

##### Planning & Economic Development

- Development, Planning, Zoning
- Economic & Industrial Development

#### Tuesday, October 4, 2022

##### Public Works and Water

- Roads, Streets, Bridges, Transportation
- Solid Waste
- County Water Management

#### Tuesday, October 11, 2022

##### Courts and Taxes

- Judicial Services
- Assessments
- Taxes

#### Tuesday, October 18, 2022

##### Quality of Life Services

- Leisure Services
- Senior Services
- Elections
- Public Library

##### Graduation & Evaluations

