Reno Police Department



Senior Auxiliary Volunteer Effort

Field Training Manual

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S.A.V.E. RECRUITS:

The objective of this program is to build upon the instruction that you have received to date and to familiarize you with command and specific duties.

This manual will be used as a guide to standardize the learning process for all new S.A.V.E. members.

Please carry this manual with you during this learning experience and use it as a resource as you continue in your S.A.V.E. career.

The duties discussed in this field training manual will be covered in at least one, and up to three ways.

DISCUSSED: The duty, and its components, will be explained in detail if the opportunity to perform it is not presented.

DEMONSTRATED: The Field Trainer will perform the listed duty for the new member as part of the daily duties, or in a mock demonstration.

PERFORMED: New members will perform the duties under the watchful eye of the Field Trainer.

NOT OBSERVED: The listed duty was not performed.

OR

NEEDS IMPROVEMENT: The New Member is having difficulty with field training. A different Field Trainer will be assigned, possibly at a different command, providing additional training.

As a new S.A.V.E. member you are encouraged to ask questions and request further demonstration if you are not comfortable with a duty which was demonstrated. If you feel uncomfortable with a duty, you are further encouraged to inform your Field Trainer of the discomfort.

If you or the Field Trainer feel that additional experience is needed performing the duty, it will be further explained or performed, within reason, until you are comfortable and proficient with the duty.

1 st Patrol	2 nd Patrol	3	Pre-Patrol Office Tasks
			Uniform Appearance
			Building Orientation
			Meeting schedule
			Red book procedures
			Mail in-box
			Pick up abandoned vehicle Service Request Forms (SRO)
			Review Vacation House Watch forms
			Review Graffiti Service Requests (black books)
			Pick up daily patrol information sheets (briefing materials)
			Check and refill posse box supplies
			Equipment check out (radio, holster, camera, car key)
			Door / Gate codes
-	2 nd Patrol	3 rd Patrol	Vehicle Procedures
			Vehicle Inspection (interior, exterior, fluid levels)
			Equipment inventory
			Complete initial entries in SAVE vehicle log for the patrol
			Damage reporting
			Car wash procedure
			Fueling the vehicle

1 st Patrol	2 nd Patrol	3 rd Patrol	Communications Procedures
			Cell phone operation
			Handheld radio operation
			Radio procedures
			Radio log on/off
-	2 nd Patrol	-	Patrol Procedures
			Seat belt usage (benefit reductions)
			Geographic awareness (frequently ask current location)
			Map book usage
			Accident protocol
			Driving skills (alert / evaluates surroundings)
			Buddy system (maintaining visual contact)
			Confrontation avoidance
			Person description (height, weight, clothing, etc.)
			Vehicle recognition (description, plate)
			Post abandoned vehicle
			School patrol
			Locate graffiti (SRO / Hotline procedures)
			Handicap parking code compliance
			Handicap parking violations (cite or warning)
			Radar speed monitoring
			Vacation House Watch check

-	2 nd Patrol	3 rd Patrol	Patrol Procedures (continued)
			Park patrols
			Downtown walking
			Traffic control
			Employee injury procedures
1 st Patrol	2 nd Patrol	3 rd Patrol	Post-Patrol Tasks
			Complete vehicle log
			Complete daily journal entries and turn in
			Radio check-in
			Radio holster return
			Cassette recorder return
			Car key return
			Camera return
			Citation drop off
			Turn in graffiti SROs
			Turn in abandoned vehicle SROs
			Complete situation reports