



WHY HERE, WHY NOW? LEADING AND MANAGING RISK WITHIN KINETIC TEAMS



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Overview

This course will focus on providing police leaders and members of tactical teams with practical tools to build high-performance teams, reduce operational risk, and protect community optics. This highly rated course is presented by Chris Aboussafy of Bishop One Training.

Session: Why Here, Why Now?™ Leading and Managing Risk Within Kinetic Teams

Presentation Topics – 4 Hours - Morning

- Applying the **Why Here, Why Now?™** Risk-Assessment Model in Kinetic Operations
- Leading Kinetic Teams in High-Visibility Environments
- Reducing Liability Through Team Transparency and Selection
- Leadership versus **Earnership**
- Three Pillars for Team Development
- Discussion - Question and Answer

Presentation Topics – 4 Hours – Afternoon

- Moving Away From Structure Based Operation's – Wood Box vs Glass Box Concept
- The Advantages of Small Precision-Driven Teams
- Introduction to **Trapdoor Tactics™** Asymmetrical Apprehension Methods
 - o Mindset and Legal Review of Tactics
 - o Operational Setup – TL / ATL Roles, Verbiage, and Location Assessments
 - o Using Environmental Manipulation and Environmental Disruption
 - Force Tempo and Force Posture in De-Escalation / Compliance
 - Vehicle Containment Techniques and Open Area Operations
 - o VCT / Open Area types and usage
- Discussion – Question and Answer

Course Length: 8 Hours / 8am to 4:30pm

Training Location: To Be Provided After Successful Registration

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