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City of LaGrange Now Accepting LaGrange 101 Applications

LaGrange, Ga. July 8, 2019 – The City of LaGrange is now accepting LaGrange 101 applications for 2019.



LaGrange 101 Class

This is a free class hosted by the City of LaGrange to give local citizens an opportunity to experience an inside look at city government. The goal is to develop informed and involved citizens.

LaGrange 101 is a six-week class that will meet Monday evenings from 5:30-8:00 p.m. Each week participants learn about two departments of local government.

The first class will be Monday, October 7th. The final class will be Monday, November 5th. Graduation from the class will take place at the LaGrange City Council meeting Tuesday, November 13th.



The Inaugural 2018 LaGrange 101 Class Pictured from left to right, Top row: Chad Cooper, Ernest Ward, & Tommy Murphy. Middle Row: Alonzo Roberts, Chis Hudson, Bill Stump, Curtis Brown, & Meredith Key. Front Row: City Manager Meg Kelsey, Alicia Hill, Caarolyn Hamid, Leon Childs, Susan Ferguson, Robby Burch, & Mayor Jim Thornton. Not pictured: Dale Jackson, Anthony Talley, & Kyle Pickels.

The application deadline is Friday, August 30th at 5:00 p.m. Please email completed applications to Katie Mercer Van Schoor at kvanschoor@lagrangega.org or drop them off in person in the Marketing/Communications office on the 3rd floor of City Hall, 200 Ridley Avenue.

Only 15 citizens will be selected for LaGrange 101. Applicants will be notified if they are chosen by Friday, September 6th.

To be a part of LaGrange 101, applicants are asked to submit three concerns they want addressed about the City of LaGrange. The presenters will incorporate the concerns submitted into their presentations each week.

To learn more about LaGrange 101 and to download an application go to www.lagrangega.org/Home/LaGrange_101.

If you are interested in learning more about the 2019 LaGrange 101 Class, please contact Katie Mercer Van Schoor at (706) 883-2055 or kvanschoor@lagrangega.org.

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