

Town of Rangely Community Outreach Program (COP)

We invite you to sign up for the Outreach Program sponsored by the Rangely Police Department. The program is an outreach to the community developed and utilized by agencies in many communities throughout Colorado to bring police officers into a non-enforcement environment together with interested citizens of our community. During this program the DA for the 9th judicial district, Jeff Cheney, will be participating along with the officers of the RPD to provide information related to policing in a small community. Content will consist of developing a basic understanding of the laws, their constitutional rights and the officer's duty to enforce the law while respecting the right of all free citizens.

Refreshments and light meals will be provided during the six week program held once a week during the evening on Thursday's from 7:00 pm to 9:00 pm.

The Goals are to:

- 1. Create an environment where citizens and officers can work together to better understand each other's concerns. During the program the District Attorney for the 9th District in Colorado and members of the Rangely Police Department will lead discussion on a number of topics as outlined in the Syllabus below.
- 2. Create a relaxed environment where two way communications can easily be achieved. This can be accomplished with information provided by members of the police department and active interaction by the community.
- 3. Create a method of working together to most effectively deal with crime and social issues.

If you have any questions please contact Chief Wilczek at the Rangely Police Department 970-675-8466.

You can pull up an application for the COP from the Town's Website, Facebook Page or stop by Town Hall and pick one up. The application deadline for the first class will be March 30th, 2018.

Community Outreach Program Courses

<u>Date</u>	<u>Course Title</u>	
4/5/2018	Criminal and Constitutional Law	
4/12/2018	Department Organization and Ethics	
4/19/2018	Narcotics Investigation, drug symptomology and K-9	
4/26/2018	Use of Force -Taser	
5/3/2018	Patrol Procedures/Traffic/DWI Enforcement	
5/10/2018	Courts- Prosecution	
	Ride-Along Scheduled Separately as Permitted by Policy	



Town of Rangely Community Outreach Program (COP) Application, Waiver and Indemnification Agreement

Name			
Date of Birth	E-mail Address		
Address		<u> </u>	
Home Phone	Work	Cell	
In Case of Emergency,	Contact		
Driver's License Number		State	

I understand and agree that completion and filing of this application in no way obligates the Town of Rangely Police Department allowing my entry into the Community Outreach Program.

I hereby agree that I am a healthy, physically fit individual that is capable of participating in the Community Outreach Program the Town of Rangely, Colorado, (the "Town" presented by the Rangely Police Department)

I understand that participating in the program will expose me to certain risks. I hereby assume all risks associated with my attendance to and participation in the program. The risks involved may include, but may not be limited to, physical harm resulting from physical contact with other participants or police officers in various physical activities which are being offered. I further state that I understand a portion of the program involves physical exercises, such as but not strictly limited to, handcuffing, resisting arrest, take downs, etc. I state that I understand my participation in said exercises is completely voluntary on my part and if I choose to participate in any or all exercises, I am doing so at my own risk.

I also understand and agree that as a participant in the program, I am not an employee nor an agent of the Town of Rangely Police Department; nor have I been given any police authority within the jurisdiction of the Town of Rangely Police Department.

I, on behalf of myself, my heirs, successors and assigns, agree to release, indemnify and hold harmless both the Town of Rangely and the Town of Rangely Police Department, their officers, agents and employees, from any loss, damage or expense sustained or incurred by me, my heirs, successors or assigns, arising from any claims, cause of action or liability, whether brought by me, anyone acting on my behalf, or by anyone else because of conduct attributed to me.



I have read this agreement before signing it, understood its consequences and agree to its terms. Date: Participant: Questions: Please call Chief Wilczek at 970-675-8466 How do you feel the Community Outreach Program will benefit you? How did you hear about the Community Outreach Program? Do you live or work in Western Rio Blanco County? Yes: No: I certify that all statements made on this application are true and complete. I authorize any individual, company, organization, or institution to release any and all information concerning statements made by me on this application, and I do hereby release all parties and individuals connected therewith from all liabilities and damages incurred in furnishing such information. I agree and understand that any deliberate misstatement or omission of material facts may disqualify me to attend the Community Outreach Program. My signature below acknowledges my understanding and agreement with the material provided. Signature: Date: _____ Approved / Disapproved