



# APPLICATION

Have you ever wondered what a day is like at the Grand Junction Police Department, Fire Department or 911 Communications Center? When you call 911, what happens on the other end of the phone? Is investigating a crime scene really like what you see on TV? What is it like to respond to a fire or medical emergency call? If you have these questions and others, the Grand Junction Citizen's Public Safety Academy is for you!

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Full Name \_\_\_\_\_ DOB \_\_\_\_\_ Male \_\_\_\_\_ Female \_\_\_\_\_

Mailing Address \_\_\_\_\_ City \_\_\_\_\_ Zip \_\_\_\_\_

Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Business Phone \_\_\_\_\_ E-mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

Do you reside in the Grand Junction City Limits? Yes \_\_\_\_\_ No \_\_\_\_\_ Not Sure \_\_\_\_\_ Occupation \_\_\_\_\_

Applicants must be at least 18 years of age prior to the start of classes. Schedule is subject to change.

| CITIZEN'S PUBLIC SAFETY ACADEMY   |  |   |  |   |  |
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| <b>SESSION 1</b><br><b>CHIEFS WELCOME AND DEPARTMENT OVERVIEW</b><br>What are the missions and structures of the Fire and Police Departments.<br>March 11                     | <b>SESSION 2</b><br><b>PATROL OPERATIONS</b><br>Strategic Policing, Incident Command, Special Units.<br>"A Day/Night in the life of a Police Officer."<br>March 18 | <b>SESSION 3</b><br><b>FIRE RESPONSE</b><br>Overview of the Fire Response.<br>March 25  | <b>SESSION 4</b><br><b>CRIMINAL INVESTIGATIONS AND C.S.I.</b><br>Overview of Investigations, a Mock Crime Scene, Crime Analysis and Lab Functions.<br>April 1                                      | <b>SESSION 5</b><br><b>911 COMMUNICATIONS CENTER</b><br>Overview of Operations and Dispatch, MED, Tour of Facility. "A Day/Night in the life of a 911 Telecommunicator."<br>April 8 | <b>SESSION 6</b><br><b>FIRE PREVENTION AND PUBLIC EDUCATION AND INFORMATION</b><br>Overview of Prevention and Public Education Programs.<br>April 15 |
| <b>SESSION 7</b><br><b>NARCOTICS ENFORCEMENT</b><br>Meth Drug Task Force, D.E.A., PD Drug Task Force, and the Street Crimes Unit.<br>April 22                                 | <b>SESSION 8</b><br><b>EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES</b><br>Overview of the EMS System by lecture and demonstration.<br>April 29                                      | <b>SESSION 9</b><br><b>COMMUNITY ADVOCACY PROGRAM AND THE TRAFFIC UNIT</b><br>Program and Services including the VAP Program. Traffic and DUI enforcement and Education efforts.<br>May 6 | <b>SESSION 10</b><br><b>ADDITIONAL SPECIALTY OPERATIONS FOR FIRE SERVICE</b><br>Specialty Programs including Ice/Water, Confined Space, Tactical Rescue, Hazmat and Fire Investigations.<br>May 13 | <b>SESSION 11</b><br><b>USE OF FORCE CONSIDERATIONS</b><br>4th Amendment Issues, Force Continuum including "hands-on", O.C. Spray, Tazer, Baton and Patrol Tactics.<br>May 20       | <b>SESSION 12</b><br><b>FIRE DEPARTMENT SKILLS DAY</b><br>Hands-on Opportunity with Operations Scenarios<br>May 22                                   |
| <b>SESSION 13</b><br><b>SPECIAL RESPONSE UNITS AND FATS TRAINING</b><br>Presentations on SWAT, Hazardous Materials, Patrol K-9, and participation in FATS Training.<br>May 27 | <b>SESSION 14</b><br><b>PUBLIC SAFETY BUILDINGS TOUR</b><br>"Why Do We Need New Police/Fire/Courts Facilities?"<br>June 3  | <b>SESSION 15</b><br><b>SPECIAL ASSIGNMENT UNITS</b><br>Sex Offender Tracking and Missing Persons Overview of the Intelligence Function and Gang Activity.<br>June 10                     | <b>GRADUATION</b><br>Presentation of Certificates (Families Invited)<br>June 12  |   |  |

Attendance is important in order to obtain the full benefit. All sessions are from 6:00-9:00 PM except for Saturday May 22, 2010 – 9:00 – 1:00

Please send to: Grand Junction Fire Department  
 Attn: PIO Mike Page  
 330 South 6<sup>th</sup>  
 Grand Junction CO 81501

For information call Mike Page, PIO, Grand Junction Fire Department at 244-1413 or Terri Gird at 244-3575. You will be contacted again prior to the classes beginning.