## CITIZENS POLICE ACADEMY

Registration has begun for the Surfside Police Department's 19<sup>th</sup> Annual Citizens Police Academy class. The Citizens Police Academy is an informative 11-week program that will provide citizens the opportunity to receive both classroom and field instruction regarding the various responsibilities and dangers facing our police officers. The academy allows attendees to take a look at what goes on behind the scenes at the police department and what it takes to keep our community safe. Our goal is to create a stronger bond with our residents and business community.

The classes will begin September 7, 2022 and will conclude on November 16, 2022 with a graduation ceremony. The course will be held every week on Wednesday evenings from 6:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.

Attendees will learn about the different aspects of law enforcement to include:

- PATROL OPERATIONS
- o SWAT
- o K-9
- HOMICIDE INVESTIGATIONS
- FUNDAMENTALS OF LAW
- o CRIME SCENE INVESTIGATIONS
- MARINE PATROL
- FIREARMS SIMULATOR
- POLICE DRIVING RANGE

The application to register for the Citizens Police Academy may be located on the Town of Surfside website or you may contact Dina Goldstein at dgoldstein@townofsurfsidefl.gov or 305-861-4862 for additional information.