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Greetings,

Attached you will find a packet of information on our Law Enforcement Academy as well as a promotional video at <https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=lvteevn1fG4>. Our Academy accepts both sponsored and pre-service candidates from all over the state. We hold three classes per year, usually in the beginning of January, May and August.

Our Academy has been operational for over a decade. However, we continue to get various questions on how our program works regarding the benefits of the program as well as logistics of attending. To assist with this we have put together a packet to answer some of the most common questions and to showcase some of our program highlights.

We would love to have the opportunity to come to speak with you, your command staff, your local governing body, as well as your entire agency to discuss the benefits of a program such as ours. I know, once we have had the opportunity to discuss it, you will understand, and believe in, the advantages of our program. What we offer you is a long term cost savings due to lowered liability and increased community satisfaction. We often get compliments about our graduates and they are compared to officers that have been working the streets for some time rather than straight out of the Academy.

Our Law Enforcement Academy offers an incoming student the advantage of becoming a certified law enforcement officer, obtaining 42 college credit hours, and obtaining a job in the field, all in just 17 weeks. In addition, all that from a nationally accredited college (SACSCOC) and internationally accredited Law Enforcement Academy (CALEA).

Our program has a placement rate in the field of over 97%. In fact, agencies from across the state clamor to hire our graduates. We often observe that we would have 100% placement if it were not for a few graduates that actually decided to change careers after graduation.

If I can assist you with any questions that you may have about our academy please do not hesitate to contact me. We also offer advanced training courses; the schedule and registration details can be found on our website below.

I appreciate your assistance in this matter.

Best Regards,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'H. McCann', is written over a light blue rectangular background.

Major Harry C. McCann, Jr.
Director