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*Department of Homeland Security, Federal Law Enforcement Training Center's  
Rural Policing Institute presents:*

# **Rural Police Training Workshop: Drug Interdiction**



**Date: May 4, 2011  
Location: Faribault, MN**

## **Program Focus:**

### **Roadside Interviewing and Interrogation (2 hours)**

This course provides the participant with a foundation of knowledge to effectively engage a motorist in a consenting interview further developing reasonable suspicion for a drug investigation. It will assist an officer in collecting pertinent information and recognizing points of deception in a roadside interview or interrogation.

### **Looking Beyond the Ticket (4 hours)**

This course is designed to provide the student with the common criminal characteristics of individuals who are involved in the illegal transportation and distribution of illicit drugs, and the appropriate strategies to interdict traffickers and advance drug investigations. This course is dynamic in its delivery to allow for open questioning and review of multiple dash camera videos of real traffic stops to better prepare an officer to describe various indicators of criminal activity.

### **Patrol Initiated Drug Investigations (2 hours)**

This course introduces the law enforcement officer/investigator to patrol initiated drug investigations, in order to provide a range of enforcement options to combat street-level drug crimes. It will prepare a street level officer to identify the methods necessary to investigate drug offenses from a patrol restricted assignment in order to enforce state, local and federal drug statutes.

**Who Should Attend:** Qualified applicants must be full-time, sworn law enforcement peace officers.

**Eligibility:** This program is being funded by the FLETC's Rural Policing Institute. Preference for admission into this program is given to non-federal law enforcement officers or other emergency responders working in rural areas. "Rural" is defined as any area outside of a metropolitan statistical area (MSA), as defined by the Office of Management and Budget; or any jurisdiction inside of a MSA located in a county, borough, parish or land under the jurisdiction of an Indian Tribe with a population of no more than 50,000. Please visit [Eligibility Requirements](#) for more information. **Non-rural applicants may be admitted on a space-available basis approximately 35 days prior to the program's start date.**

**Cost: TUITION-FREE** Attendees are responsible for all travel, lodging and meal expenses.

**Registration:** **(1)** Go to <https://registration.fletc.gov/> to create an account or login to an existing account; **(2)** Once logged in select "view/register for courses" under Basic User Functions at the left of the page; **(3)** select desired course and location and click on "search"; and **(4)** course options will populate below the box and then select "apply" to register for desired course.

**If you need to contact us for additional information:** E-mail us at [FLETC-RuralPolicingInstitute@dhs.gov](mailto:FLETC-RuralPolicingInstitute@dhs.gov) or call 800-743-5382.