

**SALINAS POLICE DEPARTMENT  
SPECIAL WEAPONS AND TACTICS  
TRAINING SUMMARY**



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**SUBJECT:** CQB range training

**Course Date & Time:** 11/11/22 0700-1740

**Course Location:** Salinas Police Department Range

**Instructors:** J. Kinney

**Team Leaders:** Sgt. Craig

**Officers in Attendance**

Sgt. Craig  
R. Miller (Sniper training)  
B. McKinley  
R. Sanchez  
C. Mitchell  
M. Reyes (Sniper Training)  
I. Medrano  
A. Avila  
R. Wayman  
F. Deleon  
J. Juarez  
D. Castaneda

J. Tuiolosega  
Medic N. Thomas

**Officer Not in Attendance**

J. Heckman (CATO)  
L. Sanchez (Injured)  
N. Castillo (Sick)  
Sgt McNeil (CATO)  
L. Toribio (CATO)  
A. Magana (CATO)  
D. Pritt (CATO)  
A. Scaggs (CATO)  
J. Santiago (Sick)

**Training Goal:**

Following instruction, students will be able to perform close quarter shooting, shooting on the move and accuracy in a confined area. Students will be able to make a personal and professional risk assessment and take the appropriate action for a given situation. SWAT Team members will practice basic shooting fundamentals to improve their overall shooting ability. As the day progresses, SWAT team members will practice shooting on the move while utilizing the basic shooting fundamentals to increase speed and accuracy.

**Safety:**

All officers involved in this training were responsible for safety. If anyone involved observed any unsafe action, they immediately stopped the training and addressed the concerns. Prior to the training a weapons check was conducted to ensure that all weapon(s) were unloaded, and no live ammunition was present. If any person left the training site, a weapons check was done on them prior to them resuming training. There were radios and cell phones on site in case of an emergency. There was also a trauma kit maintained at the location. The closest hospital to the site was determined to be the Natividad Medical Center.

**Training Summary:**

**0700-0800:** SWAT team members met at the Salinas Police Services building for an overview of the day's activities, and to load equipment and gather vehicles.

**0800-0930:** SWAT team members set up the range.

**0930-1300:** SWAT members shot the pistol qualification (pistol and rifle) and followed the lesson plan. We also utilized barricades to simulate hallways and doorways. During this portion of training officers used the "rollover stock" technique to engage threats in close quarters.

Approx. 1000 .223 cal. rounds were fired

**1300-1400:** Lunch

**1400-1700:** The SWAT team was asked to participate in the Veteran's Day parade. The parade was dedicated to SWAT team member Officer J. D. Alvarado. The team made their way to Salinas High School and participated in this event.

There was some confusion regarding our roll/participation in the event. Creating a better line of communication between the SWAT team, SPD special events and the event coordinators would reduce confusion and allow more time for preparation.

**1700-1740:** The SWAT cleaned up the site and gathered all equipment. The team travelled back to the Salinas Police Department for final debrief and questions.