



“Undercover Techniques and Survival for Narcotic Officers”

Joe Max Taylor Criminal Justice Center
601 54th Street
Galveston, Texas 77551

Monday, September 26, 2016 through Friday, September 30, 2016

The Texas Narcotic Officers’ Association, DEA-Houston Field Office and the Galveston Police Department will host a 40-hour training course entitled **“Undercover Techniques and Survival for Narcotic Officers”** provided by the Midwest Counterdrug Training Center in Galveston, Texas. Registration is **OPEN** and limited, so reserve your spot as soon as possible through MCTC at:

www.counterdrugtraining.com/default.aspx?act=EBCoursesDetail.aspx&startrow=1&courseid=134&menuitemid=219 TCOLE credit will be available for this course.

Check in will begin at 0715 hours and the class will start promptly at 0800 hours on Monday, September 26, 2016, at the Joe Max Taylor Criminal Justice Center, 601 54th Street, Galveston, Texas 77551.

Undercover Techniques and Survival for Narcotics Officers is designed for law enforcement officers who are beginning to work undercover in narcotics operations or have worked undercover for some time. The basic portion of the course will be essential for newer undercover officers and definitely provide veterans with a solid reminder of important principles of working undercover. The course will move into advanced undercover techniques and audio/video surveillance techniques which are rapidly changing with the introduction of new technology. The "survival" portion of the classroom instruction will definitely impact all undercover officers and assist them in keeping themselves safe while working in undercover operations.

COURSE TOPICS: • Covert operations • Informants • Preparation of the undercover officer • Undercover background and role • Approaches to the violator • Undercover survival techniques • Force on force techniques • Audio/video electronic surveillance equipment and techniques • Planning undercover operations • Special undercover techniques • Legal aspects and testifying in court • Post incident procedures • Psychological effects of undercover operations

This is a tuition **FREE** course and is open to all law enforcement personnel and US Military.

Hotel: San Luis Hotel, 5222 Seawall Blvd, Galveston, Texas 77551 (409) 744-1500

Any questions regarding this course or registration should be directed to Special Agent Arthur Hitchins at 713-693-3699 or Arthur.M.Hitchins@usdoj.gov and TNOA State Training Officer Jerry McClain at 281-808-5929 or jmclain@houstonhidta.net or Galveston P.D. Training Sgt. Courtney at 409-765-3640.