FLORIDA PUBLIC SAFETY INSTITUTE

CJSTC Handgun Instructor

REGION XV

FPSI

Course Outline:

This 40-hour course is requisite for CJSTC certification as Handgun Instructor. This course will prepare an instructor-student to obtain Commission certification as a High Liability Instructor in Firearms and instruct the Criminal Justice Firearms Course in the Florida Basic Recruit Training Program: High Liability. Topics include legal issues, range management, basic shooting principles, shooting deficiency, equipment familiarization, survival considerations, and practical exercises. Participants must qualify by the shooting standards of the basic police academy.

Required Equipment:

- 500 rounds of pistol
- Handheld flashlight
- Red dot must be able to be turned off
- Vest, Duty Gear, eye and ear protection.

Pistol ammo only provided for Region XV officers

Who Should Attend:

To attend this training the participant must be a Florida law enforcement officer, corrections officer, probation officer, or support personnel for a Florida law enforcement organization. For salary incentive courses, all officers outside Region III/XV must provide written authorization by agency representative requesting attendance and election of salary incentive or mandatory retraining.

Class Dates and Location:

Salary Incentive: No

Location: Firearms Building

Instructor: Simon Dixon

Course Dates: January 11-15, 2027

Course Time: 8:00 AM to 5:00 PM*

- Times may vary and will be sent via email

Course Costs:

Tuition for Florida trust funded classes are covered fully by the trust fund. Housing and meals are provided ONLY for Region XV officers attending classes held at the Florida Public Safety Institute where the student is traveling over 50 miles to attend.

Course Calendar:

Click **here** to view our training courses.

Enrollment Information:

To register, Region III & XV officers should contact their agency training coordinator(s); all others contact:

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