Training Announcement:

Unmanned Aircraft System (UAS):

Part 107 Preparation Course

March 25th—26th, 2020

State Preparedness Training Center

Course Description
This course is designed to help Public Safety officials successfully prepare to take their FAA Part 107 Exam in order to support their agency's Unmanned Aircraft System (UAS) program. This course will focus on content covered in the Part 107 exam (outlined below) and will emphasize content areas that are less intuitive and can be difficult to understand without instructional support. Best practices, tips, and lessons learned in terms of preparation for the 107 exam will be covered. Candidates for this course should plan on taking their 107 Exam within 4-6 weeks of the course. Please note that completion of this course does not guarantee that a participant will successfully pass their 107 exam.

The course will include some introductory flight time for participants, utilizing the SPTC’s training drones.

Topics Include
This course will cover the 12 knowledge areas that are on the Part 107 exam, including UAS regulations, airspace classification, weather issues and concerns, UAS weight and loading, emergency procedures, crew resource management, radio communications management, determining the performance of small UAS, physiological effects of drugs and alcohol, decision-making and judgement, airport operations, maintenance, and pre-flight inspection procedures.

Course Provider
This course is being taught by a team of instructors from the NYS Department of Environmental Conservation (DEC) UAS program.
Location
State Preparedness Training Center
5900 Airport Road, Oriskany, NY 13424

Cost
There is NO FEE for this course. Lunch will be provided. Travel and all other meals are the responsibility of the course participant.

Times
March 25th, 2020: Check-In (10:00am-10:30am); Course (10:30am-5:00pm)
March 26th, 2020: Check-In (8:30am-9:00am), Course (9:00am-4:00pm)

Audience
This course is intended for Public Safety officials who are preparing for their FAA Part 107 Exam in order to participate in their agency’s UAS program. Interested candidates should commit to taking their 107 Exam within 4-6 weeks of taking this course. This will help DHSES and DEC to better determine the efficacy of this course.

Registration Process
All student registrations will be reviewed by the SPTC with approvals sent to students NO LATER THAN 2 weeks prior to the start of the class. Registration does not guarantee a seat in the class. If you are accepted into this course, you will receive a confirmation email from the Center.

To register for this course, access the SPTC's Training Calendar online:
http://www.dhses.ny.gov//training/calendar/?agency=SPTC

No Show Policy
Failure to attend a class you have registered for can result in restriction on future course attendance and agency notification. If you have not received a confirmation or denial two weeks prior to the course date, please contact DHSES, SPTC at (315) 768-5689 or SPTC.INFO@dhses.ny.gov

Lodging
Lodging will be provided on the night of March 25th, 2020 for public sector personnel. You are eligible for lodging if your residence and official work station are more than 50 miles from the SPTC and you are public sector personnel. Lodging is not available for federal employees or private industry participants. You must be enrolled in the course and have received lodging confirmation from the SPTC before arriving at the Center, or your lodging will not be covered and you will not be allowed in the class.

If you have any questions, please contact the SPTC at 315-768-5689 or SPTC.INFO@dhses.ny.gov prior to arriving at the Center.

For More Information, please contact the DHSES State Preparedness Training Center (SPTC)
Phone: 315-768-5689 Email: SPTC.INFO@dhses.ny.gov Website: www.dhses.ny.gov/sptc