
Fred Meyer

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Professional Profile

Fred retired as a Police Commander with more than 40 years of experience. Areas of expertise include patrol, investigations section, SWAT, active shooter response and critical incident response. Experience as an instructor spans more than 30 years.

Qualifications

SWAT	SWAT team leader
Police supervision	Active shooter instructor
Critical incident instructor	SWAT Team Leader Instructor

Experience

January 2018- **Greeley Police Department**
January 2026

Police Commander

Supervision

- Swing and Late Watch, approximately 25 officers
- Commander, Greeley SWAT Team
- Commander, Greeley Regional Hazardous Device Disposal Team

April 1995- **Greeley Police Department**
January 2018 Greeley, CO

Police Sergeant

Supervision

- Supervise from four to as many as twenty officers nightly
- Have supervised SWAT Team members on numerous successful operations for more than 17 years

Documentation

- Wrote and/or edited Department policies on response to active killing incidents and procedures for officers taken hostage
- Wrote Department SWAT manual

Training

- Currently train SWAT team members twice a month, having been involved in this training for more than 20 years
- Instruct other Departmental personnel as needed, having done so for more than 20 years
- Train officers from outside agencies

Planning

- Responsible for planning many SWAT operations
- Organize and implement annual and monthly training cycle for SWAT
- Coordinate annual Basic SWAT School attended by Greeley officers as well as members of tactical units throughout the state and from neighboring states

Instructing

- Basic and advanced SWAT tactics
- SWAT supervision
- Active shooter/killing response
- Critical incident response
- Crowd control

May 1986-
April 1995

Greeley Police Department

Greeley, CO

Police Officer

Patrol

- Nine years on a variety of shifts

Specialized units/assignments

- SWAT operator for six years, numerous operations
- Patrol tactical unit for 2 years
- Department arrest and control instructor for 7 years

Education

Highlights, Not Inclusive

2017	Siena Heights University Bachelor of Applied Science, Law Enforcement
2014	Leadership in Police Organizations
2001	National Tactical Officers Association Active shooter instructor certification
2000	Los Angeles Police Department 40-hour SWAT school
1998	Denver Special Weapons Institute/R.M. McCarthy and Assoc SWAT management
1993	Tulsa Police Department 40-hour Basic and Advanced SWAT School
1992	Denver Special Weapons Institute Dynamic Entry, warrant service planning
1989	Denver Police Department/Metro SWAT Unit 40-hour Basic SWAT School
1981-1986	University of Northern Colorado Greeley, CO Undergraduate studies as a Music Major, 512 credit hours
1978-1981	Pomona High School Arvada, CO

High School diploma

Affiliations

National Tactical Officers Association Board of Directors (2021-Present)

NTOA Instructor (2014-Present)

Past President and Board Member, Rocky Mountain Tactical Team
Association (2007-Present)

Board Member, Greeley Police Officers Association (2009-2012)

Member, Greeley Police Officers Association (1986-Present)