Course Prefix and Number:  ADJ 128  Credits:  3

Course Title:  Patrol Administration and Operations

Course Description:  Studies the goals, methods, and techniques of police patrol with focus on the norms which govern work behavior in a police career. Examines the responsibilities of administrators and field supervisors of patrol in the local and state law enforcement agencies. Prerequisite: ADJ 100. Lecture 3 hours per week.

General Course Purpose:

Course Prerequisites and Co-requisites:
Prerequisite:  ADJ 100

Course Objectives:
Upon completing the course, the student will be able to
a. Establish goals and purpose of patrol;
b. Know the different management styles used in patrol;
c. Evaluate the strengths and weaknesses of styles of administration as influenced by environment;
d. Discuss the management styles and the pros and cons of styles when considering the multi-culture community;
e. Discuss emergency response in acts of terrorism and other natural disasters; and
f. Understand the effects of domestic abuse, child abuse, elder abuse.

Major Topics to Be Included:
a. Goals and Objectives of Patrol
b. Techniques to Accomplish the Goals and Objectives
c. Methods of Management in Police Setting
d. Comparisons of Styles Presently Employed by Police Agencies
e. Responding to Natural and Man-made Emergencies
f. Terrorism and Response

Effective Date of Course Content Summary:  Fall 2008