

# East Central Illinois Mobile Law Enforcement Training Team

## MTU #13

### Course Announcement



#### Rural Operations

April 23-25th, 2025

0830-1630 Hrs

Charleston Police Training Facility  
1251 W. Madison  
Charleston, Il. 61920

Submit enrollment to:  
Registration form at  
[www.mtu13.com](http://www.mtu13.com),

**COURSE OVERVIEW:** A two day course for tactical teams on fundamental concepts for working in wooded or rural environments. Core tasks include various team formation and their application for varied terrain features, in addition to control and coordination tasks. The methods presented apply to searches for wanted suspects and can be modified for missing person event or evidence recovery. Two offsite exercises are included to provide experience operating in woodland areas.

#### Student Packing List:

Eye & Ear Protection	Carbine with Sling
Ammo Count: 100 rds	Field Uniform
Light Gloves	Binoculars – recommended
Compass – recommended	Foul Weather Gear
TEAM: Support Gear / Drone / Portable Aid Bag / Small Dry Erase Board	

Note– If you don't have some of this gear, come anyway and bring what you have. We don't expect everybody to have a Drone.

This is going to be a fun class. There is not enough room here for me to say everything about this course. We live and work in rural areas, knowing how to operate in wooded areas and corn fields is important for keeping ourselves and the communities safe. This is a good class for SWAT and patrol alike.

#### Mandates

Constit. Use of L/E Authority  
Procedural Justice  
De-Escalation plus 5 hrs role play  
Law Concerning Stops plus 1 hr role play  
Ofc. Safety Techniques plus 3.5 hrs of role play

#### Directions:

**From Rt. 316 (West State Street in Charleston).** Turn South on Decker Springs Road. Take second right hand turn and follow the road around the curve. The training center is on your left.

**From Rt. 16 (Reynolds Drive, This intersection will have a Marathon Station on the south side of the street and Lincoln Gardens Family Restaurant on the north)** Turn north onto Reynolds Drive and follow that to the bottom of the hill where the road comes to a T. <-> Turn left and follow the road. It will take you under the railroad tracks. The road curves to the right, around a large building in the middle of the road. The training center will be just past it on the right.

**GPS Coordinates of training building:** 39.49319144  
-88.19841767

**Google Maps understands GPS better than it does the address**

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## Certified Instructor

**Ron Yanor** is a distinguished Certified Instructor with an extensive background in law enforcement and military tactics. With a career spanning over four decades, Yanor has honed his expertise across a broad spectrum of specialized areas, earning recognition for his contributions to training and operational excellence.

**Certifications:** Yanor holds certifications in an array of critical disciplines, including Basic CQB/SWAT, Advanced CQB/SWAT, Dignitary & Witness Protection, Sniper/Observer, and Patrol Rifle Instructor Development, among others. His comprehensive skill set encompasses areas such as Less Lethal Munitions, Building Search Tactics, and Combat Shotgun operations.

**ILETSB Certified Courses:** He has played a pivotal role in developing and instructing courses accredited by the Illinois Law Enforcement Training Standards Board (ILETSB). Notable among these are Basic and Advanced CQB/SWAT, Sniper/Observer, and Patrol Rifle Instructor Development, demonstrating his commitment to fostering excellence in law enforcement training.

**Published Author:** Yanor's expertise extends beyond the training grounds, as evidenced by his contributions as a published author. With over 50 articles featured in both professional and mainstream publications, including the esteemed International Journal of Counter Terrorism Professionals, he shares insights and tactics to advance the field of law enforcement.

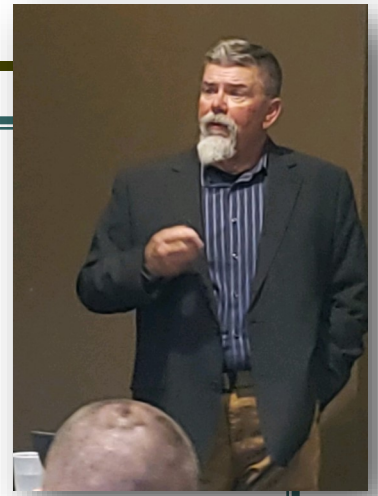
**Operational Experience:** Throughout his career, Yanor has been an integral member of multi-jurisdictional special operations teams, serving in various capacities for 19 years. As a team training and intel officer for nine years, he contributed to operational readiness and mission success. Ron's dedication was His operational reach extends across several states within the U.S. and even to South America, where he provided training and support for specialized missions.

During his tenure at the Sangamon County Sheriff's Department, Ron was honored with both the Medal of Valor for his courageous actions in a perilous situation, where he saved lives, and the Medal of Merit for his exceptional dedication in creating curriculum for his fellow officers that surpassed expectations.

**Training and Instruction:** Yanor's dedication to excellence in instruction is evident in his tenure as a full-time instructor for law enforcement and military clients at the Adamax Tactical Academy. Over ten years of full-time instruction, supplemented by an additional decade of part-time service, underscore his commitment to sharing knowledge and enhancing operational capabilities.

**Collaborations and Partnerships:** Yanor has collaborated with leading figures and organizations within the tactical community, including Tactical Energetic Entry Systems, Direct Action Group, Larry Vickers, and Pat McNamara. His contributions as a staff instructor and adjunct have enriched training programs and seminars, further solidifying his reputation as a respected authority in the field.

Ron Yanor's unwavering dedication to excellence, coupled with his vast operational experience and commitment to advancing training methodologies, cements his status as a preeminent figure in the realm of law enforcement and military tactics.





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### INDEMNIFICATION AGREEMENT

It is hereby agreed that in consideration of one of its employees.

Name: \_\_\_\_\_

Agency \_\_\_\_\_

being granted the opportunity of participating and engaging in in-service, advanced, refresher training, or operations, functions and other activities sanctioned by MTU 13.

Employing the above-named employee shall hold the MTU 13 harmless as to any injuries or damages incurred by said employee as a result of such training, operations, functions, references provided and/or other activities sanctioned by MTU 13 regardless of fault or negligence on the part of any official or employee of MTU 13 except for gross negligence or willful, wanton or intentional misconduct.

The above employer shall further agree to indemnify MTU 13 in the full amount of any judgment or claim awarded to the trainee, his/her heirs, dependents and assigns for such injuries or damages sustained by said trainee during the official course of his or her temporary assignment to the training, except for gross negligence or willful, wanton or intentional misconduct.

It is further agreed that should suit or claim be filed by said trainee alleging injury or damage as a result of MTU 13's training, operations, functions, references provided and/or other activities sanctioned by MTU 13 reasonable notice of such suit or claim will be given to the department or agency employing the affected trainee; and said department or agency will appear and defend MTU 13.

**NOTHING AGREED TO HEREIN BY ANY OF THE PARTIES HERETO SHALL CONSTITUTE A WAIVER OF ANY STATUTORY OR OTHER IMMUNITIES AVAILABLE TO THE PARTIES UNDER ILLINOIS LAW.**

Supervising Chief, Sheriff, Captain or other command officer signature

By: \_\_\_\_\_

Title: \_\_\_\_\_

Date: \_\_\_\_\_