♦ FREE DWI training ◆ Guarding Texas Highways: Revisiting Impaired Driving Investigation & Prosecution

The Texas District and County Attorneys Association's (TDCAA) statewide DWI training in cooperation with the Texas Department of Transportation

This course is specifically designed for prosecutors and officers to attend together. It revisits the DWI case using the four steps in DWI investigation. If the initial traffic stop is suppressed, the whole case fails, so making valid stops is covered in the first segment. But it does not end there. Often the traffic violation gets sold short in trial, so this segment will also focus on presenting the vehicle in motion to a jury. Likewise, personal contact with the driver and SFSTs will get the same treatment. Finally, the course will cover getting and using breath and blood samples. This course is perfect for new officers and prosecutors, but it was also created for experienced folks who need to revisit and expand their skills. We are proud to offer 6 hours of TCOLE and CLE credit for peace officers and prosecutors to attend this free, high-quality training.

WHEN: Wednesday, August 16, 2023

WHERE: El Paso County Courthouse, 500 E. San Antonio Ave., 12th Floor, in the Ceremonial Courtroom, in El Paso

8:30-8:40 a.m.	Registration and introductions
8:40-10:00 a.m.	The Traffic Stop
10:00-10:15 a.m.	Break
10:15-11:45 a.m.	Personal Contact: Conversation with the Suspect
11:45 a.m1:00 p.m.	Lunch (provided free of charge)
1:00-2:30 p.m.	Using and Defending SFSTs
2:30-2:45 p.m.	Break
2:45-4:15 p.m.	Getting and Presenting Breath and Blood
4:15 p.m.	Adjourn



Registration for this seminar is available only online at www.tdcaa.com/training/#live-training. Because space may be limited and walk-ins may not be admitted, please register online promptly. In addition to this excellent free training, every attendee will receive two TDCAA publications: DWI Investigation & Prosecution and Traffic Stops. These books give attendees resources in many areas not covered by this conference.

