

Mr. J. Keith Warner, Education and Training Manager Harford County Sheriff's office, President Maryland Directors of Training Association

J. Keith Warner manages the Harford County Sheriff's Office Education and Training and Leadership Development programs and also was appointed the President of the Training Director Association for the State of Maryland. As the training Manager Keith is responsible for the daily operations of the training unit to include a law enforcement coordinator, correctional officer coordinator, range master and an administrative specialist. In his current position he oversees in-service training as well as recruit officer training to include both law enforcement and corrections.

Keith retired in 2013 after serving 29 years with the Harford County Sheriff's Office. He retired as a Patrol Operations Captain and oversaw the day to day operations of the Northern Precinct with 80 deputies and several civilians. Before being assigned as the Precinct Commander, he was assigned as the first youth services Captain in 2010-2012 for the Sheriff's Office. Keith was appointed to the position and oversaw the School Resource Officers, Juvenile Drug Court, and Law Enforcement Explorer Program. He was in the planning stages of implementing the first Teen Court Program for Harford County Maryland before being assigned to Patrol Operations. While in youth services, he was appointed by the Governor of Maryland to the State Advisory Group (Juvenile Justice Council) where he was appointed Vice Chair, appointed by Harford County Executives to the Local Management Board as the Chair and was also a member of the National Coalition of Juvenile Justice –training committee.

Keith served as team leader Crisis Negotiations Team, Crisis Intervention Team (CIT) founder and developed the first Trauma Recognition Coordination program. He currently serves as Vice President of Harford County United Way, past member close foundation and youth council Harford County. Keith is married to his wife of 33 years with two lovely daughters and son-in-law.