

# OKLAHOMA ENVIRONMENTAL LAW ENFORCEMENT TRAINING SEMINAR



*An Informative Training for Enforcement Officers,  
Environmental Managers and Decision Makers*



**When:** Thursday, April 7<sup>th</sup>, 2022

**Where:** Prairie building, Comanche County  
Fairground Lawton (920 SW Sheridan Rd, Lawton,  
OK 73505)

**Registration:** 8:30 – 9:00 a.m. / Program 9:00 a.m. –  
5:00 p.m.

**Cost: FREE** ( Space is limited; pre-registration is  
required)

## A CLEET Accredited Training Event.

8 hrs. Law Enforcement Credit Provided

*(For CLEET credit please provide your CLEET number on the registration form).*

## Why Attend?

- To gain expertise in environmental crimes investigations involving:
  - Solid and hazardous waste
  - Air and water pollution
  - Open burning
  - Agency jurisdictional issues
- To identify resources for improving local enforcement programs
- To network with others involved in environmental law enforcement.

**We are currently planning for an in-person event and will follow local COVID-19 guidelines! A verification email will be sent to all registrants a week prior to the training.**

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REGISTER** 

### The Instructor

Michael Freeman is a Criminal Investigator for the Oklahoma Department of Environmental Quality (ODEQ). Mr. Freeman's investigations have resulted in a variety of successful state and federal criminal prosecutions, ranging from minor infractions such as waste tire violations to major cases involving illegal disposal of hazardous waste, bribery, and conspiracy to defraud the U.S. government. He is an active member and officer in the Midwest Environmental Enforcement Association (MEEA). He is a Certified Computer Examiner (CCE®) and a member of the International Society of Forensic Computer Examiners, as well as a certified Equal Employment Opportunity investigator and a Certified Verbal Judo® instructor. He is also President and owner of Trilogy Financial Solutions, LLC, an Investment Adviser registered with the Oklahoma Department of Securities, and is a financial counselor trained and certified by nationally-known author and radio talk show host Dave Ramsey. A regular instructor of CLEET accredited environmental enforcement courses, Freeman's interest in sharing his knowledge and experience is sure to help strengthen the efforts of anyone involved in the important arena of environmental law enforcement.

### AGENDA

- REGISTRATION**            8:30 – 9:00 a.m.
- INSTRUCTION**            9:00 a.m. – 12:00 p.m.
- LUNCH BREAK**            12:00 – 1:00 p.m. (**Lunch Provided**)
- INSTRUCTION CONTINUES**    1:00 – 4:00 p.m.
- TESTING / CERTIFICATION / ADJOURNMENT** 4:00 – 5:00 p.m.

#### INSTRUCTION TOPICS:

- What is environmental crime?
- Who investigate environmental crimes?
- Responding to crime scenes
- Danger at environmental crime scenes
- Dealing with hazardous waste
- Open burning
- Oklahoma and Federal Clean Air Acts
- Safe Drinking Water Act
- Administrative vs. civil vs. criminal enforcement
- Overview of environmental crime statutes
- Oklahoma's littering & dumping laws
- Oklahoma Environmental Crimes Acts
- Resource Conservation and Recovery Act
- Case studies/law enforcement video
- Whom to call for assistance
- Landfill enviro-scape demonstration

### REGISTRATION FORM

Scan and email to: [keima.kamara@okstate.edu](mailto:keima.kamara@okstate.edu)

Environmental Law Enforcement Training Seminar

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**Your registration will be confirmed by phone or email.**