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## Proclamation 3537—Peace Officers Memorial and Police Week

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*Whereas*, from the beginning of this Nation, law enforcement officers have played an important role in safeguarding the rights and freedoms which are guaranteed by the Constitution and in protecting the lives and property of our citizens; and

*Whereas*, through constant application of new procedures and techniques, such officers are becoming more efficient in their enforcement of our laws; and

*Whereas* it is important that our people know and understand the problems, duties, and responsibilities of their police departments and the necessity for cooperating with them in maintaining law and order; and

*Whereas* it is fitting and proper that we express our gratitude for the dedicated service and courageous deeds of law enforcement officers and for the contributions they have made to the security and well-being of all our people; and

*Whereas*, by a joint resolution approved October 1, 1962 (76 Stat. 676), the Congress has requested the President to designate May 15 of each year as Peace Officers Memorial Day and the calendar week during which such May 15 occurs as Police Week:

*Now, Therefore, I, John F. Kennedy*, President of the United States of America, do hereby designate May 15, 1963, and May 15 of each succeeding year, as Peace Officers Memorial Day, in honor of those peace officers who, through their courageous deeds, have lost their lives or have become disabled in the performance of duty.

I also designate the week of May 12 through May 18, 1963, and the calendar week during which May 15 occurs of each succeeding year, as Police Week, in recognition of the service given by the men and women who, night and day, protect us through enforcement of our laws.

I invite State and local governments, patriotic, civic, and educational organizations, and the people of the United States generally, to observe Peace Officers Memorial Day and Police Week in this year and each succeeding year with appropriate ceremonies in which all our people may join in commemorating law enforcement officers, past and present, who by their faithful and loyal devotion to their responsibilities have rendered a dedicated service to their communities, and, in so doing, have established for themselves an enviable and enduring reputation for preserving the rights and security of all citizens.

*In Witness Whereof*, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Seal of the United States of America to be affixed.

DONE at the City of Washington this fourth day of May in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and sixty-three, and of the Independence of the United States of America the one hundred and eighty-seventh.

JOHN F. KENNEDY

By the President:

GEORGE W. BALL,

Acting Secretary of State



Join us in the Memorial Rose Garden on **Thursday, May 16 at 7:30 AM** to honor those who have made the ultimate sacrifice!

# BASIC LAW ENFORCEMENT ACADEMY

## Congratulations BLEA Class 688 Graduates!

- ATKINSON, Matthew: Seattle PD
- AYERS, Beau: Bremerton PD
- CONNER, Clifton: Franklin Co. SO
- COREY, Joeseeph: Bremerton PD
- CRAMER, Eric: Clark Co. SO
- DROBYSHEV, Vitaliy: Bellevue PD
- FABBRICANTE, Michael: Seattle PD
- FAIDLEY, Christopher: Bremerton PD
- FARSTAD, Brandon: Upper Skagit Tribal PD
- GARNER, Matthew: Bellevue PD
- GRAYSON, Sandlin: Seattle PD
- JOHNSON, Loris: Seattle PD
- KUMCUR, Mustafa: Tukwila PD
- LARSON, Grant: Benton Co. SO
- LOGOTHETTI, Susan: Everett PD
- LOOS, Trevor: Redmond PD
- MARGHEIM, Gregory: Central WA University PD
- MAYZUS, Anton: Seattle PD
- OLSON, James: Seattle PD
- PENDT, Zachary: Seattle PD
- PUMPHREY JR., Ronald: Toledo PD
- RHINEBAH, Yan: Yakima PD
- ROBERSON, Matthew: Seattle PD
- SHALLOWAY, Steven: King Co. SO
- SMITH, Bryce: Clark Co. SO
- SORRELLS, Jesse: King Co. SO
- TCHOKOGOUE, James: Yakima PD
- VOROUS, Natalie: WA Dept. of Fish & Wildlife
- WILLIAMS, Thomas: Mattawa PD
- WILSON, Brandon: Lincoln Co. SO

Graduation Date: May 1, 2013

## BASIC LAW ENFORCEMENT ACADEMIES

SESSION	SELECTION DATE	PAT DATE	START DATE	GRAD DATE
689				05/30/2013
690				06/20/2013
Equivalency				06/27/2013
691				08/01/2013
692			05/09/2013	09/17/2013
693	5/8/2013	5/21/2013	6/4/2013	10/10/2013
694	6/11/2013	6/25/2013	7/9/2013	11/13/2013
Equivalency	6/17/2013	N/A	7/30/2013	9/26/2013

## Welcome BLEA Class 692!

- BARAN, Aaron: Mason Co. SO
- BARKER, Elizabeth: Bellevue PD
- BASS, John: Kitsap Co. SO
- BEISLER, Patrick: Skagit Co. SO
- BERTAINA, Cassandra: King Co. SO
- BILLINGTON, Charles: Mill Creek PD
- BLOCK, Travis: Monroe PD
- CLARK, George: Olympia PD
- EICHELBERGER, Matthew: Snohomish Co. SO
- FELDER, Anthony: Bellevue PD
- FISHER, Dale: Redmond PD
- FRAILEY, Paul: Olympia PD
- HAND, James: Monroe PD
- HAYES, Calen: Lincoln Co. SO
- IYALL, Richard: Nisqually Tribal PD
- KIRKWOOD, Sean: Kitsap Co. SO
- LEWIS, Timothy: King Co. SO
- LUCE, Tyson: Auburn PD
- LYONS, Paul: Kent PD
- NAULT, Joel: Squaxin Island Tribal PD
- NICHOLAS, Matthew: King Co. SO
- OYETUGA, Korede: Snohomish Co. SO
- REIL, Seth: Kennewick PD
- RICHARDSON, Andrew: Kent PD
- RICHARDSON, Timothy: Blaine PD
- SOPTICH, Dustin: Yakima PD
- SPITZER, Jacob: Spokane Co. SO
- TREADWAY, Matthew: King Co. SO
- TUDOR, Philip: King Co. SO
- WATTS, Randy: Spokane Co. SO

Start Date: May 9, 2013

# ADMINISTRATION

## Goodbye from AAG Jean E. Meyn

By Jean E. Meyn, Assistant Attorney General

I welcome the opportunity to bid farewell to all of you at the WSCJTC. You are dedicated to maintaining a well-trained law enforcement in the state of Washington – training which has repeatedly been recognized internationally, as well as nationally. It was my intention to assist you in this endeavor by seeking the assignment to be your legal advisor, which I began in April 2007. From eight and a half years as a prosecutor, three and a half years as a defense attorney, and time on the bench as a pro tem judge, I had already experienced firsthand the critical part law enforcement plays in achieving justice in the criminal system.

In addition to the regular contact with staff on a variety of legal issues over the last six years, I have gained the utmost respect for those of you who spend many hours volunteering on the certification hearing panels – dedicated to maintaining the integrity of the law enforcement profession. Many of the peace officers who went to hearing for being discharged for disqualifying misconduct were alleged to have been dishonest in some way during their employment, often during internal investigations. The volunteer panel members (a sheriff, police chief, two line officers, and a professor) always thoroughly assessed the evidence before arriving at a decision on revoking or not revoking the officer's certification – but, when you did find the evidence met the high burden of proof of clear, cogent, and convincing evidence – most of you were not hesitant to revoke your fellow officers' certification who had been dishonest. Being in a profession which also polices itself, I understand the need to maintain the highest standards of integrity, and I highly respect and honor you for doing so.

You all will have quality representation from AAG John Hillman and the rest of the team at the Criminal Justice Division, all of whom work in Seattle. I will remain in Olympia and continue to represent the Department of Corrections and the Clemency and Pardons Board. But, I will miss you all while I continue to honor the work you do.

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## Welcome AAG John Hillman

**Please welcome WSCJTC's newest member of the team—AAG John Hillman!** AAG Hillman will take AAG Meyn's place as the agency's legal advisor. He will provide legal advice when requested by Commissioners and members of the WSCJTC Management Team, defend the agency in lawsuits, serve as the Advisor to the Hearing Panel for certification hearings, and compile and edit the Law Enforcement Digest.

### Education:

B.A., University of Washington  
J.D., Seattle University School of Law

### Career:

#### Pierce County Prosecuting Attorney's Office (1993-1995)

*Legal Intern*

- Felony Drug Unit

#### Pierce County Prosecuting Attorney's Office (1995-2007)

*Deputy Prosecuting Attorney*

- Prosecuted most all categories of crime
- Misdemeanor Division (1995), Juvenile Division (1996-1998), Felony Division (1998-2007)
- Last five years were in the Special Assault Unit prosecuting sex crimes, crimes against children, homicides, and felony DV cases

#### Attorney General's Office (2007-present)

*Assistant Attorney General*  
Criminal Litigation Unit

- Duties have primarily been prosecuting criminal cases in any of Washington's 39 counties
- The AGO prosecutes criminal cases at the request of the local county prosecutor, which usually occurs when:
  - ⇒ the local prosecutor's office has a conflict of interest; or
  - ⇒ it is a complex case in a small rural county and the local prosecutor's office needs assistance

**Other:** In college, John worked summers as a firefighter for the California Dept. of Forestry & Fire Protection.

**Hobbies/Interests:** Playing basketball, college and pro sports, and family activities.

**Family:** John has a wife, Maria, who is a 1st grade school teacher for the Edmonds School District. They have two children, ages 14 and 16, who keep them very busy!



# ADMINISTRATION

## How to Reserve a WSCJTC Classroom for Training or Meeting Purposes

By Nichol Girten, Administrative Assistant

The WSCJTC reserves classrooms to law enforcement agencies (no fee) and non-law enforcement state and government agencies (fee required) for training and meeting purposes. The information below is required when placing a reservation inquiry. This information allows us to better understand the event and make appropriate accommodations. You are also welcome to make an appointment to view the classroom you are interested in reserving. Please send reservations inquiries to [rooms@cjtc.state.wa.us](mailto:rooms@cjtc.state.wa.us).

- **Name of event**
- **Date**
- **Time of event (start/end)**
- **Total # of attendees**
- **Arrival time for setting up**
- **Requested classroom**
- **IT needs**
- **# of breakout room(s)**
- **# of attendees per room**
- **Breakout room(s) IT needs**



**If you are planning to hold any hands-on training exercises you must reserve this time and space as well. Will you be conducting this type of training while using our facility? If yes, describe exercise:**

- **Point of contact information**
- **State/government agency name**
- **Catering vendor: Outside vendor or Academy Café**

Once a reservation inquiry is received, if we have any clarification questions, a date or classroom is not available, we will notify you. Once all the details of your reservation inquiry have been decided, we will send you a confirmation email. If any changes or further inquiries arise, reply with the confirmation with the changes or inquiries. This response process allows for better tracking of the event as hundreds of events come through the WSCJTC campus each year.

We look forward to having your event held on our campus!

## Our New Memorial Wall

By Nichol Girten, Administrative Assistant

Next time you are on campus, please stop by and take a few moments to visit our new Memorial Wall, located in the Olympic Building just outside classroom E-103. The idea began when the Corrections Division moved into the same building with the Basic Law Enforcement Academy (BLEA). Both divisions wanted to integrate, into one location, previous academies and the artwork they had done to recognize a fallen officer or a significant memorial event.



## ADMINISTRATION

### Temporary Salary Reduction Ends July 2013

By Greg Baxter, Human Resources Manager

As of April 17, it is about 97% sure that the 3% Temporary Salary Reduction (TSR) in effect since July 1, 2011, will end – as originally scheduled – July 1, 2013.



The 2013-2015 WFSE Master Agreement, ratified last October, includes restoration of bargaining unit members' reduced salaries. The State HR Director has issued guidance for restoring WMS and Merit System Exempt employees' salaries.

In short, effective July 1, 2013, everyone subject to the TSR gets a 3% pay raise which appears in paychecks on July 25. Only our Work Study / Interns, hired at the lowest step of their ranges, were never subject to the TSR, so their pay is unchanged.

The other issue demanding attention, and action, is TSR Leave balances. Everyone subject to the TSR accrues 5.2 hours of TSR Leave on the 16<sup>th</sup> of every month through June 2013. Generally, any TSR leave not taken by Friday, June 28, is gone on Monday, July 1. Employees can carry over no more than 16 hours of TSR Leave to use in July or August if – before July 1 - they submit a TSR Leave request. Even if an employee requests a 16 hours TSR Leave carryover, TSR Leave in excess of 16 hours is gone on July 1.

Employees should check their TSR balances on ESS, calculate what they will accrue and use before July 1 (bargaining unit members MUST consume TSR Leave before sick leave and vacation) and decide whether to make a timely request for a carry-over.

## INFORMATION TECHNOLOGY

### Personal Security

By LeLand Galland, IT Security Specialist

Personal security is the focus of this month's column. How you protect your technology devices, your email, and even banking information is very important. More and more, which is quite concerning if you really think about it, we are getting in the habit of thinking we are safe when we actually are not.

Scenario: You are on your lunch break, you go to the local coffee stand and decide that you will stick around instead of grab-n-go with your java. You sit at a table, drink your coffee, and play on your phone. You decide that you would like another cup-o-brew and leave your phone (and newspaper or what-not) at your table while you order your coffee; leaving it open for someone to steal, or worse, install a piece of malware on your phone.

How do you protect yourself? The simplest solution is to treat your phone/laptop or other technology device like a wallet. Don't just leave it anywhere. Protect it with whatever means you can. Install a pin number, passcode, or on Android devices you can install a pattern. These methods will stop immediate attacks to your phone and to your computer (password) in the event you leave it unattended.

Scenario: You are in the coffee shop and you can't seem to pay for your drink because for some reason your card won't run, so you politely dismiss yourself from the register and call your bank. Should we really be giving away personally identifying information out in public? This is one of the most common reasons for identity theft. It creates the ability for others around you to "snoop" in on your conversation, and some are actually hoping for these occurrences and interest themselves with sitting in their vehicles with specialized equipment to break into your unsecured call.

Several instances of your personal security, using wireless at your coffee shop or fast-food restaurant, pose a risk if you use your phone for personal use while on that unsecured connection. Do internet activity at home, where you are plugged in to your physical network, where you are technically the safest when browsing and doing important transactions, such as banking or submitting a payment to a bill. If you have built-in internet access on your phone and nobody is looking over your shoulder, this can be safe, under the right circumstances.



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**Training Calendar**

**May**

- 13:** Enrichment Night in WSCJTC Auditorium (5:30 PM)
- 13:** 0746-2 TERT Awareness (Member) at WSCJTC
- 13-15:** 2176 DT: Unarmed Level 2- Instructor Recertification at WSCJTC
- 13-17:** 681 FTO Academy in Marysville
- 13-17:** 4124 Pre-Supervisor Course in Burien
- 14:** 0747-2 TERT Leader at WSCJTC
- 15:** 8081 CIT Executive Roundtable at WSCJTC
- 15-17:** 0752-4 CTO II at Spokane Fire
- 15-17:** 2173 Impact Weapons Instructor Recertification in Burien
- 16:** 8076 CIT Youth (8 hr) at WSCJTC
- 20-24:** 0531 Firearms – Scout Sniper, Basic
- 20-24:** 4220 Middle Management in Spokane
- 21:** 718-1 COOP Workshop at WSCJTC
- 23:** 8080 Crisis Intervention Team Training—Force Options in Bremerton
- 23:** 718-2 COOP Workshop at Spokane Fire
- 28:** Day 2 of Veterans’ Workshop
- 28-31:** 0739-3 CTO at WSCJTC
- 28-31:** 2326 Level 1 Scoped Rifle Instructor (LE/PS) in Tacoma

**June**

- 1:** 5035-17 LEOSA Concealed Carry Qualification in Richland
- 3-4:** 0725-6 Telecommunicator I (Call Receiver) at Spokane
- 3-7:** 0725-6 Telecommunicator I at Spokane Fire
- 3-7:** 0681-8 FTO in Federal Way
- 3-7:** 2018-1 Handgun Instructor Level 2 at WSCJTC
- 3-7:** CIT-King CO 40-HR Basic at WSCJTC
- 3-14:** 1052-3 Misdemeanor Probation Counselor Academy (MPCA) at Burien
- 4-6:** 2079-1 OC Spray Instructor at WSCJTC
- 10-12:** 0752-3 CT02 at WSCJTC
- 10-13:** 0240-1 Homicide Investigation at WSCJTC
- 10-14:** 2014-4 Patrol Rifle Instructor in Spokane
- 12:** 5035-13 LEOSA Concealed Carry Qualification at Burien
- 12:** 8-HR CIT-Force Options (King Co. Class) at WSCJTC
- 13:** 8-HR CIT-Force Options at WSCJTC
- 16-30:** 2179-1 OC Spray Instructor Recertification—Online
- 17-18:** 2015-2 Firearms Instructor Update – Handgun at Vancouver
- 17-20:** 2015-2 Firearms Instructor Update in Vancouver
- 17-21:** CIT-King CO 40-HR Basic at WSCJTC
- 17-21:** 4220-4 Middle Management at WSCJTC
- 19:** 2024-2 Rifle Instructor Update in Vancouver
- 20:** 2028-1 Shot Gun Instructor Update in Vancouver
- 23-29:** 1996-1 Tactical Social Interaction at Spokane
- 24-28:** 4127-8 First Level Supervision at WSCJTC

**Happy Birthday!**

**May**

- 7:** Commissioners Myers & Satterberg
- 9:** Ruth Zschoche
- 13:** Tony Anderman & Mike O’Neill

**June**

- 12:** Peter Costa
- 23:** Tisha Jones
- 30:** Commissioner Warner