

State of Michigan
MICHIGAN COMMISSION ON LAW ENFORCEMENT STANDARDS
Justice Training Law Enforcement Distribution

**AFFIDAVIT IN SUPPORT OF RECEIPT AND EXPENDITURE OF
JUSTICE TRAINING LAW ENFORCEMENT DISTRIBUTION FUNDS**

Affidavit of Mark L. DeBeau, Vice President – Public Safety Department
Affiant's Name, Title

Law Enforcement Agency: **Wayne County Airport Police**

STATE OF MICHIGAN)
) ss.
COUNTY OF WAYNE)

Now comes Mark L. DeBeau (Affiant) and being first duly sworn certifies as follows:

Please read carefully before signing.

1. Current Law Enforcement Agency Law Enforcement Distribution Status:

Distribution Year	Distribution Amount	Reported Expenditures	Unexpended Balance
2001	\$37,689.00	\$3,299.47	\$34,389.53
2002	\$37,744.00	\$0	\$37,744.00
Totals	\$75,433.00	\$3,299.47	\$72,133.53

2. Actions taken by the Law Enforcement Agency to document the receipt and expenditure of Justice Training Law Enforcement Distribution funds.

On March 15, 2011, our agency was notified of the unexpended balance of Justice Training Funds from the LED program. I immediately ordered a search of our training records dating to 2001, with a focus on years 2001, 2002, 2003 and 2004. Substantial in-service criminal justice training was conducted during these years. However no LED program expenditure reports were located. The Police Chief and Training Lieutenant who were responsible for the submission of the LED reports have both retired.

I also contacted the Wayne County Airport Authority Controllers office and requested an accounting of the LED funds. I was informed that when the Airport Authority was created by State Law in 2002, finances were separated from Wayne County and a separate general ledger system was installed. I also learned that records older than 7 years are destroyed per the State of Michigan document retention guidelines. As a result, no financial records remain that could identify unexpended LED funds.

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The Wayne County Airport Authority Police Division has consistently provided annual in-service training to its officers on a variety of topics, however we cannot specifically state when the LED funds that were available in 2002 were expended.

3. Conclusion – Based on the foregoing investigation, including my knowledge of departmental practices and procedures, the background of the departmental employees responsible for managing the expenditures, and the absence of any evidence of impropriety, I conclude that, to the best of my knowledge, the funds were spent for in-service training of the department's licensed law enforcement officers and not used for any other purpose.

I affirm that the information I have provided above is true, accurate and complete.



Affiant's Signature

3.25.11

Date Signed

STATE OF MICHIGAN)
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COUNTY OF Wayne)

The foregoing affidavit was acknowledged before me this 3/25/11 (Date),

Signature of Notary Jimmie Ellis (Notary's Stamp/Seal)

Commission in Wayne County

Acting in Wayne County

Commission Expires June 8, 2016

JIMMIE ELLIS
-Notary Public-
Wayne County
State of Michigan
My Commission Expires June 8, 2016

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