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Mission of the Bergen County Police Chiefs Association

To secure a closer official and personal relationship among police officials in the County of Bergen; to secure unity of action in police matters; to elevate the standards of police institutions; to strive for advancement among all lines that pertain to the prevention and to the detection of crime and the promotion of police efficiency in general.

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"POLICE WORK IS NOT A JOB IT'S A CALLING"

DEDICATED TO THE MEN AND WOMEN OF LAW ENFORCEMENT



O Glorious archangel St. Michael, watch over us the POLICE OFFICER during our life, defend us against the assaults of the demon, assist us especially at the hour of our death. Obtain for us all a favorable judgment, and aid us in all our necessities, and keep us safe from harm as we keep others safe.....AMEN





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December, 2011

Dear Chiefs, Law Enforcement Officers, and Officials:

On behalf of County Executive Kathleen Donovan, the Board of Chosen Freeholders and our family of dedicated public servants, we want to extend our personal commitment to advancing professionalism and respect through superior education. Their support of our major initiatives in facilities, equipment, staffing and curricula has greatly contributed to our worldwide reputation for excellence.

This schedule represents an opportunity for our staff and partners to offer cutting edge training and education courses for all emergency services personnel.

With the uncertainty that faces our Emergency Services each day, we must insure that we are providing the best training possible to confront the many new threats and challenges facing us today. The Law and Public Safety Institute has always been held to the highest standards. As the Director, I fully intend on maintaining the level of standards brought forth by my predecessors and raise those standards wherever possible.

As you review the courses contained within this catalog, you will find that the benefits of our renewed partnership with the Bergen County Police Chiefs Association is clearly evident. With their foresight, along with our many other partners, OIC Lt. Michael Devine and his staff have realigned and broadened the scope of our educational offerings.

The dynamic collaboration of the emergency services community, the electorate, the private & non-profit sector and the general public has insured a superior level of service that continually addresses quality of life issues. We hope other institutions emulate us, and that we continue to grow, prosper and remain in the forefront. Thank you for your commitment to our organization, its mission, high standards and friendly customer service in everything we do.

If I can be of any service to you, please feel free to contact me at any time.

Sincerely,

Peter Hodge, Director
Bergen County Law & Public Safety Institute

MISSION STATEMENT

THE MISSION OF THE BERGEN COUNTY LAW & PUBLIC SAFETY INSTITUTE – POLICE, FIRE & EMS ACADEMIES IS TO PROVIDE:

Relevant, quality, training and educational programs and opportunities to police and law enforcement officers, fire fighters, emergency medical personnel, correction officers, government employees and the general public in all aspects of public safety.

Life safety programs which encourage and inspire participation and leadership by professionals and the public in meeting the ever changing cultural, social, educational and personal needs of the citizens of Bergen County to assure safety and improve the quality of life.

Opportunity to everyone for life-long learning in public safety credit, certificate and non-matriculated education.

Programs to encourage volunteers, individual initiative, teamwork and pro-active management to achieve and maintain the highest level of public safety.

An educational environment, with a minimum of barriers, to all motivated persons at the lowest possible cost to the student and the public.