

The Spector Dispatch

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Dear Law Enforcement Officer:

I am so pleased to bring you this issue of *The Spector Dispatch*. This quarterly newsletter is brought to you in an electronic format with links that will allow you to download articles and information, or print them from easy to read PDF formats.

Spector Training's Legal Corner features an article written by Chief Alaric J. Fox, Esq., "Consent to Search: Is It Still Alive and Well?"

This quarter's nonprofit organization and/or a community program initiative that is pertinent to law enforcement is *Footwear With Care*. Founded by Officer Jim Barrett of the Hartford P.D. in 2016, it has been delivering durable and well-fitting walking shoes and boots as well as medical foot screenings to homeless children and adults in Hartford.

Life After Policing features Craig Huntley, a retired Captain from Suffield P.D. He is the owner of Valor Construction, a division of Valor LLC, which is a 100% veteran owned business that focuses on three primary areas of expertise: residential, commercial and basement solutions.

Annual Summary... End of Year Reflection! Spector Training is excited to share it's successes in providing quality training to over 1,680 Connecticut police officers and saving your agencies money!

You can be a part of this newsletter! Contact me at 860.593.6550 for more information on the process!

Best Wishes for a Happy New Year!!

Spector Training's Legal Corner

"Consent to Search: Is It Still Alive and Well?"

by Chief Alaric J. Fox, Esquire





Elliot B. Spector

"The right of the people to be secure in their persons, houses, papers, and effects, against unreasonable searches and seizures, shall not be violated, and no Warrants shall issue, but upon probable cause, supported by Oath or affirmation, and particularly describing the place to be searched, and the persons or things to be seized."

Fifty-four words. That's what we have to work with. Introduced in 1789, and added to the Bill of Rights on December 15, 1791, James Madison and his contemporaries provided us with fifty-four words that form the basis of the entirety of our modern American concepts of search and seizure. And of course, to increase the complexity of our challenge, the meaning of these fifty-four words have ebbed and flowed over time. This has never been "truer" than in Connecticut over the past two years, and in the area of "consent to search" in particular.

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LIFE AFTER POLICING























Craig Huntley, Owner & CEO

Valor Construction, a division of Valor LLC is a 100% veteran owned and operated limited liability company. The company was formed in May of 2016 and is registered with the Connecticut Secretary of State. Valor LLC is further registered with the federal government and has obtained the above referenced DUNS number. The company is also registered in the system for awards management (SAM) portal for future governmental contracts. Valor LLC has also been verified and approved as a veteran owned company by the US Department of Veteran Affairs. The company is fully licensed and insured paying out a yearly fee in workers compensation.

Valor Construction focuses on three primary areas of expertise; residential, commercial and basement solutions. The basement solution division is projected to increase substantially and we are excited about the additional workload.

2021 - Annual Summary

- SCJTN trained over 1,680 officers.
- 25 CT Agencies Hosted Programs.
- 14 Different Programs were instructed.
- SCJTN added three new courses.
- SCJTN added six people to our Team!
- SCJTN donated \$805.00 to support law enforcement.

	2021 HOST	AGENCIES
	Bloomfield	Milford
No.	Branford	New Britain
A second	Bristol	Rocky Hill
	Darien	Southington
	East Hampton	<u>Sta</u> mford
	East Hartford	Suffield
	Enfield	Wallingford
	Greenwich	Waterbury
	Hamden	Waterford
	Hartford	West Hartford
	Holyoke	Westport
	Meriden	Wethersfield
	Middletown	Windsor
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\$ 27,235.00

• FREE SEATS: \$20,020.00

• CORPORATE SPONSORSHIP: \$5,290.00

• TUITION FEE WAIVERS: \$1,925.00

Course Totals	
Alcohol & Drug Facilitated Sexual Assault	32
Basic Crime Scene Procedure	57
Basic Photography	
Comparative Certification	41
Critical Incident Management	86
Death Investigations	140
First Line Supervision	119
Legal Updates / Liability	574
Method of Instruction	27
Review Training Course	489
Report Writing for Supervisors	24
SRO Basic/Advanced	40
Street Sourcing (Informants)	19
Use of Force Liability	99
TOTAL	1,680