

WEBER COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE		POLICY AND PROCEDURES	
SUBJECT: Motorcycle Enforcement Training		CHAPTER/SECTION NO.: 45.48	
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45.48 Policy

45.48.1 The course consists of riding exercises and the development of mechanical knowledge. The exercises begin with relatively simple maneuvers and increase in complexity as the course progresses. Safety and defensive riding tactics are stressed throughout the training. The training will include formation riding, proper parking, and other skills that will be developed and obtained through the training deputy.

A. Basic riding skills

1. This phase of training develops coordination, balance, control, and the confidence necessary to proficiently operate a motorcycle. Participants also become familiar with the handling characteristics of police motorcycles. Training is accomplished through lecture and demonstration followed by individual and group practice. Training includes close quarter turning maneuvers, negotiating various cone patterns, dirt riding, emergency riding and stopping maneuvers and procedures, and balance techniques.
2. Highway and enforcement riding skills
 - a) This phase of training provides traffic experience and riding techniques required to safely

operate an enforcement motorcycle. Emphasis is placed on the development and utilization of sound riding judgement. Training includes lecture and discussion. Riding practice is conducted in selected areas to expose the participants to a variety of traffic conditions found in business, residential and rural areas, and on freeways. Night riding and simulated enforcement problems are included.