Law Enforcement Training Advisory Commission
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Modern High Risk Vehicle Traffic Stops

Funded in the Partnership with the Illinois Law Enforcement Training and Standards Board

DATE: February 24, 2027
TIME: *8:30am – 4:30pm*
LOCATION*: Rochester Fire Dept. – 700 E. Main St. Rochester, IL 62563*
INSTRUCTIORS: *Spearpoint Tactics LLC. - Deputy Matt Marass & Sgt. Andrew Henton*
NON-MEMBER FEE: *$80.00*
REGISTRATION LIMIT: 16

Meets Illinois Mandates: Const Use of L.E. Authority (0.50hrs+0.50scenarios), De-escalation Techniques (0.50hrs+0.50scenarios),High-Risk Traffic Stops(6.00hrs+3.50scenarios), Law Concerning Stops, Searches, and the Use of Force (0.50hrs+0.50scenarios), Officer Safety Techniques, Including Cover, Concealment, and Time (0.50hrs+0.50scenarios)

COURSE OVERVIEW: *This course will introduce emerging tactics on high-risk vehicle stops, previously referred to as felony vehicle stops. Harnessing modern vehicle design, these tactics will enhance officer safety and emphasize the principles of time, distance, and cover to mitigate risk.*
Students will understand and demonstrate a basic understanding of HRVS tactics and the importance of time, distance, and cover.
The scenario-based culminating training event will give students the opportunity to employ these tactics and foster critical thinking skills to safely resolve a multitude of complex problem sets. Instructors and students will debrief after each scenario to evaluate risk mitigation and available courses of action.

WHAT TO BRING WITH YOU TO CLASS

1. ***Duty Gear & Holster***
2. ***Squad Cars are NOT required but Encouraged***

COURSE TOPICS: *Discuss the history, evolution, and lessons learned in past high-risk vehicle stop encounters; Define the overall role, responsibilities, and strategy of contact & cover; Employ the principle of time, distance, and cover to mitigate risk; Recognize the various dynamics of a modern high-risk vehicle stop and demonstrate and employ these principles during scenario-based training.*

TO REGISTER: Email registration to register@letac.org. You may also fill out and submit our online registration form through the website at www.letac.org or call 217-726-7014 to register by phone. **MTU #10 member agencies will be given registration preference until seven days prior to the date of class. After that date, registrations will be taken on a first-come, first-served basis, regardless of MTU status. We cannot accept registrations from individual officers. All registrations must go through your Chief, Sheriff, or department training office, even if you are attending class on your own time.**

CANCELLATION: If a class must be canceled for any reason, every effort will be made to do so at least 2 weeks before the class is scheduled to begin.

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