



**Training Announcement**  
*Sponsored by the 38<sup>th</sup> Judicial District Attorney's Office*

**TRAINING TOPIC:** Border Violence / Drug Cartels/ Transnational Gangs

**NO COST FOR TRAINING:** All travel expenses to be incurred by the participant

**COURSE OVERVIEW:** This course will develop an in-depth understanding of origins, methods of operation, criminality and drug activity of the most commonly encountered criminal street and prison gangs in Texas. This course is also designed to provide the investigator with information as to how gangs work with drug cartels / drug trafficking organization to facilitate and advance their network of criminal activity and their associations with transnational gangs.

**LOCATION:** Southwest Texas Junior College (SWTJC)  
Matthews Conference Center  
2401 Garner Field Road  
Uvalde, Texas 78801 830-278-4401

**INSTRUCTOR:** DPS CID Agent Leo Pena  
DPS Intelligence and Counterterrorism Division

**TIME and DATE:** Friday, March 12, 2010 (8:30 AM- 12:30 PM)

Class is limited to 250 attendees; please complete attached registration form and fax or e-mail to Agent David Cabrera, Criminal Investigations Division, Gang Section, fax 830-278-7806, e-mail- [david.cabrera@txdps.state.tx.us](mailto:david.cabrera@txdps.state.tx.us)

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