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Mr. Larry Pearson has been in state, local, and federal law enforcement for over 30 years; of those thirty years, twenty-six have been dedicated to teaching and instructing. Mr. Pearson has been a full-time trainer and facilitator for the Bexar County Sheriff's Office Academy in San Antonio, Texas, the United States Capitol Police Academy in Cheltenham, Maryland, and an adjunct instructor for the El Paso Community College Law Enforcement Academy in El Paso, Texas, to include the Alamo Area Regional Law Enforcement Academy. Mr. Pearson has supervised overall law enforcement operations, executive protection functions, training unit instructors, and special response teams. Mr. Pearson has taught at several national conferences for the International Law Enforcement Educators and Trainers Association (ILEETA) and the International Association of Law Enforcement Firearms Instructors (IALEFI). Mr. Pearson's previous assignments included being the Chief Deputy Sheriff of the Frio County Sheriff's Office, where he had overall operational responsibility for the Patrol, K9, Special Response Unit, Investigations, Telecommunications, Training, and Detention. Mr. Pearson has been an adjunct and a full-time staff instructor for the Alamo Area Regional Law Enforcement Academy. He instructed and facilitated the basic peace officer and in-service training within the Alamo Area Region, which consists of thirteen counties. Mr. Pearson was the Site Lead Manager with Controlled F.O.R.C.E., a government contractor who supervised 39 Law Enforcement Instructors at the Naval Technical Training Center (NTTC) for the U.S. Navy Law Enforcement Specialist "C" School at Lackland AFB in San Antonio, Texas. Mr. Pearson is a master peace officer advanced law enforcement instructor with the Texas Commission on Law Enforcement (TCOLE) with many years of experience in curriculum development and instruction concerning instructor development, legal aspects, arrest, search and seizure, use of force, defensive tactics, firearms, driving, and tactics. Mr. Pearson is currently the Chief Deputy of the Loving County Sheriff's Office, where he continues instructing in-service and other law enforcement agencies in the surrounding West Texas area.