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# Report Writing & Courtroom Testimony

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The class is designed for law enforcement officers of all experience levels as a comprehensive review of the attributes of excellent police reports. The class discusses how to properly document the events and evidence of law enforcement actions while also helping officers understand the importance of documentation as liability protection and the boundaries of qualified immunity.

Additionally, the class reviews the basics of courtroom (and Bureau of Motor Vehicle) testifying using report reports created by the attendees in class. Officers are introduced to all the participants in the courtroom process, their basic roles, and the basic rules of trial including the fundamentals of courtroom preparation, direct examination, and cross-examination.

The final section of the class is a series of moot court exercises where officers will testify and be cross-examined from reports they have created in class.

The instructors are a retired Maine district court judge and career first-line police supervisor who is now an attorney and a former line prosecutor and city attorney for one of Maine's largest municipalities.

**Date:** October 19, 2022

**Time:** 0800-1600

**Location:** Berwick PD, 20 Wilson Street, Berwick, ME

**Cost:** \$199

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**Date:** October 27, 2022

**Time:** 0800-1600

**Location:** 1600 Atlantic Highway, Waldoboro, ME 04572

**Cost:** \$199

**Instructors:** Scot Mattox & Joshua Saucier