

Agenda
Alamo Area Council of Governments
Alamo Area Regional Law Enforcement Academy
Thursday, May 12, 2022 – 10:00 a.m.
12625 Wetmore Rd. Suite 436
San Antonio, TX 78247

1. Meeting called to Order

The AARLEA Advisory Board is meeting in accordance with Chapter 215 of the Texas Administrative Code. The Advisory Board reserves the right to retire into executive session concerning any of the items listed in the Agenda whenever it is considered necessary and legally justified under the Texas Open Meetings Act.

2. Roll Call

A. Establish a quorum (Roll Call)

3. Approval of Minutes

4. Public Comments

This time is for anyone to comment to the Advisory Board on issues and items of concern. There will be no Advisory Board deliberation or action on these comments. Time allowed is at the discretion of the Chair; with three (3) minutes being customary.

5. Academy Manager's Report

- A. The Academy started 2022 Alpha on January 10, 2022. We started with 33 cadets. We have 31 at this time.
- B. The Academy started 2022 Echo class on March 28, 2022. We have 11 cadets in the class which is a part time class. It starts at 4PM and runs till 11 PM on Wednesday, Thursday, and Friday. Cadets attend class on most Saturdays.
- C. The Academy started 2022 Bravo class on April 11, 2022. We started with 25 cadets and as of today we have 24 cadets.
- D. Class 2022 Charlie (start date of July 11, 2022) and a (graduation date of January 10, 2023). Class 2022 Delta will (start date of October 10, 2022) and a (graduation date of April 25, 2023).
- E. The date has been set for the second part time BPOC. Orientation will be August 15, 2022 and the start date will be August 22, 2022. The times of the class will be from 8:00 AM to 1:00 PM.
- F. The 87th legislature approved an additional 40 hours to be added to Texas BPOC's. The subject material will be determined in January of 2022. The new BPOC class was announced

by TCOLE and is call 1000720 Course. TCOLE added 24 hours to BPOC. Most of the hours were additions to de-escalation training and mental health training.

- G. The Ride along program rules will be added to the Rules and Regulation as Chapter 700 with the approval of the Advisory Board.

6. New Business

- A. Discussion and appropriate approval on placement of the Ride Along Program rules being added as Chapter 700 to the Rules and Regulations.
- B. Discussion and appropriate approval to review to change section on the third attempt to take state exam in section 500.7 in the Rules and Regulations.

Actions taken per Advisory Board Members' recommendations:

- C. During the last meeting there was a suggestion to B on the minutes to make changes in the Rules and Regulation to assist the Academy Manager with a refusal of an applicant that has a provable reputation problem. I believe this issue can be addressed through the Criminal History Statement and the application. The application has been revised to ask the question "Have you ever been enrolled or applied with another Academy and been denied entrance". If the applicant is untruthful on the application then they can be terminated.
- D. Letter C in the minutes is addressed in two places in the Rules and Regulations. At the beginning of section 200 and again in 200.1.
- E. Letter D in the minutes. The Rules and Regulations were changed to reflect the Advisory Boards approval for a tuition change. Section 102.1 in the Rules and Regulation.
- F. Letter E was changed and a packet was put together by Lisy to assist all agencies stream line their application process to the Academy when sponsoring a cadet.
- G. Letter F was changed with the addition of the required length of fingernails for all cadet. See section 400.14.
- H. Letter H in the minutes was change in the Rules and Regulations to reflect the change. Change reflected in section 101.2 of the Rules and regulations.
- I. In number 7 it was suggested that Mr. Brady Rosinbaum be contacted and asked to be an alternate on the Advisory Board. This was accomplished and the academy is awaiting confirmation from the nominee.

- 7. Next Meeting.

- 8. Adjournment.