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CHAMBLEE OFFERS CHAMBLEE 101 CLASSES

January 6, 2020—Do you want to meet interesting people, make friends, ride in a police car or get up close and personal with the city’s favorite machine, the leaf vac? Then Chamblee 101 is for you. If you’ve ever wanted to do all this, learn more about local government and how it operates. The 10-week program begins in February and is designed to educate residents and business owners on how the city government works, who’s responsible for what and what steps you can take to make a difference. The classes include discussions and interactive activities on topics such as Chamblee’s history, form of government, city services, finance and development.

“I decided to take the Chamblee 101 class because I feel it is important to be educated and involved in things that are near and dear to my heart,” says Sherry Addison, a Huntley Hills resident and 2018 graduate of Chamblee 101. “The city I live in, the people who also live here and the people who provide my family services are all things I’m grateful for. I want to give back as much as I can.”

“Take Chamblee 101. You’ll have a greater appreciation for the folks who dedicate their lives to making this city great. You’ll also be well informed of services available and the innovative ideas our leaders are pursuing for our future. Great things are happening in Chamblee - be a part of it,” Addison adds.

Classes are every Wednesday at 6:00 p.m. beginning, February 5 and going through April 15, skipping the week of DeKalb County Schools spring break. The graduation ceremony will take place at the City Council meeting on April 21.

For more information, please visit www.chambleega.gov. To register: <http://chambleega.gov/FormCenter/Communications-8/Chamblee-101-Class-Sign-Up-57> .

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Located just 14 miles from downtown Atlanta, Chamblee is a vibrant urban city with a diverse community and international flair. The City of Chamblee began as a small rail town and was incorporated in 1908. It has grown to more than seven square miles and nearly 30,000 residents. Chamblee is home to a heavy rail MARTA station, a historic downtown and Antique Row, the vibrant Buford Highway Corridor, DeKalb-Peachtree Airport (PDK), the Centers for Disease Control and a thriving business community with a unique sense of entrepreneurship and optimism. Visit www.chambleega.gov for more information.