The Michigan State Police Training Academy is presenting a Submerged Vehicle Escape & Rescue training session. This five-hour course is designed to prepare first responders to make safe rescues in a submerged vehicle water emergency. Students will be taught practical water rescue techniques that can be used by any first responder. This course will utilize the State Police Academy’s Submerged Vehicle Rescue Simulator. Students will be given a ResQme window punch tool to train with and to carry with them on the road.

Topics to be covered include:
- Swimming in full uniform
- Four methods of rescue in a water emergency
- Characteristics of submerged vehicles
- Submerged vehicle escape methods/self rescue techniques and hazards
- Cold water immersion survival factors and four critical phases
- Entering the water
- Approach strokes
- Surface dives
- Locating vehicle/victims and removal of victims
- Window punch tools

Equipment: Students need to bring swimsuit, t-shirt, and combination lock.

Dates: Wednesday, March 4, 2015

Time: 9 a.m. - 3 p.m.

Place: Michigan State Police Training Academy
7426 North Canal Road
Lansing, MI 48913

Cost: $150 (Includes lunch)

Registration: Registration must be completed on-line. Enter course code “1025230” in the Search by Course ID box, then click the course link. On the Registration tab, click Go to Step 2 of Registration. You will be redirected to the MSP website to enter additional information. **Registration is not final until Step 2 is completed. Class size is limited to 12.** For more information, contact Ms. Marilu Anglebrandt at (517) 636-0464. This course is MCOLES approved.

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