



# RHODE ISLAND DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY Municipal Police Training Academy

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## Training Announcement

### Advanced Roadside Impaired Driving Enforcement

Program Date/Time: November 29 & 30, 2018 (Thursday & Friday) 16 hours, 8:15AM - 4:15PM

Location: **Municipal Police Training Academy**

Who Should Attend: Officers with a strong command of the SFST, and future candidates considering the Drug Recognition Expert Program. ARIDE is limited to fifteen (15) officers; therefore, it is imperative those proficient or actively performing SFST attend.

**September's and October's ARIDE training filled very quickly: therefore, the Rhode Island Municipal Training Academy is offering another training session for November 29 & 30, 2018.**

The Advanced Roadside Impaired Driving Enforcement (ARIDE) program will help the officer to detect the drug impaired driver as well as present an overview of the drugs, other than alcohol, that impair operators.

The SFST program trains officers to identify and assess drivers suspected of operating a motor vehicle under the influence of alcohol while the Drug Evaluation and Classification (DEC) Program provides more advanced training to evaluate suspected drug impairment. The SFST assessment is typically employed at roadside, while an officer trained as a DRE conducts a drug evaluation in a more controlled environment such as at a police station.

ARIDE is intended to bridge the gap between these two (2) programs by providing officers with general knowledge related to drug impairment and by promoting the use of DRE's in Rhode Island. One of the more significant aspects of ARIDE is its review and student demonstration of the SFST proficiency requirements.

The ARIDE program also stresses the importance of securing the most appropriate biological sample to identify substances likely causing impairment. ARIDE is also a pre-requisite for acceptance into the DRE Program.

**NHTSA recommends SFST practitioners receive a full SFST refresher update every three (3) years. This training fulfills that certificate requirement.**

Please complete the attached registration form and fax or email to Mrs. Donna Lavallee at the Rhode Island Municipal Police Training Academy @ 401-722-3151 (fax), [donna.lavallee@risp.gov](mailto:donna.lavallee@risp.gov) no later than Friday, November 16, 2018.



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 In-service Training Application  
**Advanced Roadside Impaired Driving Enforcement**

Course Title: <b>ARIDE</b> Advanced Roadside Impaired Driving Enforcement Training – 16 hours		Training Agency Law Enforcement Highway Safety Training Coordinator Rhode Island Municipal Police Training Academy Rhode Island Department of Transportation – Office on Highway Safety	
Course Dates/Location: <b>November 29-30, 2018</b> <b>8:15 AM - 4:15 PM,</b> <b>Tuesday &amp; Wednesday</b> <b>Municipal Police Training Academy</b>	Contact Person <b>Richard T. Sullivan</b>	Business Phone: 401-722-5808 401-323-0494	
(print clearly) <b>PARTICIPANT(S) NAME &amp; RANK</b> (please include e-mail address)			
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