



ILLINOIS TACTICAL OFFICERS ASSOCIATION
In Cooperation with
**Cook County Department of Homeland Security
and Emergency Management**



Presents:

Law Enforcement Response to Civil Disorder

The Legal and Tactical Issues of Effective Law Enforcement Management and Response

NO WALK INS – PRE-REGISTRATION REQUIRED

Wednesday, February 22, 2012 – 8:00 am to 4:00 pm – Location Identified Upon Registration Confirmation

Cost \$25.00 INCLUDES LUNCH Register with Form Attached or at WWW.ITOA.ORG

Chiefs and Deputy Chiefs – Training Board Approved for 7 CLE HOURS

This day long program is designed to enhance law enforcement leadership and line officer's understanding of the realities of civil disorder events from initial training and planning, to protester tactics, suggested police responses, and the post event issues that include legal actions in the criminal and civil courts.

**Presenter:
Officer Tom Burns**

Officer Burns has been a Seattle Police Officer since 1988 and for over ten years has acted as a lead instructor in the area of crowd control and less lethal options used at a patrol level, acting as an advisor for the Force Options Research Group (FORG). During the WTO Conference in Seattle that culminated in three days of intense rioting, Tom was responsible for the training and implementation of the less lethal/chemical agent plan. During the WTO riots these less lethal options were deployed with no deaths or serious injuries.

Tom has been an instructor at the highest level, attaining Master Instructor certification in the area of specialty impact munitions, chemical agents, OC and distraction devices and a Senior Master Instructor certification through TASER. With this experience, Tom has been a crowd control/less lethal lead instructor working with agencies that hosted the Democratic National Convention in Denver, CO., and Republican National Convention in Minneapolis/St. Paul MN, G-8 Conference in Sea Island, GA. and the Winter Olympics in Vancouver, Canada.

**Presenter:
Dep. Chief Steve Ijames (ret.)**

Dep. Chief Steve Ijames (ret.) working with the International Association of Chiefs of Police is the developer and lead instructor for less lethal train the trainer courses; including impact rounds and gas for use during public order events.

Chief Ijames has trained officers in public order management in over 30 countries, including such places as Northern Ireland, Haiti, Somalia, and Yemen, and has extensive experience in the varied tactics used by crowds to mitigate police control efforts.

Chief Ijames has also provided expert police use of force investigation and litigation defense throughout the United States following deaths and injuries that have occurred during public order events.

The Illinois Tactical Officers Association continues to provide training opportunities for the State's law enforcement agencies, taskforces, and officers. Here are some upcoming events:

**EXCITED DELIRIUM SYNDROME
PROTOCOL RESPONSE**

*Tues, Feb 14th, 2012
KLM Lodge (Hinsdale IL)*

**HIGH-RISK SEARCH TACTICS,
PLANNING & DECISION MAKING**

*Tue, March 27, 2012
Double Tree Oak Brook, IL*

TACTICAL FIREARMS FTX

*Fri. Apr 6th, 2012
ISP – D5 (Crest Hill IL)*

RIFLE FTXs

*Wed, May 16th, 2012
Wed, Aug 15th, 2012
Marseilles, IL*

ITOA's 25th ANNUAL CONFERENCE

*Sun-Tues, November 18th – 20th, 2012
Suburban Chicago land*

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