Law Enforcement Field Training -240 hours

Department Policies, Procedures, and Operations (General Law Enforcement)

Law Enforcement Officers

In conjunction with responding to calls for law enforcement service, the officer must identify requirements related to their employing law enforcement agency, local court systems, local government structures, and community resources and agencies. Expected performance outcomes are to be identified and discussed in accordance with agency policy, and demonstrated when required below:

Local Government Structure and Agency Organization

- 10.1 Identify and discuss the organizational structure and chain of command.
- 10.2 Identify and discuss the general orders/ rules and regulations/ departmental directives.
- 10.3 Identify and discuss the department purpose, mission, and values.
- 10.4 Identify, discuss, and demonstrate the appropriate personal appearance/ uniform requirements/ badge of authority.

Facilities and Territory Familiarization

- 10.5 Identify, discuss, and demonstrate by tour, local government facilities.
- 10.6 Identify, discuss, and demonstrate patrol areas.
- 10.7 Identify, discuss, jurisdictional boundaries and mutual aid considerations.

Ethics and Professionalism

- 10.8 Identify and discuss the Law Enforcement Code of Ethics.
- 10.9 Identify, discuss, and demonstrate appropriate standards of conduct/ professionalism.
- 10.10 Identify, discuss, and demonstrate discretion and decision-making.
- 10.11 Identify and discuss the reporting of the misconduct of other officers.
- 10.12 Identify and discuss cultural diversity, implicit bias, bias based policing with regard to all persons.

Communications

- 10.13 Identify, discuss, and demonstrate communication with department employees and public safety partners.
- 10.14 Identify, discuss, and demonstrate effective communication with citizens/ public.
- 10.15 Identify, discuss, and demonstrate conflict management.
- 10.16 Identify, discuss, and demonstrate proper radio procedures.
- 10.17 Identify, discuss, and demonstrate telephone procedures.
- 10.18 Identify, discuss, and demonstrate handling calls for service.
- 10.19 -Identify and discuss proper response to dispatched call.
- 10.20 Identify and discuss how to handle complaints about law enforcement officers.
- 10.21 Identify, discuss, and demonstrate self-identification as law enforcement.
- 10.22 Identify, discuss, and interview members of public by telephone to obtain detailed information.
- 10.23 Identify and discuss how information is disseminated to news agencies.
- 10.24 Monitor radio channels to hear requests for assistance.

Records, Documentation and Report Writing

- 10.25 Identify, discuss, and demonstrate the location of forms and reports.
- 10.26 Identify, discuss, and demonstrate the procedure for writing and turning in incident reports.
- 10.27 Identify, discuss, and demonstrate taking of field notes.
- 10.28 Identify, discuss, and demonstrate NCIC/VCIN procedures.
- 10.29 Identify and discuss seizure and asset forfeiture.
- 10.30 Identify, discuss, and demonstrate records/ report distribution and dissemination.
- 10.31 Identify and discuss procedures involving lost/missing/abducted persons.

10.32 -Identify and discuss court and legal papers for filing and record keeping.

Use of Force

- 10.33 Identify and discuss the objectively reasonable use of force.
- 10.34 Identify and discuss weapons and tactics.
- 10.35 Identify and discuss rendering medical aid.
- 10.36 Identify and discuss procedures for documentation.

Court Systems, Personnel, Functions and Locations

- 10.37 Identify and discuss the court system.
- 10.38 Identify and discuss how to contact the Commonwealth Attorney for questions on prosecution.
- 10.39 Identify, discuss, and demonstrate how to explain court procedures to suspects, victims, and witnesses.
- 10.40 Identify, discuss, and demonstrate General District Court location, function and processes.
- 10.41 Identify, discuss, and demonstrate Juvenile and Domestic Relations District Court location, function, and processes.
- 10.42 Identify, discuss, and demonstrate Circuit Court location, function and processes.
- 10.43 Identify, discuss, and demonstrate courtroom demeanor and testifying.

Resources and Referrals

- 10.44 Identify and discuss the use of social service agencies.
- 10.45 Identify and discuss using services for victims of rape and/or other sex crimes.
- 10.46 Identify and discuss victim services (i.e. Domestic violence, suicide)

Legal/ Warrants

- 10.47 Identify and discuss the law enforcement officers legal authority.
- 10.48 Identify and discuss constitutional requirements.
- 10.49 Identify and discuss misdemeanor vs. felony.

- 10.50 -Identify, discuss, and demonstrate the location and purpose of the magistrate's office.
- 10.51 Identify, discuss, and demonstrate how to obtain warrants.
- 10.52 Identify, discuss, and demonstrate the service of warrants.

Criminal Offenses/ Local Ordinances

Crimes against Person

- Identify, discuss, and when possible, demonstrate response/s to:
- 10.53 -Abduction
- 10.54 -Assault
- 10.55 -Domestic/ Family Assault/Violence
- 10.56 -Homicide
- 10.57 -Robbery
- 10.58 -Sexual Assault
- 10.59 -Threats

Crimes against Property

- Identify, discuss, and when possible, demonstrate response/s to:
- 10.60 -Bad Check
- 10.61 -Burglary
- 10.62 -Fraud
- 10.63 -Larceny/ Shoplifting
- 10.64 -Trespass
- 10.65 -Destruction of Property

Crimes General

- Identify, discuss, and when possible, demonstrate response/s to:
- 10.66 -Alcohol Violations

- 10.67 -Drunk in Public
- 10.68 -Driving Under the Influence
- 10.69 -Narcotics Violation

Local Ordinances

- Identify, discuss, and when possible, demonstrate response/s to:
- 10.70 -Animal Complaints
- 10.71 -Loitering, Panhandling, Nuisances, Solicitors
- 10.72 -Reportable to School Authorities
- 10.73 -Noise Violations

Arrest and Search Procedures

- Identify, discuss, and when possible, demonstrate:
- 10.74 Issuance of a summons.
- 10.75 Arrest procedures.
- 10.76 Handcuffing.
- 10.77 Search incident to arrest.
- 10.78 Transportation of persons in custody.
- 10.79 Conducting a consent search.
- 10.80 Conducting an inventory search.
- 10.81 Obtaining and executing a search warrant.

Detention Facilities and Booking Procedures

- Identify, discuss, and when possible, demonstrate:
- 10.82 Tour of the detention facility.
- 10.83 Booking procedures.
- 10.84 Procedures for photographing those arrested.

- 10.85 Observe for the need of medical attention.
- 10.86 Recognize signs of mental illness/ disability.

Administrative Handling of Persons in Crisis (PIC)

- 10.87 Identify and discuss taking PIC into custody.
- 10.88 Identify and discuss the service of commitment papers.
- 10.89 Identify and discuss the transportation of a PIC.
- 10.90 Identify and discuss PIC resources.

Local Juvenile Policy

- 10.91 Identify and discuss the local juvenile procedures.
- 10.92 Identify and discuss juvenile complaints.
- 10.93 Identify and discuss taking a juvenile into custody.
- 10.94 Identify and discuss juvenile rights.
- 10.95 Identify and discuss juvenile transportation.

Vehicle Operations

- 10.96 Identify, discuss, and demonstrate law enforcement vehicle inspection.
- 10.97 Identify, discuss, and demonstrate proper law enforcement vehicle operation.
- 10.98 Identify, discuss, and demonstrate the use of emergency equipment.
- 10.99 Identify and discuss operation during inclement weather.
- 10.100 Identify, discuss, and demonstrate the security of a parked law enforcement vehicle.
- 10.101 Identify and discuss towing of a law enforcement vehicle.
- 10.102 Identify and discuss the use of jumper cables.
- 10.103 Identify and discuss changing a tire.
- 10.104 Identify, discuss, and demonstrate an emergency response.

- 10.105 Identify and discuss the transportation of persons in need.
- 10.106 Identify and discuss high-risk traffic stops.
- 10.107 Identify and discuss a law enforcement vehicle involved crash.
- 10.108 Identify and discuss escorting of persons/ valuables.
- 10.109 Identify and discuss pursuits.

Collisions

- 10.110 Identify and discuss crash investigations.
- 10.111 Identify and discuss crash responses.
- 10.112 Identify, discuss, and demonstrate law enforcement vehicle positioning.
- 10.113 Identify and discuss a crash without injury.
- 10.114 Identify and discuss a crash with injury.
- 10.115 Identify and discuss rendering aid.
- 10.116 Identify, discuss crash documentation.
- 10.117 Identify and discuss crash photography.

Patrol Procedures

- 10.118 Identify, discuss, and demonstrate patrol duties.
- 10.119 Identify and discuss response to alarms.
- 10.120 Identify and discuss handling lost/ found property reports.
- 10.121 Identify and discuss found persons.
- 10.122 Identify, discuss, and demonstrate self-initiated activities.
- 10.123 Identify and discuss advising residents and businesses about ways to secure their property.
- 10.124 Identify, discuss and demonstrate checking the physical security of buildings. (businesses/ residences, etc.)
- 10.125 Identify and discuss answering inquiries from public regarding progress on a case.
- 10.126 Identify and discuss investigating unusual odors.

- 10.127 Identify and discuss investigating unusual sounds or noises.
- 10.128 Identify and discuss patrol locations that are potentially physically hazardous (e.g., construction sites, prohibited areas, etc.).
- 10.129 Identify and discuss directed patrol assignments. (e.g., planned/structured)
- 10.130 Identify and discuss responding to general information questions from public.
- 10.131 Identify and discuss reviewing open source information to further an investigation.
- 10.132 Identify and discuss talking with supervisor to determine if follow-up investigation is necessary.
- 10.133 Identify and discuss labeling a crime scene.
- 10.134 Identify and discuss requesting bystanders to assist in an apprehension.

Traffic Enforcement

- 10.135 Identify and discuss the responsibilities for traffic enforcement. (i.e. pedestrian, bicycle, vehicle).
- 10.136 Identify, discuss, and demonstrate traffic stops.
- 10.137 Identify, discuss, and demonstrate issuing of summonses.
- 10.138 Identify and discuss the issuing parking tickets.
- 10.139 Identify and discuss abandoned vehicles.
- 10.140 Identify and discuss vehicles obstructing roadways.
- 10.141 Identify and discuss speed-measuring devices.
- 10.142 Identify and discuss common violations.
- 10.143 Identify and discuss traffic direction and control.

Investigations

- 10.144 Identify and discuss criminal investigations.
- 10.145 Identify and discuss interview and Interrogations.
- 10.146 Identify and discuss line-ups.
- 10.147 Identify and discuss show-ups.
- 10.148 Identify, discuss, and demonstrate, when possible evidence collection handling.

10.149 - Identify and discuss follow-up Interviews.

Officer Safety

- 10.150 Identify, discuss, and demonstrate situational awareness.
- 10.151 Identify, discuss, and demonstrate approach/ departure.
- 10.152 Identify, discuss, and demonstrate body positioning.
- 10.153 Identify, discuss, and demonstrate cover/ concealment.
- 10.154 Identify and discuss decompression/ self-care/support systems.

Miscellaneous

- 10.155 Identify and discuss a barricaded subject.
- 10.156 Identify and discuss hostage negotiations.
- 10.157 Identify and discuss disaster response.
- 10.158 Identify and discuss how to assess damage to roadways.
- 10.159 Identify and discuss weather related road conditions.
- 10.160 Identify, discuss, and demonstrate the operation and calibration of PBT.
- 10.161 Identify and discuss procedures for a death notification.
- 10.162 Identify and discuss a speedometer calibration check.
- 10.163 Identify and discuss off-duty carrying of firearm.
- 10.164 Identify and discuss the department ride-along program.
- 10.165 Identify and discuss the use of K-9.
- 10.166 Identify and discuss the uses of specialty units and outside resources
- 10.167 Identify and discuss community-policing techniques.
- 10.168 Identify contaminated area or vehicle with appropriate bio-hazard insignia.
- 10.169 Identify and discuss crowd management techniques.
- 10.170 Identify and discuss disposing of contaminated clothing, sharps, etc.