

# FOUNTAIN VALLEY POLICE DEPARTMENT

## BRIEFING TRAINING



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PLEASE DISCUSS PURSUIT TACTICS AND POLICY COVERING THE FOLLOWING TOPICS:

For all peace officers of an agency authorized by law to conduct vehicle pursuits.

- (1) Vehicle Safety, Operation and Tactics
- (2) Agency Vehicle Pursuit Policy
- (3) Assessing Risk, Dangers, and Conditions
  - (A) Public safety
  - (B) Officer safety
  - (C) Importance of balancing the known offense and need for apprehension against the risks to officers and the public
- (4) Consideration of Law Enforcement Vehicle Pursuit Issues
  - (A) When to initiate a pursuit
  - (B) The number of involved law enforcement units permitted
  - (C) Responsibilities of primary and secondary law enforcement units
  - (D) Driving tactics
  - (E) Helicopter assistance
  - (F) Communications
  - (G) Capture of suspects
  - (H) Termination of a pursuit
  - (I) Supervisory responsibilities
  - (J) Blocking, ramming, boxing and roadblock procedures
  - (K) Speed limits
  - (L) Interjurisdictional considerations
  - (M) Conditions of the vehicle, driver, roadway, weather and traffic
  - (N) Hazards to uninvolved bystanders or motorists
  - (O) Reporting and post-pursuit analysis