



Minnesota Law Enforcement Explorer Association

March 16, 2010

Dear Chief Law Enforcement Officer,

This letter is to extend an invitation to the Minnesota Law Enforcement Explorer Conference.

This year's conference is the 35th Annual Conference of the Minnesota Law Enforcement Explorers. The conference will be held in Rochester, Minnesota April 29 – May 2, 2010. The focus of the conference is HONORING THE PAST, CELEBRATING THE PRESENT AND PREPARING FOR THE FUTURE: 35 YEARS OF LAW ENFORCEMENT EXPLORING IN MINNESOTA. Events at the conference are planned to expand the knowledge and leadership potential of all participants and provide an opportunity for explorers from across the state to compete for college scholarship funds.

Law Enforcement Explorers from your organization and over 700 other explorers from across the state are planning to attend. The conference is a tradition in Minnesota Law Enforcement that has had a tremendous impact on young people for over 30 years. Several academic sessions have been scheduled to increase the knowledge of the explorers and scenario based competitions will educate and evaluate the participant's skills and training. Scenarios include responding to Domestic Disturbances, Traffic Accident Investigation, Hostage Situations, Burglary in Progress, Search and Arrest, Traffic Stops, White Collar Crime, Crime Scene Processing, and several other challenging scenarios. The explorers are dispatched to a realistic scenario where they will perform as a team of Police Officers. Scenarios are presented by experts from across the region.

I would like to invite you and a guest to this year's conference. You are welcome to attend the entire conference or merely provide your support at the award ceremony on Saturday evening. Please contact DuWayne Dixon at (952) 334-0557 to secure your attendance to the conference. You will also need to contact the Marriot to reserve lodging at this year's conference. The cost for you to attend the conference is \$104.00 per room plus tax per night with double occupancy. The Marriot's address is 101 1st Avenue Southwest, Rochester, MN, 55902. They can be reached at 877.623.7775 or 507.280.6000. Reservations must be received by April 10, 2010.

Our registration desk will be located on the second floor of the Double Tree Hotel. Please come and see us when you arrive or after you have check in to the Marriot to get your conference materials. Thank you.

Sincerely,

Brandon Burger
MLEEA Chairperson