



PROGRAM PLANNER GUIDE

Program: Public Safety Day
Date: October 15, 2025
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Thank you for answering the call and helping us create a memorable and impactful class experience! We encourage you to be creative and bring *your* vision for this program to life. As an alumnus of the program, you have a unique perspective that only you can share. Be empowered to take all your ideas and experiences and ***Lead The Way.***

What we hope to accomplish:

Exposure to public safety and judicial entities with discussion of current issues and a large scale understanding of public safety

What we want the class to learn:

- The magnitude of responsibility that the various branches of Public Safety have and how they work together as a cohesive unit Understand the different judicial venues and processes in Cobb County.
- Hear from Public Safety and Judicial Leaders how they continue their leadership journey every day.

Resources:

Budget: \$ 1,500.00 from Chamber / \$ 2,200.00 from Chamber for transportation (if needed)

Material(s): TBD

Sponsor(s): TBD

Location(s): Suggestions: Cobb County PS Training Center, Judicial Buildings, 911, ME's office.

Transportation: Correctional center buses? Sheriff's buses?

Dress Code: Business casual or Class Attire

Suggested Speaker(s):

- Judge Brendan Murphy, Cobb Magistrate Court
- Harold Melton, Former Chief Justice
- Participants seem to like to hear from past clients when possible. Class also likes to hear about the "Behind-the-Scenes" details of a high profile case.

Suggestions for accomplishing the purpose:

Make this program as interactive as possible: EVOC course, new simulators, statics, drunk goggle course, radar gun, Jaws of Life, first appearance hearing, DA Case Simulation, etc. Incorporate an overview of the court system, personal stories/lived experiences, and how public safety intersects with everyday life.