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## MSA Training Announcement

The Crow Wing County Sheriff's Office and the Minnesota Sheriffs' Association are pleased to host  
**Rod Nelson's Civil Process Training**

### **"Street Officer's Response to Civil and Family Disputes"**

**Thursday, June 16, 2022**

**8:30 AM – 4:30 PM**

**7 POST Credits - Cost \$125**

**Course Description:** This course address many of the calls street officers respond to which turn out to be civil disputes including: landlord-tenant issues, roommate disputes, automobile repossessions, and parties withholding another's property claiming a possessory lien. This course also covers OFP's HRO's and DANCO's. What are they? How does an officer know what to do to avoid liability under 42 U.S.C. 1983. It also covers child custody and visitation disputes, divorce decree enforcement and kids in the middle of a bad situation. When is it a crime, when is it civil? What rights do children have? **PREVENT LAWSUITS THAT OTHER AGENCIES HAVE EXPERIENCED WHEN NOT HANDLING CIVIL DISPUTES PROPERLY!**

**Featured Presenter: Rod Nelson** worked with the Hennepin County Sheriff's Office for over 23 years, retiring as a captain of the Civil Process Division. He practiced law with the firm of Lommen, Nelson, Stageberg & Cole, P.A. and served as the director of the firm's training subsidiary, Compendium. Rod now serves as the director of Law Enforcement Training Services, LLC, which is committed to providing quality training to law enforcement and other professionals. LETS offers direct training and consulting services, as well as seminars throughout Minnesota. Rod has been a frequent lecturer with the Minnesota State Bar Association, the Minnesota Institute of Legal Education, and the Minnesota Sheriffs' Association, as well as a classroom instructor for the Minneapolis Community and Technical College He has authored legislation in the areas of debtor-creditor law, landlord-tenant law, domestic abuse, and other areas of law affecting the Sheriffs' civil process duties.

**Training Held In-Person only at the**

**Crow Wing County Land Service Building (park across the street at courthouse)**

**322 Laurel Street - Brainerd, MN (meeting room 2)**

**For registration information, visit the training page at [www.mnsheriffs.org](http://www.mnsheriffs.org) and click on Rod Nelson Civil Process Trainings.**

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*If you have questions or need further information please contact Tom Wells, MSA Training Coordinator by email; [twells@mnsheriffs.org](mailto:twells@mnsheriffs.org) or phone; 651-451-7216 x05.*

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