



2016

OHIO STATE HIGHWAY PATROL



Training Calendar

& Course Information

Contributing to a Safer Ohio starts with professional, quality training for Ohio State Highway Patrol personnel, as well as our colleagues throughout the law enforcement community. This schedule of courses offered by the Ohio State Highway Patrol Training Academy is illustrative of our commitment to providing the most advanced training possible, reflecting the technological and societal issues facing today's law enforcement officers and agencies.

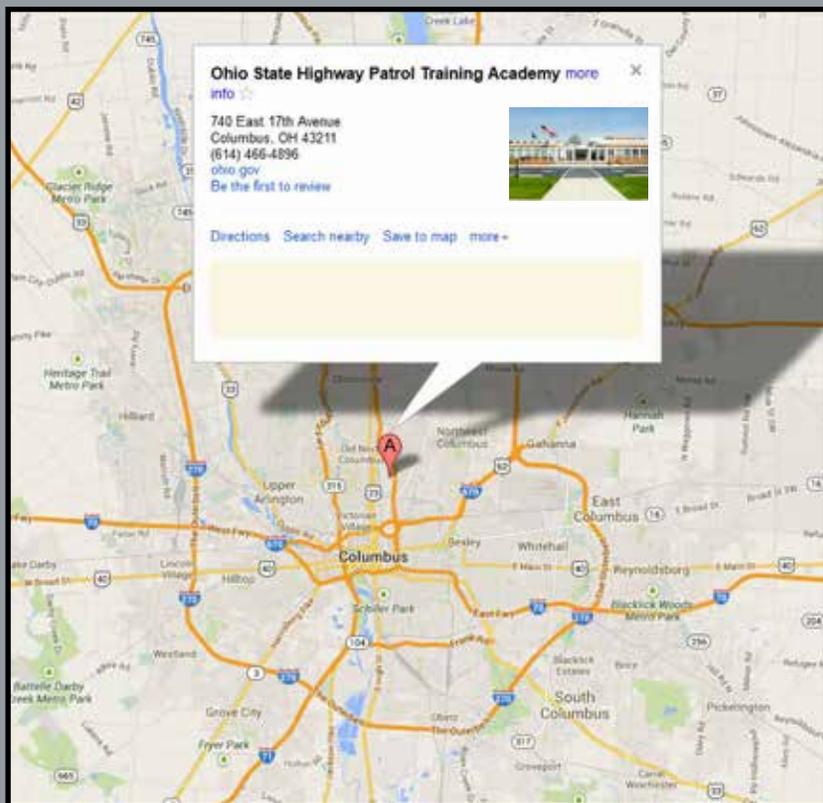
I encourage you to review the courses and descriptions for the 2016 training opportunities listed in this publication. On behalf of our dedicated staff of training personnel, we appreciate your selection of the Ohio State Highway Patrol Academy as the place to train your officers, and for entrusting your people to our Academy. We take very seriously the fact that you put your trust in us to train your officers for their important roles in your agency.

Sincerely,



*Colonel Paul A. Pride
Superintendent*





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OHIO STATE HIGHWAY PATROL ACADEMY

General Information

Academy Hours

8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m., Monday – Friday. Classes begin at 9:00 a.m. on the first day of the course unless otherwise noted in the course description.

Where will classes be held?

All classes are held at the Highway Patrol Academy, 740 East 17th Avenue, Columbus, Ohio, unless otherwise noted in the course description.

Who is eligible to enroll?

Enrollment is open to commissioned peace officers who are sponsored by their agency. We reserve the right to limit the number of students from a single department to ensure equitable representation of officers in a class.

Where will I be staying?

Officers enrolled in the Basic Peace Officer Course will reside at the Academy during training. Basic officers are restricted to the Academy during the week. For students enrolled in any other courses, rooms are subject to availability. Please contact the Academy Scheduler for accommodations at (614) 466-4896. Included is a list of hotels if you wish to make your own arrangements.

Is there a dress code?

Formal dress is not required; however, appropriate casual business attire is required. Students are not permitted to wear jeans, shorts, sandals, tee shirts or ball caps.

What should I bring for “down time?”

A variety of leisure training facilities are available to officers in training, including an indoor training tank, fitness room and gymnasium. Students should bring appropriate attire for these activities. Computer labs are available and a limited WiFi connection is available for personal laptops.

HOTEL INFORMATION

Listed are hotels that are available for officers who want to make their own lodging arrangements.

Fairfield Inn Suites	3031 Olentangy River Rd.	614-267-1111
Hilton Garden Inn	3232 Olentangy River Rd.	614-263-7200
Springhill Suites	1421 Olentangy River Rd.	614-297-9912
Doubletree by Hilton	175 Hutchinson Dr.	614-885-3334
Hyatt Place	7490 Vantage Dr.	614-846-4355
Quality Inn & Suites	7500 Vantage Dr.	614-436-0556
Best Western	2045 Polaris Parkway	614-396-5100
Candlewood Suites	8515 Lyra Dr.	614-436-6600
Four Points by Sheraton	8505 Pulsar Place	614-844-5888
Holiday Inn Express	2010 Polaris Parkway	614-825-0824

HOW DO I REGISTER FOR CLASSES?

Course registration is only available online at www.statepatrol.ohio.gov/training.stm. You can make a reservation for one or more of the courses outlined in this book by using the Public Safety Training Campus located under Quick Links. If you are already a user in the Training Campus, you may log on and register for the desired course. If you are not a user, please click on the “New User” link or email the Help Desk at ServiceDesk@dps.ohio.gov to obtain a user ID and password.

Your agency will be billed for non-funded courses after completion.

NOTE: The Basic Peace Officer Training course requires a special application. The agency sponsoring an individual should apply for entry to Basic Peace Officer Training; send email correspondence to OSHP_Academy@dps.ohio.gov.

2016 TRAINING CALENDAR

Basic Peace Officer Training

No. 135 – February 8, 2016 – June 24, 2016
No. 136 – August 15, 2016 – January 6, 2017

OVI Detection & Standardized Field Sobriety Testing

This course will be offered regionally in 2016. Please check the Public Safety Training Campus for dates.

Crash Investigation

Basic Traffic Crash Investigation

No. 202 – March 21 – 25, 2016

Intermediate Traffic Crash Investigation

No. 13 – June 20 – 24, 2016

Technical Traffic Crash Investigation

No. 73 – September 12 – 23, 2016

Commercial Motor Vehicle (CV SAFE)

No. 24 – March 15 – 17, 2016

Criminal Patrol/ Drug Interdiction

No. 74 – February 2 – 3, 2016

Electronic Speed Measuring Device (ESMD) Operator

No. 183 – October 17 – 21, 2016

Firearms, Arrest, and Self-Defense Tactics (FAST)

No. 108 – October 3 – 7, 2016

Judges & Prosecutors Seminars

OVI Detection & Standardized Field Sobriety Testing – December 6, 2016
Electronic Speed Measuring Devices (ESMD) – December 13, 2016

Basic Surveillance Operations

No. 5 – June 14 – 16, 2016

Mid-Ohio Advanced Emergency Vehicle Operations Training

Spring Session 2016

No. 15	March 21, 2016	9A to 4P
No. 16	March 22, 2016	9A to 4P
No. 17	March 23, 2016	9A to 4P
No. 18	March 24, 2016	9A to 4P
No. 19	March 28, 2016	9A to 4P
No. 20	March 29, 2016	9A to 4P
No. 21	March 30, 2016	9A to 4P
No. 22	March 31, 2016	9A to 4P
No. 23	April 4, 2016	9A to 4P
No. 24	April 11, 2016	9A to 4P
No. 25	April 12, 2016	9A to 4P
No. 26	April 13, 2016	9A to 4P
No. 27	April 14, 2016	9A to 4P
No. 28	April 18, 2016	9A to 4P

Fall Session 2016

No. 29	October 11, 2016	9A to 4P
No. 30	October 12, 2016	9A to 4P
No. 31	October 13, 2016	9A to 4P
No. 32	October 17, 2016	9A to 4P
No. 33	October 18, 2016	9A to 4P
No. 34	October 19, 2016	9A to 4P
No. 35	October 20, 2016	9A to 4P
No. 36	October 24, 2016	9A to 4P
No. 37	October 25, 2016	9A to 4P
No. 38	October 26, 2016	9A to 4P
No. 29	October 27, 2016	9A to 4P
No. 40	October 31, 2016	9A to 4P
No. 41	November 1, 2016	9A to 4P
No. 42	November 2, 2016	9A to 4P

REGIONAL TRAINING UNIT

The Regional Training Unit (RTU) is designed to be an extension of the Highway Patrol Training Academy. It is an outreach training program sponsored by the Ohio Department of Public Safety that offers the opportunity for our Ohio law enforcement partners to attend much needed training in their regional area without requiring travel to Columbus.

Training is developed on a continual basis and posted to the Public Safety Training Campus (PSTC). This is a web-based program containing the Academy and RTU course catalogs. All members of the Ohio law enforcement community are encouraged to register with the Department of Public Safety and Ohio State Highway Patrol in order to search and register for available courses.

To obtain access to the PSTC, please contact the Department of Public Safety Help Desk at ServiceDesk@dps.ohio.gov (type "new user" in the e-mail subject line).

Once a user ID and password has been issued, a system user may search the course catalog for available courses and may register to attend. All course attendees will receive a certificate upon the completion of a training course.

Public Safety Training Campus Course Catalog

When searching for a course in the PSTC, users can search by course id, location or date. All Highway Patrol course id's will begin with the letters "OSP". All course id's are listed under the course title in this catalog.

Hosting Agencies

The RTU partners with various colleges, universities, vocational schools, high schools and other law enforcement agencies to obtain logistical support and facilities for training. If your agency wishes to host regional training courses, please contact the RTU at (614) 466-4896, or via e-mail at ADRTU@dps.ohio.gov.



BASIC PEACE OFFICER TRAINING

The Basic Peace Officer curriculum meets all the required standards for basic law enforcement training in Ohio. The students are provided with quality instruction in all subject matters prescribed by the Ohio Peace Officer Training Commission. Additional advanced training is provided in several subject areas critical to the successful job performance of the modern law enforcement officer.

A special emphasis is placed on human relations training and on developing the officer's most frequently used skills. Experts in the many fields of criminal justice are brought to the Academy to present qualified instruction in their critical subject areas. Every officer is given specialized instruction in emergency vehicle operations, firearms proficiency and safety, self-defense tactics, physical conditioning, standardized field sobriety testing and electronic speed measuring devices.

Applications for Basic Peace Officer Classes will be made available to agencies 90 days prior to the class commencing. Classes will be limited to 30 trainees and the roster will be filled by the first 30 completed applications received. In addition, a physical fitness assessment must be completed within 30 days of the class start date in order to ensure trainees meet the minimum standards prior to the start of the class. On the first day of the Basic Peace Officer Training, all candidates will be tested for minimum acceptance standards. Those that fail to meet these standards will be dismissed from training.

Each student must bring a service handgun and 2,500 rounds of non-frangible, copper jacketed, clean-fire/reduced lead ammunition. This ammunition should be of a weight in grains comparable to the agency's duty ammunition. In addition, each student must bring an agency shotgun if other than a Remington 870, two cases of buckshot ammunition and one case of slug ammunition.

Course	Dates of Course	Class Size	Length	Meals Provided	Lodging Provided
Basic 135	2/8/16 – 6/24/16 *	30	20 weeks *	Yes	Yes
Basic 136	8/15/16 – 1/6/17 *	30	21 weeks *	Yes	Yes

*Tentative based on Curriculum changes

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OVI DETECTION & STANDARDIZED FIELD SOBRIETY

Course ID: OSP-OVISFST

This four-day course is designed to enhance the skills required to detect, apprehend and prosecute persons operating a vehicle while under the influence of alcohol and/or drugs. The course includes classroom instruction and controlled exercises structured to give the officer practical experience in the evaluation of the adverse effects of alcohol/drugs on driving ability. In these exercises, the student is required to observe persons who have consumed controlled quantities of alcohol. Each exercise allows the student to use the most up-to-date sobriety testing to evaluate the condition of the drinker.

Classroom subjects include a detailed study of the elements of Ohio's OVI law, the drunk driver problem, enforcement decisions, chemical testing rules and regulations, arrest procedures, operating a video camera in the patrol car to apprehend and prosecute impaired drivers, and courtroom testimony. Students are trained and certified in both the theory and practice of the standardized improved sobriety test battery, consisting of the horizontal gaze nystagmus test, walk-and-turn test, and one-leg stand test, as developed and recommended by the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration.

** Please check in Public Safety Training Campus for upcoming regional dates for 2016.



BASIC TRAFFIC CRASH INVESTIGATION

Course ID: OSP-BTCI

This five-day course will provide the investigator with the necessary tools and skills to conduct a thorough crash investigation and properly document the physical evidence to prepare for testimony.

This course will introduce the methodology for proper measuring techniques, questioning drivers and witnesses as well as skidmark identification and analysis. The student will also be introduced to calculating speed from physical evidence to include adjusting drag factors. Controlled experiments will be conducted during the course in order for the student to apply these concepts to actual field situations.

Students are required to bring a hand calculator with a square root function.

Course Number and Dates	Class Size	Length	Meals Provided	Lodging Provided	Cost
#202 3/21/16 – 3/25/16	30	5 Days	Yes	When Available	None to Agency; NHTSA funded



INTERMEDIATE CRASH INVESTIGATION

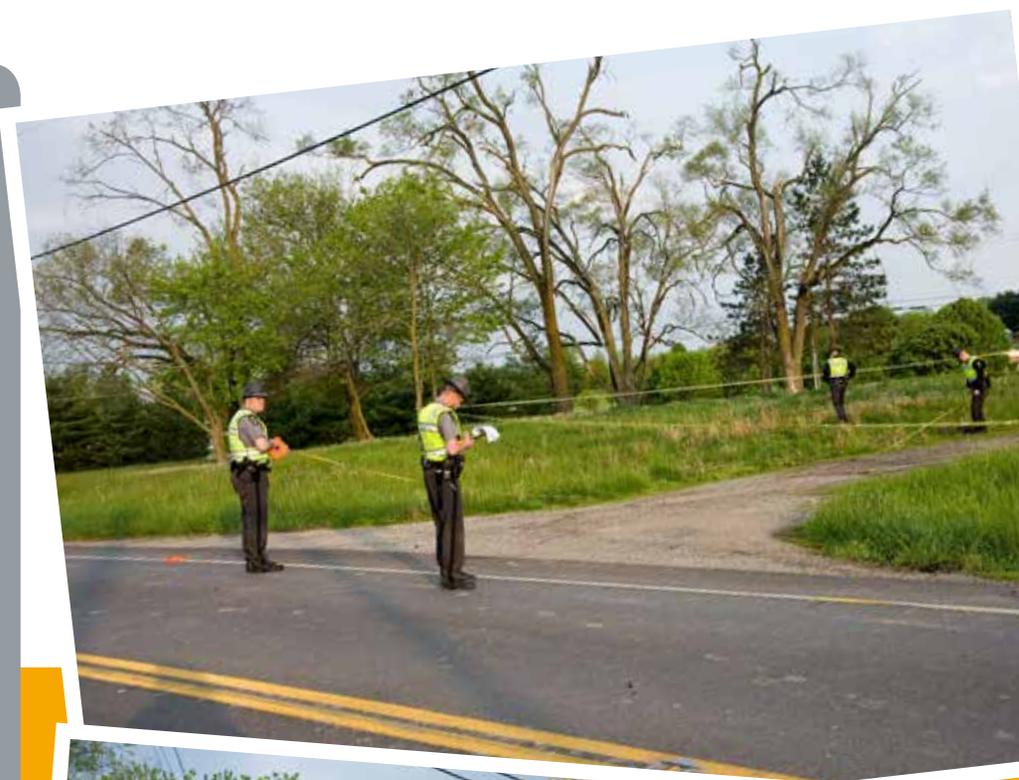
Course ID: OSP-ITCI

This five-day course is a continuation of the Basic Traffic Crash Investigation. Emphasis will be placed on proper documentation of physical evidence and questioning drivers and witnesses. Additional topics include damage analysis, scale diagramming and speed determination from physical evidence. Additional controlled experiments will be conducted to reinforce course objectives.

Prerequisite: Basic Traffic Crash Investigation or its equivalent (Min 40 hrs) **Must send certificate of completion of prerequisite course to ADRTU@dps.ohio.gov prior to the start of the class.**

Equipment Needed:

- Scientific calculator
- Drafting compass
- Drafting pencils and pens
- Non-marring eraser



Course Number and Dates	Class Size	Length	Meals Provided	Lodging Provided	Cost
#13 6/20/16 – 6/24/16	30	5 Days	Yes	When Available	None to Agency; NHTSA funded

TECHNICAL CRASH INVESTIGATION

Course ID: OSP-TTCI

This 10-day course is designed to expand the student's knowledge base previously developed in the Intermediate Crash Investigation Course. This course will further delve into the topics of speed determination from flips, vaults and falls. It will further explore the areas of kinetic energy and speed determination from momentum analyses. The student will also learn to conduct lamp examinations and tire analyses. In addition, determining of the principle direction of force will be used to assist the investigator's understanding of the forces involved during the impact phase of a collision.

Prerequisite: The student must have successfully completed the Intermediate Crash Investigation Course or its equivalent. (Minimum 40 hours)
Must send certificate of completion of prerequisite course to ADRTU@dps.ohio.gov prior to the start of class

Equipment needed: Scientific calculator (sine, cosine and tangent functions required)
Drafting compass
Drafting pens and pencil (.5 to .7 lead)
Non-marring eraser

Course Number and Dates	Class Size	Length	Meals Provided	Lodging Provided	Cost
#73 9/12/16 – 9/23/16	30	10 Days	Yes	When Available	None to Agency; NHTSA funded



COMMERCIAL MOTOR VEHICLE (CV SAFE) Course ID: OSP-CMVSAFECA

During this three-day course, the field officer will become familiar with Commercial Vehicle Enforcement. The course provides instruction on commercial driver's license (CDL), commercial vehicle registration, fuel tax, size and weight enforcement, and oversize permit. The course will provide general vehicle familiarization by classroom instruction and actual commercial vehicle demonstration. Hazardous materials recognition and familiarization will also be discussed.

Course Number and Dates	Class Size	Length	Meals Offered	Lodging Offered	Cost
#24 3/15/16 - 3/17/16	30	3 Days	Yes	When Available	None



CRIMINAL PATROL/DRUG INTERDICTION

Course ID: OSP-CPDI

During this two-day course, the field officer will learn to detect and apprehend criminals who use our streets and highways. This course provides an introduction to drug interdiction. Course includes: Identifying the drug courier; legal issues surrounding the use of drug courier indicators; search and seizure; questioning and evaluating the courier; safeguards in handling drug evidence; and officer safety.

Additional course topics include homeland security awareness, vehicle VINs, ATV & watercraft VINs, drug detection canines, bomb & explosives awareness, methamphetamine lab detection, special concealed weapons, fraudulent documents, vehicle searches, hidden compartments and commercial vehicle interdiction.

Course Number and Dates	Class Size	Length	Meals Provided	Lodging Provided	Cost
#74 2/2/16 – 2/3/16	100	2 Days	Yes	When Available	None



ELECTRONIC SPEED MEASURING DEVICES (ESMD) OPERATOR

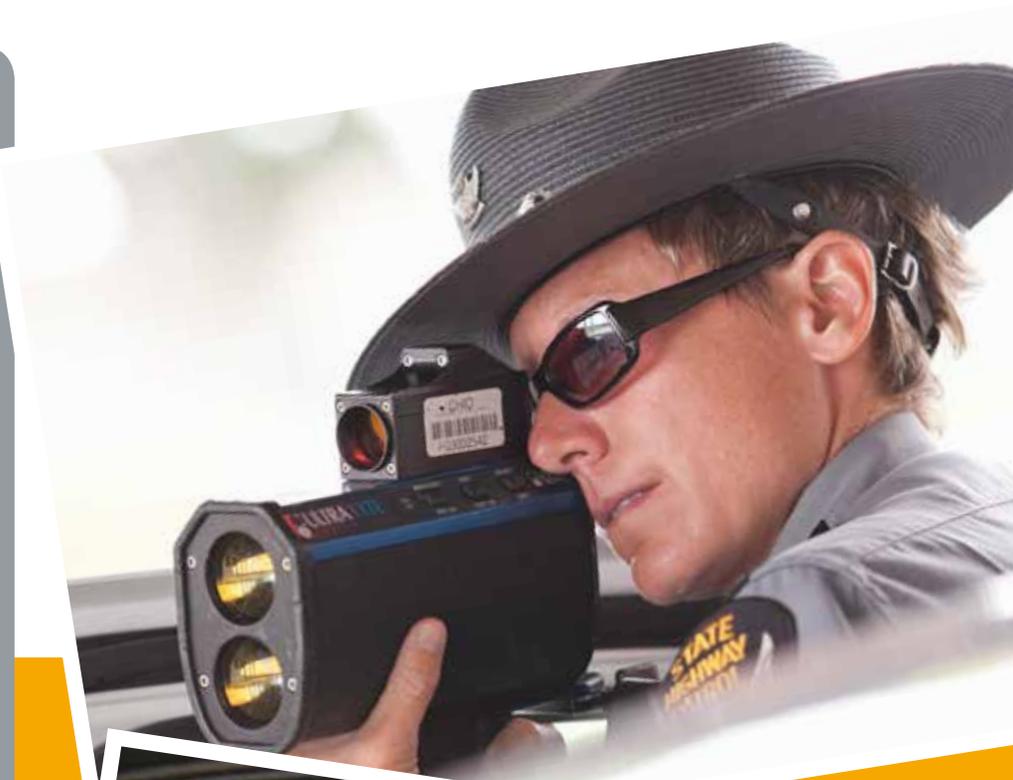
Course ID: OSP-ESMDOP

The use of radar and laser speed measuring devices and the training of police officers who use radar and lasers have come under scrutiny by the public, courts and the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA). Radar and lasers are reliable and accurate speed measuring devices when used by properly trained, experienced operators. This five-day course surpasses the training criteria established by NHTSA and provides the training and practical experience required to ensure the proper operation of electronic speed measuring devices.

Topics covered in this course include introduction to radar/laser, theory and technical aspects of radar, theory and technical aspects of laser, target identification, ESMD case law and pre-trial preparation, 16 hours of practical exercises, and moot court.

Equipment provided: Radars, lasers, and vehicles for practical classes.
ESMD Course Manual

Course Number and Dates	Class Size	Length	Meals Provided	Lodging Provided	Cost
#183 10/17/16 – 10/21/16	30	5 days	Yes	When Available	None to Agency; NHTSA funded



FIREARMS, ARREST, AND SELF-DEFENSE TACTICS (FAST) Course ID: OSP-FAST

This five-day course deals specifically with officer safety and survival. This course is designed to accommodate both men and women. In addition, a program for women only is offered which deals with specific issues that female officers face relative to their daily operations. Please note females can be enrolled in any of the training courses below.

This course includes topics such as deadly errors, active shooter training, critical incident survival, firearms field trip, subject control tactics, cover and concealment, officer survival, psyche of survival, captured officer survival, react-fire-win, hostile environment reaction and simmunitions scenarios.

Equipment needed:

Service Weapon	500 Rounds/Clean Fire Ammo
Protective Body Armor	Professional Casual Clothing
Scuff Clothing (B.D.U.s) (3 pr)	Gym Clothing
Rain Gear	Long Sleeve Sweatshirt
Flashlight	

Equipment provided:

Shotguns
Shotgun Ammunitions

Course Number and Dates	Class Size	Length	Meals Provided	Lodging Provided	Cost
#108 10/3/16 – 10/7/16	30	5 days	Yes	When Available	\$125



JUDGES & PROSECUTORS SEMINARS

Advanced Detection, Apprehension, & Prosecution of Persons Under the Influence of Alcohol (OVI)

Course ID: OSP-JPSeminarsSFST

The purpose of this class is to familiarize full-time judges and prosecutors throughout the State of Ohio, with the methods and technical elements regarding the apprehension and prosecution of the impaired drivers. There will also be a review of current case law trends from around the State of Ohio resulting from the prosecution of OVI offenders.

Upon completion of this course, the attendees will have a thorough understanding of the critical elements necessary to successfully prosecute the impaired driver and the case laws that also affect such prosecutions. Highly trained and experienced veterans who are considered leaders in their respective fields will be the instructors used to teach this six hour block of instruction. PowerPoint handouts and the certified NHTSA OVI Detection and Standardized Field Sobriety Testing manual will be provided for note taking and future reference. The number of CLE hours received will be determined by the Ohio Supreme court prior to the course commencing.

Course Number and Dates	Class Size	Length	Meals Provided	Lodging Provided	Cost
12/6/16	30	1 day	Yes	No	None to Agency; NHTSA funded



Electronic Speed Measuring Devices

Course ID: OSP-JPSeminarsESMD

The purpose of this class is to familiarize full-time judges and prosecutors throughout the State of Ohio with the theory, technical, and operational aspects of Electronic Speed Measuring Devices (ESMD) used within the state of Ohio. Upon completion of this course, the attendees will have a good understanding of training and operational requirements required for effective and reliable ESMD operation by professional law enforcement officers. State approved ESMD instructors are used to teach this seven hour block of instruction. The certified instructors have used the RADARs and LIDARs and have experience in repairing them. A class textbook and PowerPoint handouts are provided for note taking and future reference. This portion of the training is administered by Judge Teresa L. Liston.

Part of the course is dedicated to practical judicial information including admissibility, judicial notice and testimony pertaining to Electronic Speed Measuring Devices.

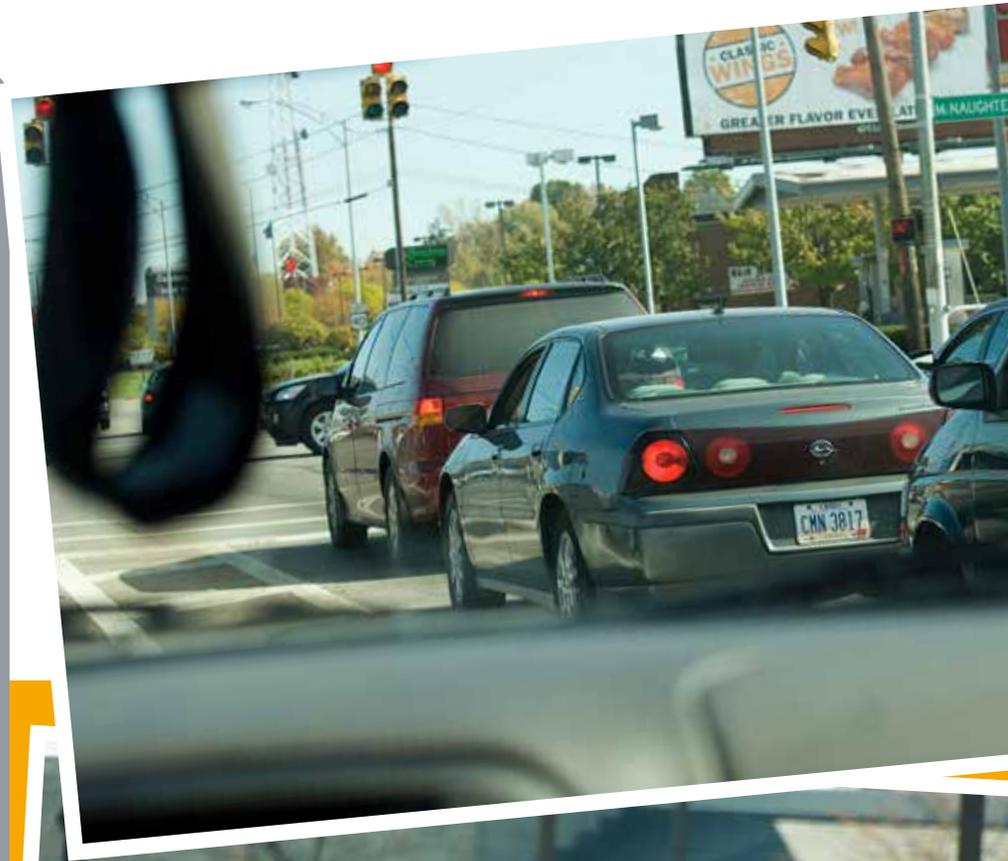
Course Number and Dates	Class Size	Length	Meals Provided	Lodging Provided	Cost
12/13/16	30	1 day	Yes	No	None to Agency; NHTSA funded



BASIC SURVEILLANCE OPERATIONS

Course ID: OSP-BASICSURVOPS

The purpose of this three-day course is to train officers on how to plan and conduct covert surveillance operations on targeted suspects. Through classroom instruction and practical scenarios, officers will learn to utilize the techniques, equipment, and principles of planning and conducting stationary, vehicle, foot, and aerial covert surveillance.



Course Number and Dates	Class Size	Length	Meals Provided	Lodging Provided	Cost
#5 6/14/16 – 6/16/16	20	3 day	Yes	When Available	None

MID-OHIO ADVANCED EMERGENCY VEHICLE OPERATIONS TRAINING - ADVANCED DRIVER TRAINING

Course ID: OSP-MIDOH

The Ohio State Highway Patrol Advanced Driver Training for Outside Agencies schedule will be held at Mid-Ohio Sports Car Track in Lexington, Ohio, one of the premier driving facilities in the country. This 6-hour block of instruction at Mid-Ohio includes advanced emergency vehicle operations training in performance driving, skid avoidance, emergency decision making and vehicle dynamics.

Agencies are encouraged to visit the Mid-Ohio Sport's Track website at midohio.com, for directions and general familiarization prior to reporting to the training session. Upon arrival, each officer will be required to sign a waiver form at the front gate and will then be directed to the appropriate classroom location. Registration will be required to be entered into the Public Safety Training Campus website and available seats will be filled based upon receipt of registration.

Mid-OH Sports Car Course
7721 Steam Corners Rd
Lexington, Ohio 44904

Course Number and Dates	Class Size	Cost
#15 3/21/16	26	None
#16 3/22/16	26	None
#17 3/23/16	26	None
#18 3/24/16	26	None
#19 3/28/16	26	None
#20 3/29/16	26	None
#21 3/30/16	26	None
#22 3/31/16	26	None
#23 4/4/16	26	None
#24 4/11/16	26	None

Course Number and Dates	Class Size	Cost
#25 4/12/16	26	None
#26 4/13/16	26	None
#27 4/14/16	26	None
#28 4/18/16	26	None
#29 10/11/16	26	None
#30 10/12/16	26	None
#31 10/13/16	26	None
#32 10/17/16	26	None
#33 10/18/16	26	None
#34 10/19/16	26	None
#35 10/20/16	26	None
#36 10/24/16	26	None

Course Number and Dates	Class Size	Cost
#37 10/25/16	26	None
#38 10/26/16	26	None
#39 10/27/16	26	None
#40 10/31/16	26	None
#41 11/1/16	26	None
#42 11/2/16	26	None

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