"Undercover Violence"

Monday, July 21, 2014 Galveston County Deputy Sheriff's Association Hall 11021 Delaney Road La Marque, TX 77568

The East Region of the Texas Narcotic Officers Association in conjunction with CLEAT is co-sponsoring an 8 hour (TCOLE Accredited) class entitled "UNDERCOVER VIOLENCE" in La Marque, Texas. The course will be *LIMITED TO 80 STUDENTS*, so reserve your spot as soon as possible. Lunch will be provided. The TNOA East Region Board elections will take place before the lunch break.

Registration will begin at 0730 hours and class will start promptly at 0800 hours on Monday, July 21, 2014, at the Galveston County Deputy Sheriff's Association Hall, 11021 Delaney Road, La Marque, TX 77568. Map and Directions: <u>http://mapq.st/1fYaatE</u>

Course Description: Undercover narcotic operations are a necessary tool to effectively target drug traffickers operating in our communities. All too often, police departments fail to provide their newly assigned "Narcotic Investigators" with any type of training prior to starting undercover work. This can lead to serious mistakes that can cost officers their lives. During this course officers will be exposed to "operations gone wrong" that will demonstrate various teaching points.

Case studies will be presented with interviews of undercover officers involved in operations that resulted in the officer being injured and/or officer's use of deadly force. Topics to be covered will include but not limited to: Dangers of working with outside agencies, results of poor planning, "Fight or Flight", and carrying police identification during buy-bust operations to name a few. There will be an open discussion after each case study. Exposure to these case studies can aid you in future undercover operations. Instructors include "active and current" narcotic officers will participate in this course and will be available for question and answer.

The fee for the course is FREE to TNOA members and \$40.00 for non-members. Request to attend this course may be sent via e-mail to <u>jmcclain@houstonhidta.net</u>. Please include Name, Agency, PID, DOB and a contact phone number. Payment can be done through PayPal at <u>www.tnoa-eastregion.org</u> under the Training tab. Agency checks or purchase orders should be mailed to: TNOA East Region C/O Jerry McClain, PO Box 3515, Humble, Texas 77347. All fees are due by July 14, 2014. There will be no refunds for cancellations after that date.

For inquiries regarding the course, payment or other questions contact Jerry McClain at 281-808-5929 or <u>jmcclain@houstonhidta.net</u> or Juan Martinez, <u>jamart669@yahoo.com</u>.