



The Cook County Department of Homeland Security  
and Emergency Management  
and the Illinois Tactical Officers Association present:



# Balancing the Badge

**By Lt. Jim Glennon**

**Date: Friday, November 18, 2016**

**8:00am – 3:00pm**

**(Registration starts at 7:00am)**

**Location: Brookfield Zoo – Discovery Center  
3300 Golf Road, Brookfield, IL 60513**

**Register online at**

**<https://balancingthebadge.eventbrite.com>**

**Training is FREE of charge and includes lunch**

**This event is limited to the first 350 people to register**

## **Presentation Synopsis:**

With Reality, Community, Safety and Statistics as the basis of this course, Balancing the Badge begins by examining how the media, activist groups, terrorist threats and national events have shaped the community's perception of Law Enforcement. We focus on the reality of its effect on the Agency Decisions and consequently, the officer's role in pro-active policing.

We will explore The Professional Goal; Controlling, Re-Directing and Influencing Others through Effective Communication. Using current videos, case studies and first-hand accounts of officer involved incidents, Jim will:

1. Analyze the true statistics of officer use of force interactions
2. Discuss Clear and Present Dangers of Modern Terrorism
3. Educate Students in the Science of Human Performance as it relates to Law Enforcement
4. Offer critical techniques in de-escalation, calming the irrational and dealing with the mentally ill

## **Course topics will include, but are not limited to:**

- Balance: The Most Difficult Aspect of Law Enforcement
- Identifying the Modern Threat, Lone Wolf and Our Role
- Reading Body Language and The Power of De-Escalation
- Viewing Video: Seeing is Not Necessarily Believing
- Stress and Maladaptive Officer Responses

**Questions regarding this event or registration can  
be directed to Aaron Eastham at (312) 835-1952**