

COLORADO PEACE OFFICER STANDARDS AND TRAINING

TRAINING ANNOUNCEMENT

Through tax revenue generated from the legalization of marijuana, POST is providing several Advanced Roadside Impaired Driving Enforcement (ARIDE) and Standard Field Sobriety (SFST) Operator and Instructor Update courses free of charge throughout the State.

OFFICERS ARE NOT LIMITED TO ATTENDING COURSES HELD IN THEIR TRAINING REGION. ALL SFST AND ARIDE CLASSES AND LOCATIONS ARE <u>OPEN TO ALL LAW</u> ENFORCEMENT.

SFST Operator Training Dates			
Training Region	Host Agency/Location	Dates	
West Central	Gunnison County Sheriff's Office	November 11-13, 2015	
Southeast	Otero Junior College	November 19-21, 2015	
West Central	Mesa County Sheriff's Office	March 8-10, 2016	

SFST Instructor Update Training Dates			
Training Region	Host Agency/Location	Dates	
Greater Metro	Denver Police Protective Association	December 4, 2015	

NOTE-Denver Police Department hosts a free two-hour SFST Refresher/Recertification class the first Wednesday of every month 4:00pm to 6:00pm. Please contact John Blea at 720-337-1062 for further details.

<u>ARIDE Training</u> - The Advanced Roadside Impaired Driving Enforcement (ARIDE) program was created to address the gap in training between the Standardized Field Sobriety Testing (SFST) and the Drug Evaluation and Classification (DEC) Program. You must be currently SFST certified and demonstrate proficiency to become ARIDE certified.

ARIDE Training Dates			
Training Region	Host Agency/Location	Dates	
Greater Metro	Camp George West	November 4-5, 2015	
Southeast	Otero Junior College	December 8-8, 2015	
Central Mountain	Fountain Police Department	January 14-15, 2016	
West Central	Montrose Police Department	February 8-9, 2016	
West Central	Grand Junction Police Department	April 7-8, 2016	

^{*}All classes are from 8:00am to 5:00pm each day.

ALL courses are FREE OF CHARGE. To register for any of these classes please go to the POST Portal. For information on lodging scholarships/backfill, contact Carolyn Berry at 720-508-6725, carolyn.berry@state.co.us or Stefanie Mackey at 720-508-6718, stefanie.mackey@state.co.us.

^{**}More classes are being scheduled; POST will send additional information as the dates are set but be sure to check the POST Portal frequently.