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| **IPMBA Police Cyclist Course**   October 23rd – 27th 2023 **Emporia, KS** | |
| **Where : :** | Lyon County Law Enforcement Center  425 Mechanic St.  Emporia, KS 66801 |
| **Schedule : :** | Monday – Oct 23rd, 0900-1700  Tuesday – Oct 24th, 0900-1700 Wednesday – Oct 25th, 1400-2200 (Night ride) Thursday – Oct 26th, 0900-1700 Friday – Oct 27th, 0900-1700  Schedule subject to change due to weather ect. All meals provided by student. |
| **Instructor : :**  http://ipmba.org/images/spacer.gif | Rob Turner (IPMBA #1146), Emporia, KS Police Department John Koelsch (IPMBA #068), Lyon County Sheriff’s Office, KS  Jeff Eubank (IPMBA #410), Lyon County Sheriff’s Office, KS  Lane Doty (IPMBA #1775), Emporia, KS Police Department |
| **Tuition : :** | $158.00 |
| **Registration : :** | Robert Turner  [rturner@emporiaks.gov](mailto:rturner@emporiaks.gov)  by 1700 hours Oct. 20th, 2023 |
| **Accommodation : :** | Accommodations are available within a short drive from training facility. Hotel/Motel rates vary, but Government Rates usually apply and are available.  Holiday Inn Express Hotel & Suites  3007 W. 18th Ave, Emporia, KS 66801  620-343-1111  Any questions, please contact Sgt. Rob Turner  [rturner@emporiaks.gov](mailto:rturner@emporiaks.gov) or 620-341-4351 |
| **Additional Info : :** | Bike and Required equipment in proper riding and working order must be provided on each day. Mandatory Riding Equipment: PROPERLY fitted Mountain Bike - Police Department Issued Helmet (Properly Sized) Toe Restraints (clips, clip less, power grips) Eye Protection Gloves (fingered or fingerless) Duty Gear (Weapon and all equipment department expects officer to be equipped with) Bike Rack with Bag Night Ride (Wednesday Night) - White light facing forward, minimum 42 lumens. Rear red reflector or red LED flashing light.  Secured on site bike storage will be provided at the training location. |
| **Description : :** | Bicycle officers need to ride whenever and wherever they are needed. Proper training is essential to an officer's on-the-job performance and safety. It is also critical in reducing liability. The PC course provides bicycle officers with the skills they need to effectively serve their communities. The course is divided into eleven units: Bike Handling & Vehicular Cycling, Bike Fit, Group Riding, Hazard Recognition & Common Crashes, Obstacle Clearing & Riding Techniques, Patrol Procedures, Nighttime Patrol, Community Policing, Basic Maintenance, Legal Issues & Traffic Laws, and Fitness & Nutrition. This demanding class involves over 20 hours of on-bike time to develop and improve riding skills.  **Course Length:** 40 hours  **Required Equipment**  **\*\*\*Complete Guide to Public Safety Cycling** Third Addition (https://www.psglearning.com/catalog/productdetails/9781284256130)**\*\*\***  **-Duty Bicycle-** Reputable manufacturer mountain bike in good working order, properly fitted, street combination tires, pedal retention devices, water bottle cage, headlight (42 lumens measured at 10ft), LED red taillight, rear mount kick stand, rear rack with full size bag, **-Duty Equipment-** Duty belt, firearm, magazine, baton, handcuffs, cuff key, flashlight, **-Range Equipment-** 100 rounds ammo, foam ear protection (must fit under helmet), eye protection, **-Tools-** patch kit, tire levers, two spare tubes, compact tire pump or CO2, **-Safety Equipment-** eye protection (night and day), bicycle helmet (ANSI, Snell or CPSC approved), padded cycling gloves, body armor protective vest, **-Attire-** Full bike duty uniform, foul weather gear, **-Other-** pencil / pen, notebook, sunscreen, bug spray, Get Active Questionnaire  **Testing Procedure:** written & on-bike  **Requirements:** Applicants must be police officers currently assigned to bike patrol, officers applying to become members of a bike unit, or members of a department considering use of the bicycle.  **Certification:** IPMBA Certification is to sworn police officers who successfully complete the practical test, earn a score of 76% or better on the written test, membership to IPMBA and IPMBA pin. |