

What is CARES?

The Martin County Board of County Commissioners is pleased to invite you to participate in an exciting, innovative program designed to give residents an insider's look into Martin County government. Sound interesting? Join us for the new and improved Martin CARES, the Citizens Academy & Resource Education Series.



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Questions?
Martin CARES
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Learn about...

- Parks & Recreation
- Martin County Airport
- Growth Management
- "Green" Initiatives
- Emergency Planning
- Libraries
- Fire Rescue Services
- Water Quality
- Utilities
- Transportation Planning
- Community Redevelopment
- Environmental Issues
- Constitutional Offices
- Historic Preservation

Your invitation to get to know Martin County has arrived!

Martin CARES

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An inside look at Martin County government

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This popular, long-running program has been invigorated with a new twist. Sessions focus on themes including Martin County 101; Planes, Drains and Automobiles; Meet our Everyday Heroes; Improving and Informing our Communities; and Explore our Paradise and Beyond.



Participants enjoy fascinating tours and meet the dedicated staff who provide the outstanding services residents enjoy.

Participants will hear interactive presentations from various County departments and enjoy unique field trips. Visit the water treatment plant, ride the runway at the airport, watch 911 dispatchers in action, tour historic treasures, explore parks and get an up close look at a water quality project. Not a bad way to spend the day!

Why CARES?

We want to familiarize residents with the function and purpose of Martin County government, thus increasing citizen awareness of the variety of services offered by local government.

Through Martin CARES, participants will personally get to know the men and women who oversee the day-to-day operation of the departments that provide key services such as roads, water and sewer service, parks, emergency medical services and law enforcement.

Upon completion of the program, participants will have first-hand knowledge of the structure and function of County government and can share that information with friends and neighbors.

The details

Each "class" is comprised of approximately 50 citizens (spouses welcome) participating in a series of sessions held once a week over a five-week period. Classes begin at 8:00 am and conclude following a "working" lunch. There is no charge to participate in this program and meals will be provided. Air-conditioned coach transportation is provided for adventures in the field.

Register now

CARES fills up fast! Citizens must pre-register to participate in this informative program. Registration may be completed via the County website at www.martin.fl.us/CARES. Be sure to include your phone number, mailing address and email when you register!



Named by Stuart Magazine as a New Year's Bucket List "must-do"

What people are saying...

"The positive vibe exhibited by all presenters was very refreshing!"

"Extraordinary effort in providing a bird's-eye view of our wonderful Martin County!"

"Wonderful!"

"Exceeded my expectations!"

"Liked and enjoyed every aspect of this program!"