Crook County Now Accepting Applications for 2025 Crook County College Program

Crook County is excited to launch its first-ever County College program and is now accepting applications from community members interested in gaining an in-depth understanding of county government operations.

County College is a free, multi-week educational program designed to offer participants a behind-the-scenes look at the inner workings of Crook County. Through presentations, facility tours, and interactive discussions, participants will engage with staff from a wide range of departments and offices, including: Administration, Road Department, Weed Control, Landfill, Fairgrounds, Health and Veteran Services, Community Development, Airport, Sheriff's Office, District Attorney, Juvenile Department, Clerk's Office, Assessor, and Finance Department.

"We're excited to bring this opportunity to the citizens of Crook County," said County Commissioner Seth Crawford. "County College is a great way for people to better understand how their local government works, meet the people behind the services, and see firsthand how decisions are made that impact our community every day."

Sessions will be held once a month on Wednesday evenings from 6:00 p.m. to 8:00 p.m., beginning September 17, 2025, and concluding February 18, 2026. Applicants must live, own a business, or work full-time in Crook County. To apply, please complete the attached application form or submit an application online at https://co.crook.or.us/county-admin/page/crook-county-college. **The deadline to apply is Thursday, September 11, 2025, by 5:00 p.m.**

A full schedule of the program is available at: https://co.crook.or.us/county-admin/page/crook-county-college.

Please note: Space is limited to 25 participants, and applications will be accepted on a first-come, first-served basis. Not all applicants may be selected due to limited capacity.

For more information, please contact the Crook County Administration Office at (541) 447-6555 or email admin@co.crook.or.us.