

**JUNE 04**

**INFORMATION LETTER/UPDATE:**

I have been approached for over three years by civilians in the community who request that I teach civilian marksmanship courses for self-defense. I have resisted, but after giving it much thought, I have decided to test the waters and teach a few civilian marksmanship courses. This will be only done on a flat range and will not encompass tactics.

A great deal of my decision deals with safety and the civilian. Having obtained a concealed weapon permit (CCW) in the state of Texas, I am well aware of the lack of training most students receive when attending the mandatory CCW classes. The shooting phase of the class is more of a “pray no one shoots themselves or another student” and then get them off the range with their certificate. I want to provide follow on training for the individuals who want to safely carry and surgically employ a firearm.

Listed below are course I intend to instruct.

**CIVILIAN COURSES:**

- **Advanced Concealed Carry**
- **Tactical Pistol**
- **Tactical Rifle**
- **Tactical Pistol/Rifle**

**ADVANCED CONCEALED CARRY (2 Days)**

This course will be structured similar to the tactical pistol class, but it will focus on safe employment from the concealed carry holster or fanny pack.

**TACTICAL PISTOL (2 Days)**

This is my basic handgun course which will introduce the student to a stair-stepped shooting and training program that will allow students to self-evaluate their skills and focus on areas of weakness. Safe handgun manipulation will be engrained into the student.

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**TACTICAL RIFLE (2 Days)**

This is my basic rifle course which will introduce the student to a stair-stepped shooting and training program that will allow students to self-evaluate their skills and focus on areas of weakness. Safe rifle manipulation will be engrained into the student.

**TACTICAL PISTOL/RIFLE (3 Days)**

This course will consist of two days pistol and an accelerated one day of rifle training. All pistol and rifle skills will be the same as the two-day modules.

**IN CLOSING**

Welcome to the civilian shooters and I look forward to our training in the future.

Again, to the Law Enforcement officers, I just want to say thanks to all the men and women I have had the pleasure to work with these past years. Thank you for your dedication and service to our great nation.

Respectfully,

Paul R. Howe