



School Safety Workshop

"I sent my daughter to school yesterday. She was supposed to be safe."

[Fred Guttenberg, father of 14 year old Jamie, Marjorie Stoneman Douglas High School, February 15, 2018]

Friday and Saturday, April 20-21, 2018

Jointly Sponsored by POOL/PACT and NASB

April 20—The Plaza Event Center, 211 East 9th Street, Carson City, NV—behind The Plaza Hotel

April 21—Brewery Arts Center, 449 West King, Carson City, NV—Grand Ballroom, second floor

As a reminder, please silence cell phones and other personal digital communication devices while the Program is in progress.

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FRIDAY, APRIL 20—THE PLAZA EVENT CENTER

345pm

Afternoon Beverages and Materials Available for Attendees

400pm

Welcoming Remarks and Overview

Stacie Wilke-McCulloch, NASB President [Carson City]

Mike Rebaleati, Chief Operations Officer—POOL/PACT

430pm-600pm

with short stretch break when appropriate

School Construction and School Safety

Jason Dondero, Project Director

Marty Harpster, Senior Pre-Construction Manager

CORE Construction

[.75 CPO unit Leadership & Governance or Community Development; AB451 (1)(1)(f) 1.25 hours NRS 386]



As the Project Director for CORE Construction, **Jason Dondero** provides significant services through excellent collaboration with the entire project team. As a fourth-generation Northern Nevadan and a third-generation University of Nevada Reno Alumnus, Jason has strong roots throughout the community and has developed great working relationships with local building partners and governing agencies. Jason embodies our CORE Culture of Team & Trust. He is able to clearly communicate the project goals and objectives to all parties and is driven to make certain that the client is pleased with CORE Construction. Jason is a former WCSD employee who assisted in the planning and construction of safety and security measures in relation to “school hardening.”



Marty Harpster possesses over forty years of combined experience in the construction industry. As a registered architect, he has performed project management, specification writing, marketing, construction administration, and estimating. Marty’s experience as an architect and contractor has proven to be invaluable for projects under the CMAR and Design Build method of delivery. Marty’s responsibilities include managing all preconstruction services, such as estimates, option studies, life cycle cost analyses, document coordination, project schedules, quality control, and constructability reviews. Marty has worked on more than fifty K-12 projects in the State of Nevada.

600pm

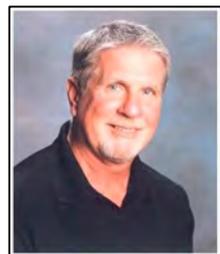
Dinner and Networking

700pm-830pm

Factors in Reshaping a Safer School Environment

Jeff Kaye, President—School Safety Operations

[.75 CPO unit Leadership & Governance or Community Development; AB451 (1)(1)(f) 1.5 hours NRS 386]



Jeff Kaye opened School Safety Operations, Inc., in 2011 in response to the identified need for school districts to become compliant with statutes, guidelines, and recommended best practices in school safety and emergency management in order to address today’s threat levels from man-made and natural hazards. Jeff served twenty-five years in law enforcement and eight years in educational safety prior to opening the company, so he knew the only way to keep schools safe was through proper planning and training in emergency response procedures.

The School Safety Operations, Inc., consulting team has been providing emergency response planning, training, and facility Hazard and Vulnerability Assessments to school districts throughout the United States and Canada since beginning operation in 2011. The team has since branched out into the private and tourist industries for emergency management and safety training under their D4 Training Program to address Active Assailant response and immediate tactical first-aid care. All consultants used by School Safety Operations, Inc., have a minimum of twenty years of experience in law enforcement or fire services, combined in addition to their experience in school emergency management. This unique blend of experience gives them a realistic understanding of how to practically approach emergency response and safety training in schools. This is especially important in training to address today’s threat of an Active Assailant incident at a school.

Jeff Kaye is a founding member of the International School Safety Institute, which has been providing training to school administrators and law enforcement professionals in all areas related to safe school culture and climate since 2013. His reference book, *SCHOOL EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT, A Practical Approach to Implementation* is considered a must-read for anyone involved in school safety or emergency response.

SATURDAY, APRIL 21—BREWERY ARTS CENTER, Grand Ballroom

830am-930am



Integrating Social Workers into School Safety Plans

Salvador Arias, Prevention Specialist—Kern County School District, California

[.50 CPO unit Leadership & Governance or Community Development; AB451 (1)(1)(f) 1.0 hour NRS 386]

Salvador Arias is a Prevention Specialist with the Kern County Superintendent of Schools. He has been working with at-risk youth in a school setting for the past ten years. Salvador was instrumental in the development of a very promising Gang Prevention model using School Social Workers. Salvador now manages several programs including the Safe Schools Program for the Kern County Superintendent of Schools.

Salvador grew up in gang infested neighborhoods in Los Angeles, California, before moving to Bakersfield, California. Upon graduating from high school, Salvador joined the United States Marine Corps and was honorably discharged after serving eight years. He then worked for the Kern County Probation Department and returned back to school. He graduated with his bachelor’s degree in Psychology in 2007 and Master’s degree in Social Work in 2010.

Salvador continues to pursue higher education and in the summer 2015, he received his Pupil Personnel Services Credential through San Jose State University and is currently working on his Administrator Services Credential. Salvador has been married to his lovely wife Monica for over 22 years and has four children, including two in college.

930am-1030am



A View of School Board Policy and Safety Planning When Things Go Wrong in the Community and Collaboration Is Necessary

Mike F. Wilson, Director of Emergency Management, Clark County School District

[.50 CPO unit Leadership & Governance; AB451 (1)(1)(f) 1.0 hour NRS 386]

Michael F. Wilson is the Director of Clark County School District Police Department’s Office of Emergency Management. As the Emergency Manager, Michael is responsible for the planning, preparing, responding to, and recovering from emergencies and disasters at CCSD. He is also responsible for supervising all emergency drills and the Crisis Response Plan. Michael is also part of Clark County’s Multi-Agency Coordination Center where he has participated in several New Year’s Eve activations and the October 1 incident in Las Vegas. Michael has been with the Clark County School District for 24 years, including 13 years as an elementary school principal. Michael is a state trainer in the Incident Command System and has taught ICS to police and fire departments. His is currently the Fire Chief in Bunkerville, Nevada, and is an Advanced EMT with over 16 years as a professional and volunteer firefighter.

1030am

Morning Break

1045am-Noon

School Safety and School Board Liability

Ann M. Alexander, Esq., Erickson, Thorpe & Swainston, Ltd.
**[.75 CPO unit Leadership & Governance or Community Development;
AB451 (1)(1)(h) 1.25 hours NRS 386]**



Ann M. Alexander is an attorney with the firm of Erickson, Thorpe & Swainston, Ltd., in Reno, Nevada. She earned her Ph.D. in elementary education in 1987 and her law degree in 1999, and she is licensed to practice law in Nevada and California. Ann has spent more than 30 years working in education in Nevada as a state-level administrator and as an attorney. Since beginning private law practice in 2000 she has worked directly with Nevada school districts to develop policies and procedures, conduct staff training, and provide advisement and litigation services in a variety of student-specific and employment cases.

Noon-100pm

Catered Lunch from L.A. Bakery

100pm-230pm

Violent Digital Threat Assessment: Effective Policies and Protocols in the Face of Electronic Threats

Theresa Campbell, President—Safer Schools Together
[1.0 unit CPO Public Information and Media Relations or Leadership & Governance; AB451 (1)(1)(f) 2.25 hours NRS 386]



Theresa Campbell is the President of Safer Schools Together, an organization focused on promoting a climate and culture of safety in schools and Executive Director, International Centre for Threat Assessment (ICTA). Theresa established Safer Schools Together (SST) in 2008, to provide opportunities for extensive professional development in the areas of safe and caring schools and violence prevention. In addition to hosting training symposiums, SST has authored the Safe & Caring School Tool to measure the climate and culture of a school, as well as to ensure best practices are followed and the Ministry of Education mandates regarding school/student safety are met.

Theresa was identified 20 years ago by educational and law enforcement professionals as an innovative visionary and passionate leader in the area of program development and ensuring safe and caring schools. She developed the first web-based anonymous reporting tool to encourage students to get personally involved in ensuring the safety and security of their schools. In 2008, she was awarded the prestigious 2008 Frederic Milton Thrasher Award for superior service in gang prevention.

Theresa is also the executive producer of five award-winning gang prevention documentaries and a certified trainer and consultant with the Canadian Centre for Threat Assessment & Trauma Response and serves as a representative on municipal, provincial and federal committees. She has been recognized for her work by all three levels of Canadian government.

230pm-245pm

Afternoon Break

245pm-315pm

Continuation of Violent Digital Threat Assessment: Effective Policies and Protocols in the Face of Electronic Threats

315pm-345pm

Reflecting on the Workshop, Sharing Challenges, and Next Steps

Stacie Wilke-McCulloch, NASB President [Carson City]
Mike Rebaleati, Chief Operations Officer—POOL/PACT
[.25 CPO unit Miscellaneous/Elective]

345pm-400pm

**Final comments
Submit evaluation forms and out the door**

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At Columbine High School in Littleton, Colorado, two teens went on a shooting spree on **April 20, 1999**, killing thirteen people and wounding more than twenty others before turning their guns on themselves and committing suicide. The Columbine shooting was, at the time, the worst high school shooting in U.S. history and prompted a national debate on gun control and school safety, as well as a major investigation to determine what motivated the gunmen.

Through journals left behind by the teenagers, investigators eventually discovered the teens had been planning for a year to bomb the school in an attack similar to the 1995 Oklahoma City bombing.

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Certified Public Official Program

Created by Extended Studies at the University of Nevada, Reno, in partnership with the Nevada League of Cities and Municipalities, Nevada Association of Counties and Nevada Association of School Boards, the Certified Public Official (CPO) Program is an in-depth series that provides diverse resources for educational and professional development responsive to the changing needs of elected and appointed officials in public office throughout Nevada.

The CPO program is designed for:

- *Elected and appointed city, state and county officials*
- *Transportation, fire, police and planning commissioners*
- *Improvement district and public utility district trustees*
- *School board members and school district superintendents*

To earn the CPO designation, program participants must complete the following modules offered through Extended Studies at the University of Nevada, Reno, and meet additional program requirements.

Required Modules

- **Module 1:** Realities of Public Life: Roles and Relationships of Public Office (1 hour)
- **Module 2:** Budgets: Revenue Sources, Projections and Forecasts (2.5 hours)
- **Module 3:** Ethics in Nevada (1.5 hours)
- **Module 4:** Nevada’s Open Meeting Law (2 hours)
- **Module 5:** Citizen Participation and Public Information (1.5 hours)
- **Module 6:** Interviewing and Media Relations (1.5 hours)
- **Module 7:** Employment Law: Keeping Your Agency Out of Court (4 hours)

For board members, superintendents, and others working toward completion of the CPO Program, the above seven modules are mandatory as well as fifty-two additional hours of training with minimum units required in these areas:

Public Finance	6 CPO units
Leadership & Governance	6 CPO units
Public Information and Media Relations	2 CPO units
Community Development and Infrastructure	4 CPO units
Employee Relations	4 CPO units
Electives	4 CPO units

For attending this Orientation, Part III, each attendee will earn units toward the Certified Public Official Program as well as credit for completion of mandatory Modules 5, 6, and 7 [described above] required by

the Program as shown above.

To verify units earned at future professional development workshops, please call Shera Alberti-Annunzio at UNR Extended Studies: 775/784-4046.

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