

Citizens

Academy

Citizens Academy is a way for residents of Ontario County to interact, ask questions and learn about the operation of County government.

Citizens will:

- ⇒ **Help fulfill our Vision and Mission**
- ⇒ **Meet and interact with County leaders**
- ⇒ **Tour facilities**
- ⇒ **Learn about County finances and processes**
- ⇒ **Get questions answered**
- ⇒ **Know where to find unknown answers**
- ⇒ **And ultimately...**

Become “Ambassadors” for Ontario County



The view from Ontario County Park on Gannett Hill

“The first ever Ontario County Citizens Academy is exciting to me, so that we can share relevant information and help educate individuals about what we do in local government. It is an important step to fulfill our recently adopted Vision and Mission by working closely with our residents to promote our vibrant community.”



Mary A. Krause

Ontario County Administrator



Citizens Academy

Beginning

Tuesday,

April 11, 2017

- ◆ **Learn how your local County government works for you.**
- ◆ **Hear from subject matter experts on topics that affect you and our community.**

Citizens Academy Details

Sessions will be held from 6:00 to 9:00PM on Tuesday evenings.

- April 11, 25 (no class on April 18)
- May 2, 9, 16, 23

The academy will be held at the:

Ontario County Safety Training Building
2914 County Road 48
Canandaigua, NY 14424

- Light dinner will be served.
- Sessions will include a tour of County facilities for the last hour each week.
- Participation is at no cost, other than your time and enthusiasm. You must attend all six weeks.
- Citizens Academy is open to residents of Ontario County 18 years of age and older.

Facility Tours

Safety Training Grounds/911 Backup Center
County Transportation Center/Public Works
County Courthouse (newly renovated)
Ontario County Jail
911 Center
Records and Archives Facility

Topics and Panel Discussions

- ⇒ **Welcome to Ontario County Government**
- ⇒ **Health & Human Services in Our Community**
- ⇒ **Public Safety & Our Community**
- ⇒ **Employment & Opportunity in Our Community**
- ⇒ **Stewardship in Our Community**
- ⇒ **Finance Matters**

Ontario County Vision

A vibrant community where every citizen has the opportunity to be healthy, safe and successful

Ontario County Mission

Provide strategic and responsive public services that are fiscally responsible and sensitive to the diverse and changing needs of our community

Citizens Academy Application

Please complete the application below and return or mail to:

Ontario County Administrator's Office
20 Ontario St, Canandaigua, NY 14424

OR APPLY ONLINE at:

www.co.ontario.ny.us/citizensacademy

Name: _____

Address: _____

City/State/Zip: _____

Phone/Cell: _____

Email: _____

Business Affiliation: _____
(if any)

**PLEASE APPLY NO LATER THAN:
Friday, March 31, 2017**