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**The Minnesota Sheriffs' Association and the Jail Academy Standardized  
Training Committee are presenting:**

# **Defensive Tactics Instructor Train the Trainer**

**May 26<sup>th</sup> - 29<sup>th</sup>, 2026**

**In-Person at the Scott County Regional  
Training Center**

**Times: 8:00 AM – 4:00 PM**

**Registration is limited to 20 attendees.**

This is a 32-hour course of lecture and hands-on instruction. The course will provide participants with knowledge, skills and confidence to professionally and properly control a resistive, combative subject. The course will cover legal and liability issues, how stress affects the body, and how to navigate through a use of force continuum. The course will also cover hand cuffing and other restraints found in corrections. Defensive tactics, Pressure points, Stuns and distractions, blocks, escapes, control techniques or escorts, Takedowns, ground survival skills, team control techniques, and edge weapons defense techniques will also be covered. This course was put together by use of force experts and instructors with over 40 years of experience and reviewed by an attorney at the Minnesota Counties Insurance Trust. This course also has a large focus on instructor development and how to instruct this material.

**Class Location: Scott County - Regional Training Facility:**

**17706 Valley View Dr, Jordan, MN 55352**

**Registration Costs: \$295 per person, which includes course materials, and break refreshments. Lunch is on your own.**

**Lodging: Hampton Inn, 4175 Dean Lakes Blvd, Shakopee, MN 55379 1-952-641-3600**

**Registration: Register for this training at [www.mnsheriffs.org](http://www.mnsheriffs.org) under Trainings or the MSA Events Page**

Parking in the back lot, enter thru main back door, follow signs to second floor.

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*If you have questions or need further information please contact:*

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