



MURRIETA POLICE DEPARTMENT TRAINING UNIT

Tony Conrad, Chief of Police

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Senate Bill 978—Quarterly Training 2023

*** Pursuant to Senate Bill 978, below is a tabulated list of training (formal and informal) from:*

January 1, 2023– March 31, 2023

January:

- Pistol Mounted Optics (RDS) Transition
- TikTok and Snapchat Forensics and Investigations
- Basic School Resource Officer Course
- Executive Development Course
- Traffic Collision Investigation
- Field Training Officer (FTO) Update
- Driver Awareness Instructor Course
- Basic Handlers Course
- Investigating School Threats Online
- Narcotic and Specialized Unit Supervisor Course
- Communication Training Officer (CTO) Certification Course
- ICI Officer—Involved Shooting and In-Custody Death Investigations
- Grant Writing Class
- Fire Operations Technology Summit



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- Agitator Seminar

February:

- Basic Handlers Course
- Executive Development Course
- FBI 40 Hour Regional Crisis Negotiation Course
- Domestic Violence For Crisis Negotiators
- BATI Training
- Communications Training Officer
- Police Chiefs Association Technology Summit
- Funding Terrorism and Domestic Sex Trafficking
- Advanced Search and Seizure
- PERT Academy—Crisis Intervention Training
- Police Budget Academy
- Arrest and Control Instructor



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February continued:

- Radar Operator
- Critical Incident Leadership for Field Supervisors
- PSP Driver Awareness Course

March:

- Arrest and Control Instructor
- Radar Operator
- Public Safety Dispatch Supervisor Course
- Firearms Instructor
- ICI Management and Supervision of Detective Units
- Rolling Surveillance
- CALNENA 2023 Conference
- SLI Class
- PSP Driver Awareness Course
- ICI Core Course



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March continued:

- ICI Narcotics
- Solo Officer Rapid Deployment
- Officer Involved Domestic Violence
- PSP Driver Awareness Course
- Domestic Violence Training
- Behavior Shaping with the E-Collar
- Leadership Workshop
- Firearms / Tactical Rifle
- Domestic Violence Training



**MURRIETA POLICE DEPARTMENT-5820
DRIVER TRAINING/AWARENESS (4 HOURS)
P.O.S.T. PERISHABLE SKILLS PROGRAM (PSP)
COURSE # 21135**

COURSE GOAL:

The course will provide the trainee with the minimum topics of Driver Training/Awareness required in the POST Perishable Skills Training Program including: Basic Driving Principles, Legal and Moral Aspects, Defensive Driving and Maneuvering Course Exercises.

The course consists of a hands-on/practical Driver Training/Awareness for in-service officers.

DRIVER TRAINING/AWARENESS

Minimum Topics/Exercises:

- a. Behind the wheel exercises to improve driving skills – judgment and decision making
- b. Class Exercises/Student Evaluation/Testing
- c. Defensive driving
- d. Intersections exercise(s)
- e. Backing/parking exercise(s)
- f. Policy, legal and moral issues
- g. Vehicle Dynamics

COURSE OBJECTIVES:

The trainee will:

1. Demonstrate knowledge of their Driver Training/Awareness skills and techniques
2. Demonstrate a minimum standard of psychomotor skills with every technique and exercise to include:
 - A. Judgment
 - B. Decision Making
 - C. Defensive Driving
 - D. Basic Driving Principles
 - E. Policy, Legal and Moral Issues
 - F. Vehicle Dynamics

Minimum standards of performance shall be tested by an instructor observing the trainee during their performance of each technique and exercise. If the trainee does not meet minimum standards, as established by the presenter, remediation will be provided until the standard is met.



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EXPANDED COURSE OUTLINE

- I. INTRODUCTION/ORIENTATION II(a)
 - A. Introduction, Registration and Orientation
 - B. Course Objectives/Overview/Exercises, Evaluation/Testing

- II. BASIC DRIVING PRINCIPLES II(c)
 - A. Weight Transfer
 - 1. Weight distributed between front and rear wheels
 - 2. Engine location has greater part of weight distribution
 - 3. Types of weight transfer
 - a. Lateral: Side to side
 - b. Longitudinal: Front to rear/Rear to front
 - 4. Lateral transfer created when vehicle turned left/right
 - 5. Longitudinal transfer created when:
 - a. Breaking - Rear to front
 - b. Accelerating - Front to rear
 - c. Decelerating - Rear to front
 - 6. Can't be eliminated in a moving vehicle
 - 7. Minimized by good driving techniques and smooth operation
 - B. Steering Control
 - 1. Seating position
 - a. Driver comfort
 - b. Efficient vehicle control
 - c. Wrist break over top of steering wheel
 - d. Seated 12" from air bag
 - e. Adjust mirrors
 - 2. Steering method – Two hand shuffle steering
 - a. Hand position at "9 and 3" or "8 and 4"
 - b. Hands do not leave steering wheel
 - c. Maximizes steering accuracy
 - d. Safer and more effective recovery
 - e. Minimizes weight transfer
 - f. Minimizes air bag deployment injury
 - 3. Steering method – Backing
 - a. Body rotated to right
 - b. Right hand placed on right headrest
 - c. Vision directed over right shoulder
 - d. Left hand on steering wheel at 12 o'clock position



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- e. Press left leg against bottom of steering wheel for stability
- f. Left foot braced on floorboard
- C. Roadway Position
 - 1. Definition: The position of the vehicle on the roadway that maximizes speed with minimum steering and risk of loss of vehicle control while negotiating a turn
 - a. AKA – Driving line
 - 2. Driving advantages
 - a. Minimize and control weight transfer
 - b. Minimize steering input
 - c. Smoother vehicle operation
 - d. Maximum speed through turns in the safest manner
 - 3. Driving points in a turn
 - a. Entry (Point #1)
 - b. Apex (Point #2)
 - c. Exit (Point #3)

III. LEGAL AND MORAL ASPECTS

II(b)

- A. California codes
 - 1. 17001 CVC
 - 2. 17004 CVC
 - 3. 17004.7 CVC
 - 4. 21052 CVC
 - 5. 21055 CVC
 - 6. 21056 CVC
 - 7. 21057 CVC
 - 8. 21806 CVC
 - 9. 21807 CVC
 - 10. 22350 CVC
- B. Case law
- C. Agency policy
- D. Moral aspects

IV. DEFENSIVE DRIVING

II(d)

- A. Defensive Drivers
 - 1. Avoid collisions regardless of right-of-way
 - 2. React properly to hazards
 - 3. Maintain a professional attitude
- B. Dangerous Driver Attitudes
 - 1. Overconfidence



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- 2. Self-righteousness
 - 3. Impatience
 - 4. Preoccupation
 - C. Collision Avoidance
 - 1. Space cushion
 - a. Three second rule
 - b. Perception / Reaction time
 - c. When stopped, see rear wheels
 - 2. Intersections **II (e)**
 - a. Clear left, right, then left again
 - b. Cover brake on stale green
 - c. Don't turn wheels until ready for turn
 - d. Look through turns
 - 3. Maintain high visual horizon
 - 4. Consider steering to the rear of a conflict vehicle
 - 5. Backing
 - a. Large percentage of collisions involving LE vehicles
 - b. Use proper backing techniques
 - 6. Lane changes
 - a. Signal
 - 7. Blind spots
 - D. Occupant Safety Devices
 - 1. Safety belts
 - 2. Supplemental Restraint System (air bags)
 - E. Vehicle Dynamics **II(c)**
 - 1. Rear wheel cheat
 - 2. Front-end swing
 - 3. Oversteer
 - 4. Understeer
- V. VEHICLE CARE AND MAINTENANCE
- A. Pre-shift Vehicle Inspection
 - 1. General appearance
 - 2. Tires
 - a. Pressure
 - b. Wear
 - 3. Wheels
 - 4. Lights
 - 5. Trunk
 - a. Spare tire
 - b. Fire extinguisher



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- c. Jack / Lug wrench
- d. Flares
- e. First aid kit
- f. Blanket
- 6. Body damage
- 7. Interior
 - a. Trash / Debris
 - b. Clean windows
 - c. Adjust seat and mirrors
 - d. Check gauges
 - e. Brakes
 - f. Secure gear
 - g. Seatbelts
- 8. Listen for unusual sounds

VI. MANEUVERING COURSE EXERCISES

II(g)

- A. Offset Lane Exercise
- B. Turn-Around Maneuver Exercise
- C. Steering course Exercise
- D. "T" Driveway
- E. Parallel Parking Exercise

II(f)

Testing: Any student scoring below standard on any exercise, as established by the presenter, will be remediated, tested until standard is achieved.

II (b)



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COURSE GOAL:

The purpose of this course is to provide officers with the tools to safely and effectively handle domestic violence situations. The course will provide field officers updated information on domestic violence laws, documentation, restraining orders, and department policy and procedure. The course meets the requirement of 13519 PC for Domestic Violence Update Training every two years.

- I. Domestic Violence Policy
 - A. Review of the policy
 1. Emphasis to SHALL document and arrest responsibilities
 2. Emphasis to revised and new parts of the policy
 - a. DV reporting forms
 - b. Victim confidentially forms
 - c. Victim notification forms
 - B. Court Order update
 1. EPO assessment responsibility of the officer
 2. Full Faith and Credit
 3. Aggressive enforcement
 4. Proof of service
 - C. Handout Domestic Violence Reference Guide
- II. Lethality Assessment
 - A. Document in report
 - B. What to do when there are significant risk factors
 1. Notify supervisors
 2. Supervisor/Watch Commander notify SVU Sgt.
 3. Notify the Victim Services Unit
- III. Strangulation Investigation
 - A. Correct terms for reporting purposes
 1. Strangulation vs. choking
 - B. What occurs during strangulation
 1. Black out
 2. Voiding
 3. Feeling of dying
 4. Numbness in limbs / feeling of paralysis
 5. Hoarse voice
 - C. Evidence collection
 1. Clothing or object used
 2. Photos



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3. Corresponding marks in neck / throat
- D. Statements
 1. What went through the victim's mind?
 2. Did they fight back? Why / why not?
- IV. Children and Domestic Violence
 - A. Interaction With Children
 1. Officers should locate and identify all children in the home at a domestic violence scene.
 2. Officers should list all children in the report (full name and date of birth), who reside at the location, or who are in the home periodically for court ordered visitations, even if they were not interviewed, for eligibility for victim's compensation.
 3. Officers should interview all children in the home even if the parents state they didn't observe the incident. Documentation of these interviews should include:
 - a. A description of the child's location;
 - b. A description of child's demeanor; and
 - c. Quotations of statements made by the child.
- V. Stalking Investigation
 - A. Elements of PC 646.9
 - B. Definitions of:
 1. Harassment
 2. Repeatedly
 3. Credible threat
 4. Credible Threat Test
 5. Safety of victim or immediate family
 6. Specific intent
 - C. Difference between stalking and criminal threats
 - D. Stalking questions to ask
- VI. Victim Services
 - A. Emergency Assistance to Victims
 1. Medical attention;
 2. Transportation to a shelter;
 3. Transportation to a hospital for treatment when necessary;
 4. Police/civil standby for removing personal property; and
 5. Assistance in safe passage out of the victim's residence.
 - B. Assist Victims in Pursuing Criminal Options



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C. Notice to Victims

1. Notice that despite official restraint of the person alleged to have committed domestic violence, the restrained person may be released from jail at any time.
2. Information about other services in the community, where available, and how to contact them.
3. Information about shelter services and how to contact them.
4. Information about California's victim compensation program, and contact number: 1-800-777-9229.
5. Informing victims of domestic violence that they may ask the district attorney to file a criminal complaint.
6. Informing victims of their right to go to the superior court and file a petition requesting any of the following orders for relief:
 - a. Order restraining the attacker from abusing victim and other family members;
 - b. Order directing the attacker to leave the household;
 - c. Order preventing the attacker from entering the residence, school, business, or place of employment of the victim;
 - d. Order awarding the victim or the other parent custody of, or visitation with, a minor child or children;
 - e. Order restraining the attacker from molesting or interfering with minor children in the custody of the victim;
 - f. Order directing the party not granted custody to pay support of minor children if that party has a legal obligation to do so;
 - g. Order directing the defendant to make specified debit payments coming due while the order is in effect; or
 - h. Order directing that either or both parties participate in counseling.
7. Inform the victim of the right to file a civil suit for losses suffered as a result of the abuse, including medical expenses, loss of earnings and other expenses for injuries sustained, damage to property, and other related expenses incurred by the victim or any agency that shelters the victim.
8. In cases where the alleged violation is of subdivision (e) of PC 243 or Sections 261, 261.5, 262, 273.5, 286, 288a, or 289, a "Victims of Domestic Violence" card shall be provided to the victim that contains, but is not limited to, the following information:
 - a. Names and phone numbers of hotlines for local shelters for battered women and rape victim counseling centers within the county, including those centers specified in



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PC13837, and the 24-hour counseling service telephone numbers;

b. Proper procedures for a victim to follow after sexual assault;

c. Statement that sexual assault by a person who is known to the victim, including the victim's spouse, is a crime;

d. Statement that domestic violence or assault by a person who is known to the victim, including the victim's spouse, is a crime; and

e. Statement that protective orders are enforceable in any state, territory, or reservation and information on how to contact agencies in those jurisdictions;

9. Provide information to determine an arrested person's custodial status and release information.

D. Advise Victims of Their Right to Confidentiality

VII. Domestic Violence and Firearms

A. Explain PC 18250

1. Weapons used / not used

2. Located and/or collected

a. Evidence

b. Safekeeping

B. Explain PC 1524

VIII. Method of Assessing Learning Goals and Objectives

A. Oral exam