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Active Shooter Response Management Training Coming to Gilford Police Department

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The Gilford Police Department and ALICE Training Institute have partnered to bring ALICE Instructor Training to Gilford PD on July 14-15, 2016. This two-day instructor course is designed to teach proactive survival strategies for violent intruder or active shooter incidents. The goal of the ALICE program is to provide individuals with survival-enhancing options for those critical moments in the gap between when violent situations begin and when law enforcement arrives on scene. The registration fee for this training is \$595.00/person and can be completed online (under the *Events* tab) at www.alicetraining.com.

ALICE (Alert, Lockdown, Inform, Counter, & Evacuate) is a useful strategy for everyone: law enforcement, schools, universities, hospitals, businesses, and places of worship. Completing the ALICE Instructor Training course provides individuals with certification in ALICE Training, allowing them the opportunity to bring ALICE strategies back to their places of work. Additionally, registrants will gain access to exclusive ALICE resources.

ALICE is in line with recommendations from the U.S. Department of Education, the Department of Homeland Security, and the Federal Emergency Management Agency. The ALICE Training Institute is changing how schools, universities, and businesses respond to armed intruders. Developed after the Columbine incident, this training teaches strategies on how best to survive life-threatening events.

Questions related to this training opportunity may directly contact Gilford Chief of Police Anthony Bean Burpee at 603.527.4737 or at <u>a.beanburpee@gilfordpd.org</u>.