



Community Leadership Institute

Apply Today!

We want you! Prince William County government wants you sitting front and center in the next session of the Community Leadership Institute (CLI). Do you want to know more about how Prince William County government operates? Would you like to meet some of the faces behind the agencies and departments in the county? Would you like to become more active in issues affecting Prince William County, but are not sure how to begin?

The Community Leadership Institute may be just the opportunity for you! CLI meets one evening a week from 7-9 p.m. for five (5) weeks. Citizens will have the opportunity to meet top government officials, learn more about the budgeting and strategic planning process, hear the latest information from the County's Transportation and Economic Development departments, and much more.

Apply today! The County usually hosts two sessions each year. If you are interested, visit our Web site at www.pwcgov.org or call 703-792-6600 to receive an application. If your application is not chosen for one session, it will be kept on file for consideration for future sessions.

Sample Curriculum

CLI Draft Schedule

James J. McCoart Administration Building
7-9 p.m., Thursday evenings

Week 1 - Overview of County Government
Overview of County Web Site

Week 2 - Strategic Planning & Budgeting
Economic Development

Week 3 - Public Works
Public Safety

Week 4 - Planning Office
Transportation

Week 5 - Human Services
Volunteer Information
Graduation

*Optional - Field Trip - Adult Detention Center

Past Graduates Have Said:

"I appreciated the opportunity to attend CLI tremendously. It was great to hear so many enthusiastic county representatives. I have learned much about Prince William County and am very excited about the county."

"The overall experience exceeded my original expectations in terms of understanding where Prince William County is headed in the future and how it operates."

"The commitment is worth the effort. The knowledge I gained and information I now can share with my neighbors and friends will be invaluable."

"The County speakers, from the County Executive to department level managers, left a very favorable impression of our County government and its public-centered mission!"

"I wish every citizen had the opportunity to attend (CLI). I'm very impressed with the leadership and caliber of employees within the county. It makes me proud to be a Prince William County resident."

"I found the program to be very informative. It lets the citizens of Prince William County know how their government operates and what future plans are being made for the County."

"I enjoyed the program very much. I gained a lot of respect for the Prince William County government and all they are doing to make the community better."

Prince William County Government Community Leadership Institute Application

Classes run one evening per week for five consecutive weeks from 7-9 p.m. The County usually hosts two sessions per year.

Name _____
Last First Middle

Home Address (must live in Prince William County) _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Home Telephone _____ Business Telephone _____

E-mail Address _____

Occupation/Job Title _____

How long have you lived in Prince William County? _____

Please list any previous experience you have had with Prince William County government (serving on boards, commissions, volunteering, Neighborhood Watch, etc.).

Please list any other previous or current volunteer activities that you are involved in (include length of commitment).

Please list any areas of the county government of particular interest to you.

Please tell us why you want to attend the Community Leadership Institute and how you believe you can contribute to Prince William County's future.

Notice: The selection process for CLI is extremely competitive. Please fill out this application form thoroughly to reflect your interests and qualifications as completely as possible. Citizens who are selected to attend CLI are strongly encouraged to attend ALL classes in order to receive full benefit of the information provided. If you are unable to make this commitment, please do not apply at this time.

SIGNATURE _____

RETURN TO:
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