



DEPARTMENT OF EMERGENCY SERVICES & PUBLIC PROTECTION POLICE OFFICER STANDARDS & TRAINING

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To: Chiefs of Police
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From: William E. Tanner, III
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Date: November 15, 2024

Subject: **POST Hate Crimes Policy "Train the Trainer"**

Attendees: Instructors currently or looking to add 524 (Hate and Bias Crimes)
as an Endorsement

Tuition: None

COURSE ANNOUNCEMENT

The Department of Emergency Services and Public Protection, Police Officer Standards and Training Council's Field Services Training Division is providing a one (1) day "**Hate and Bias Crime Model Policy "Train the Trainer" (T-t-T)**" session on the statewide POST-C Investigation and Reporting of Hate Crimes Statewide Policy. The training will take place on **Monday, December 16, 2024, from 9:00 A.M. to 12:00 P.M.** at the Connecticut Police Academy, 285 Preston Avenue, Meriden, 06450. **This course is mandatory for all current instructors with the 524 Instructor endorsement** and open to all other law enforcement personnel.

The course breaks down the Model Policy in its entirety, covering all components of the Policy and all the related legal, moral, and ethical requirements/expectations as follows:

- Purpose
- Policy
- Definitions
- Response and Reporting Protocols
- Training
- Prevention
- Reporting Requirements
- Legal updates on Hate and Bias Crimes
- Hate Bias Crime Reporting Form

Attendance in this class is unlimited. Please complete a registration form from the web and email it to William Tanner at post.fieldservices@ct.gov **no later than close of business on Friday December 6th, 2024**. If you have any questions, please contact the Field Services Division at 203-427-2625.

Students successfully completing the course will receive Review Training Credit in the following areas:

- **Area 524 Hate and Bias Crimes (3 hours)**

The uniform Dress Code for POST In-Service training (General Notice 23-02) will be in effect. We ask that all training supervisors inform assigned personnel that they are required to dress accordingly.

Training Officers: Please be sure to include your department email address and the **email AND POST ID of the student to be enrolled** (For all sworn personnel) on all applications to assure prompt communications of all in-service training matters regarding this training.

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Training on the Web: www.ct.gov/POST