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## **FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

### **Citizens Police Academy Scheduled**

The Chatham Police Department is currently accepting applications for an upcoming Citizens Police Academy. This is an opportunity for residents to gain further knowledge and better understanding of the day-to-day workings of the police department through a series of classroom sessions integrated with a hands-on application of various aspects of police work. Some of the areas of instruction include;

Traffic Enforcement  
Patrol Procedures  
Crash Investigation and Reconstruction  
Criminal Law  
Use of Force/Firearms  
Constitutional Law Issues  
Domestic Violence Issues & Child Abuse Issues  
Interview & Interrogation  
Arrest/Booking and Detention of Arrestees  
Court Procedures

The program, starting on **Monday January 22, 2018**, is scheduled for ten (10) weekly sessions meeting on Mondays from 6:00pm to 9:00pm. Classes will be held at the Chatham Police Department on George Ryder Rd. Space is limited to fifteen (15) participants. Refreshments will be served.

Please note that this program does not lead to any offer of employment within the police department and does not lead to any law enforcement certification. It is intended to provide residents and business owners who participate with a broader understanding of the Chatham Police Department and how we serve the community.

Applications should be submitted no later than December 31, 2017 and are available in person at the police department or through the Police Department page on the Town of Chatham website;

**[www.chatham.ma.gov](http://www.chatham.ma.gov)**

Sgt. William Massey  
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