

# Use-of-Force by the Numbers™: 4, 8, 14 Version 4.0

## Host Agency

Wake Forest Police Department



May 9-10, 2017

Date

## Training Facility

Wake Forest Police Dept. Training Room  
225 S. Taylor Street  
Wake Forest, NC 27587

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Registration Deadline: April 25, 2017

Time: 8:30am - 5:00pm (One Hour For Lunch)

## Program Content:

The Use-of-Force by the Numbers™ Train-the-Trainer program will identify the importance of teaching law enforcement officers Amendment-based force standards. Amendment-based force standards are what govern an officer's constitutional use-of-force when analyzed under the United States Constitution.

Through the use of table-top exercises, lecture, and video incident analysis, attendees will learn why Amendment-based force standards are replacing continuums, matrices, etc., and why continuums (or their equivalent) and/or their force levels need to be removed from agency use-of-force policies. Negligence elements, categories, and standards (including manufacturer product warnings) will be identified, taught, and applied to agency policy, training, and state tort claims. Attendees will learn how to critically apply Amendment-based and negligence force standards and issues to criminal and internal investigations, and also learn how force continuums have been judicially proven to increase governmental entity and officer liability. Teaching use-of-force best practices to minimize liability and risk management issues will be highlighted through the program.

## Topics:

- Amendment-based force standards;
- Negligence elements and categories;
- Why force continuums are a liability land mine;
- Manufacturer product warnings and their impact on governmental entity, supervisor, trainer, and officer liability;
- Agency use-of-force policy and Amendment-based standards; teaching Amendment-based standards;
- Applying Amendment based standards when analyzing a use-of-force incident (criminal, civil and/or administration investigations);
- Body-worn cameras: Pros and Cons
- and, much more.

## Tuition:

\$395 per officer. Pre-payment required. Credit cards, checks and purchase orders accepted. Participants are responsible for their transportation, lodging, and food cost.

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