



## TRAINING ANNOUNCEMENT

- WHAT:** D.A.R.E. Officer Training (DOT)
- WHEN:** Monday June 12 to Friday June 23, 2023  
8:00 am to 5:00 pm each day. No class weekend in-between.
- WHO:** This is the initial two-week, 80-hour course for all Police Officers, Deputies and School Resource Officers who need to be certified to teach the new D.A.R.E. program known as *keepin' it REAL!*
- WHERE:** **Kennewick Police Department**  
211 W 6<sup>th</sup> Ave  
Kennewick, WA 99336
- LODGING:** **Hilton Garden Inn Tri-Cities/Kennewick 701 Young St. Kennewick, WA 99336. (509) 735-4600.** A block of rooms has been reserved for this training. Plan on arriving Sunday June 11 and departing Friday June 23, 2023. You must contact the hotel to make a reservation and secure the rate of \$105.00 per a night plus applicable tax. Call and ask for the D.A.R.E. block to reserve your room. The deadline to make your reservation is May 11th.
- COST:** The registration fee is **\$500.00**. Make checks payable to the "Kennewick Police Department." Send the check to Blanca Reyna at the Kennewick Police Department. You must complete and return a **Request for Training form** and *submit payment in full* in order to register for this class. If you prefer to pay with a credit card, contact Dennis Osborn at the number below.
- Your agency is responsible for all other travel and training expenses. This includes transportation and meals.
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