

# S.T.O.R.M.

Spring Conference 2014  
Tuesday, May 6 – Thursday, May 8  
Battlefield Inn, Vicksburg, Mississippi

## **Training Curriculum –**

Surviving the first three seconds is a program that is designed to take the reactionary gap off of the officer and put it back onto the suspect. This is done through a 5 step program that focuses on:

1. Identifying armed individuals through body language indicators.
2. Identifying armed individuals through clothing indicators.
3. Street level interrogation skills.
4. Street level lie detection skills.
5. Identifying assaultive indicators through body language and verbal indicators.

## **Guest Speakers -**

Master Trooper Donald Kirk Hensley, has been with the North Carolina State Highway Patrol since November 1994. Trooper Hensley is the primary instructor with the North Carolina Highway Patrol Training Academy for the Basic Law Enforcement Course, specializing in Defensive Tactics, Officer Survival, and Electronic Control Device (Taser).

Trooper Hensley, on his own time, did extensive research for the Surviving the First Three Seconds class that he has provided to Law Enforcement Agencies all over the United States at no cost to them.

Trooper Hensley was chosen as the Troop G Trooper of the Year for 2011 and 2007, and he has been nominated for the North Carolina State Highway Patrol Trooper of the Year for 2011. He has also been nominated for the Anti-Defamation League SHIELD Award for 2011.

## Room Reservation

There will be a \$150.00 conference registration fee. This will cover the cost of your room. Even if you decide to pay for your own room, you still have to pay conference registration fee. Continental breakfast will be provided each morning by the hotel.

Please go to [www.msstorm.net](http://www.msstorm.net) to register for the conference.

To cancel your space in the conference, call Tammy Shelbourn at 601-270-7404 ([tboneppd15@comcast.net](mailto:tboneppd15@comcast.net)) or Melissa Harvey at 601-270-7481 ([moharvey8@yahoo.com](mailto:moharvey8@yahoo.com)). You can cancel until the Friday before the conference. After Friday, your cancellation will need to be emergent in nature to be accepted.

We need your registration no later than ten days before the conference, which is enough time to cancel any unused rooms at the Battlefield Inn. **However, please send in your registration no matter how close to the conference date!!** We will re-book rooms as needed.

If you have any questions before you call the hotel, call Tammy at 601-270-7404 or Melissa at 601-270-7481. The Battlefield Inn can be contacted at 601-638-5811.

## Policy Regarding Reimbursement of Expenses

Please note that S.T.O.R.M., the Law Enforcement Liaison Office, the Office of Highway Safety, Public Safety Planning, nor the Mississippi Alcohol Safety Education Program can not reimburse any person or agency for any travel expenses including meals, mileage, and lodging related to the S.T.O.R.M. Conferences.

Please do not submit expense reports to S.T.O.R.M., the LEL Office, or MASEP. Neither you nor your agency will be reimbursed for any expenses, unless you are grant funded and have received prior approval from your Program Manager at OHS to spend grant funds.

The only portion of the conference that is provided because of the registration fee is lodging for Tuesday and Wednesday nights. No others nights are covered.

## Miscellaneous Notes

**We need door prizes!!! Please bring as many as you can and turn it in at the designated area.**

If you know a S.T.O.R.M. member on active military duty, email Dianne at [dbyrdle@gmail.com](mailto:dbyrdle@gmail.com) so she can extend their membership while they are gone.

**At the completion of this training all attending Officers will receive 16 hours Continued Education Credits through P.O.S.T.**

**S.T.O.R.M. address has changed to P.O. Box 54365 Pearl, MS 39288**

***This is an election conference. You must have your letter of intent to run for office turned into a current board member by noon on Wednesday May 7.***