

## TENTATIVE AGENDA

### Wednesday, April 26, 2023

9:00 a.m. Registration Opens

10:00 a.m. **Call to Order, Welcome and Opening Remarks**

10:30 a.m. EDUCATIONAL SESSIONS

**No-Knock Warrants**

*Arnold Luciano and Bethany Tarpley, Jacks Griffith Luciano*

MASIT defense panel attorneys discuss current legal trends and obstacles associated with no-knock warrants, emphasizing local case studies for reference.

**Legal Landscape: Tort Act and Disappearing Immunity**

*Danny Griffith and Arnold Luciano, Jacks Griffith Luciano*

The Mississippi Court of Appeals has recently returned local verdicts questioning qualified immunity for vehicle pursuits and other law enforcement activities. Defense panel attorneys will discuss the current legal landscape in Mississippi and how these decisions affect law enforcement at the county level.

12:00 noon Lunch

1:30 p.m. EDUCATIONAL SESSIONS

**Community Events: Protecting the Public**

*Max Fenn, Department of Homeland Security*

Presentation will cover homeland security planning and preparedness resources for local and state law enforcement use in advance of special events and community-based policing, including protecting houses of worship and public gatherings as well as physical and cyber security resources for critical infrastructure.

**Jail Administration: Intake and Screening**

*Dax Salmon, OSS Academy*

OSS Academy trainers will discuss best practices for your jail administration. Potential topics of discussion include identifying suicide risks, differentiating between medical emergency and drug overdose, etc.

**Human Capital: Locating and Retaining the Best Candidates**

*Tony Carleton, Director, MS Law Enforcement Officer Training Academy*

We all struggle to staff our departments and jails. MLEOTA Director Tony Carleton will discuss best practices for attracting and keeping qualified officers in your departments.

5:00 p.m.     **Networking Reception**

**Thursday, April 27, 2023**

8:00 a.m.     Breakfast

8:30 a.m.     Registration Opens

9:00 a.m.     EDUCATIONAL SESSIONS

**Emerging Legal Trends: Why Are We Being Sued?**

*Stephen Campbell, Law Enforcement Risk Management Group*

LERMG offers comprehensive training opportunities for law enforcement officials. Law enforcement officers should have a working knowledge of developing laws relating to police civil liability and discipline and must be aware that they may be held accountable for decisions made. These sessions are structured to assist officers and agencies in making an assessment of their particular level of risk-exposure by examining court decisions that have interpreted acceptable standards of conduct by officers.

**Policies, Procedures and Training**

**Vehicle Pursuits**

**Wrongful Incarceration**

12:00 noon   Lunch

1:30 p.m.     **Emerging Legal Trends (continued)**

*Stephen Campbell, Law Enforcement Risk Management Group*

**Stop, Arrest and Search and the Fourth Amendment**

**Search Warrant Execution – High Risk Entry**

**Mental Health in Jails**

4:30 p.m.     Grand Prize Drawing  
Certificate of Attendance Distribution  
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