**East Central Illinois Police Training Project MTU 12**

**TO:** Law Enforcement Administrators

**FROM:** Kevin Koontz, Police Training Director

**DATE:** March 10, 2025

**RE:** Training Announcement

***DUI Detection & Field Sobriety Testing*** will be held on **May 19-21st, 2025** at the ILEAS Training Center. This course is certified by the Illinois Law Enforcement Training and Standards Board for the following mandates:

* Constitutional & Proper Use of Law Enforcement Authority (6.0hrs)
* Civil Rights (6.0hrs with 6.0hrs Scenario-based credit)
* Legal Updates (8.0hrs)
* Procedural Justice (4.0hrs with 2.0hrs Scenario-based credit)

***Course Description:***

This course will familiarize patrol officers with the most recent and effective procedures for testing drivers for intoxication at roadside.  Officers will learn how to properly conduct field sobriety tests developed by the National Highway Traffic Safety Administration (NHTSA), including *horizontal gaze nystagmus*, and how to describe DUI evidence clearly and convincingly in written reports and verbal testimony.  Lecture and practical demonstrations will be supplemented by video samples of actual DUI stops.  Students will have the opportunity to conduct live sobriety tests on volunteer drinking subjects who are not members of the class.

*This course is funded by the Illinois Law Enforcement Training and Standards Board through a grant from the Illinois Department of Transportation, Division of Traffic Safety.*

This course is instructed by Officer Larry Brooks (DRE).

Please register officers via online registration at MTU12.com **by May 5th**.

**Department Sign-Up Sheet**

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Department Training Staff:

Please use this sheet as an inter-department sign up sheet for staff who are interested in registering for the course. Then, after determining staffing levels, department needs, etc… please visit [www.mtu12.com](http://www.mtu12.com) and register those who will be attending.

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**May 19 – 21st, 2025**

**DUI Detection & Field Sobriety Testing**

* Visual Detection of Drinking Drivers
* Behavioral Indications of Drug Influence
* Laws of DUI and Implied Consent
* Report Writing and Courtroom Testimony
* Intoxication Testing Exercises
* Psycho-Physical Field Sobriety Tests

**LOCATION:** ILEAS Training Center **HOURS:** 8:00 am - 4:00 pm

1701 East Main St. **TUITION:** - 0 -

Urbana, IL 61802

**INSTRUCTOR:**

**Officer Larry Brooks (DRE)**

Decatur PD (Retired)

Mt. Zion PD