

# SOLUTIONS PROPOSAL



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## **Executive Summary**

Public safety agencies and local government organizations today face challenges of keeping personnel safe and healthy, reducing risk and maintaining a positive reputation. Add to that the dynamically changing legislative landscape and evolving best practices, and even the most progressive, forward-thinking departments can struggle to keep up.

Lexipol's solutions are designed to save you time and money while protecting your personnel and your community. Our team consists of professionals with expertise in public safety law, policy, state and federal accreditation, training, mental and physical wellness and grants. We continually monitor changes and trends in legislation, case law and best practices and use this knowledge to create policies, training, wellness resources and funding services that minimize risk and help you effectively serve your community.

#### THE LEXIPOL ADVANTAGE

Lexipol was founded by public safety experts who saw a need for a better, safer way to run a public safety agency. Since the company launch in 2003, Lexipol has grown to form an entire risk management solution for public safety and local government. Today, we serve more than 10,000 agencies and municipalities and 2 million public safety and government professionals with a range of informational and technological solutions to meet the challenges facing these dynamic industries. In addition to providing policy management, accreditation, online training, wellness resources, and grant assistance, we provide 24/7 industry news and analysis through the digital communities Police1, FireRescue1, Corrections1, EMS1 and Gov1.

Our customers choose Lexipol to make an investment in the safety and security of their personnel, their agencies and their communities. We help agencies address issues that create substantial risk, including:

- Inconsistent and outdated polices
- Lack of technology to easily update and issue policies and training electronically
- Unchecked mental health needs of staff
- Difficulty keeping up with new and changing legislation and practices
- Inability to produce policy acknowledgment and training documentation
- Unfamiliarity of city legal resources with the intricacies of public safety law
- The need to secure grant funding for critical equipment, infrastructure and personnel

Lexipol is backed by the expertise of 440 employees with more than 2,075 years of combined experience in constitutional law, civil rights, ADA and discrimination, mental health, psychology, labor negotiations, Internal Affairs, use of force, hazmat, instructional design, federal and state grants and a whole lot more. That means no more trying to figure out policy, achieve accreditation, develop training or wellness content, or secure funding on your own. You can draw on the experience of our dedicated team members who have researched, taught and lived these issues.

We look forward to working with Thorntown Police Department to address your unique challenges.

## Scope of Services

#### **Policy Manual**

Constitutionally sound, up-to-date policies are the foundation for consistent, safe public safety operations and are key to reducing risk and enhancing personnel and community safety. Lexipol's comprehensive policy manual covers all aspects of your agency's operations.

- More than 155 policies researched and written by public safety attorneys and subject matter experts
- Policies based on State and federal laws and regulations as well as nationwide best practices
- Content customized to reflect your agency's terminology and structure

#### **Daily Training Bulletins (DTBs)**

Even the best policy manual lacks effectiveness if it's not backed by training. Lexipol's Daily Training Bulletins are designed to help your personnel learn and apply your agency's policy content through 2-minute training exercises.

- Scenario-based training ties policy to real-world applications
- Understanding and retention of policy content is improved via a singular focus on one distinct aspect of the policy
- Each Daily Training Bulletin concludes with a question that confirms the user understood the training objective
- Daily Training Bulletins can be completed via computers or from smartphones, tablets or other mobile devices
- Reports show completion of Daily Training Bulletins by agency member and topic

#### **Policy Updates**

Lexipol's legal and content development teams continuously review state and federal laws and regulations, court decisions and evolving best practices. When needed, we create new and updated policies and provide them to your agency, making it simple and efficient to keep your policy content up to date.

- Updates delivered to you through Lexipol's web-based content delivery platform
- Changes presented in side-by-side comparison against existing policy so you can easily identify modifications/improvements
- Your agency can accept, reject or customize each update

#### Web-Based Delivery Platform and Mobile App (Knowledge Management System)

Lexipol's online content delivery platform, called KMS, provides secure storage and easy access to all your policy and training content, and our KMS mobile app facilitates staff use of policies and training completion.

- Ability to edit and customize content to reflect your agency's mission and philosophy
- Efficient distribution of policies, updates and training to staff
- Archival and easy retrieval of all versions of your agency's policy manual
- Mobile app provides in-the-field access to policy and training materials

#### Reports

Lexipol's Knowledge Management System provides intuitive reporting capabilities and easy-to-read reports that enhance command staff meetings and strategic planning.

- Track and report when your personnel have acknowledged policies and policy updates
- Produce reports showing completion of Daily Training Bulletins
- Sort reports by agency member, topic and other subgroups (e.g., shift, assignment)
- Reduce the time your supervisors spend verifying policy acknowledgement and training completion

#### **Supplemental Publication Service**

Lexipol's Supplemental Publication Service (SPS) streamlines the storage of your agency's content, giving you one place to access procedures, guidelines, general orders, training guides or secondary policy manuals.

- Electronically links department-specific procedural or supplemental content to your policy manual
- Provides electronic issuance and tracking for your agency's procedural or supplemental content
- Allows you to create Daily Training Bulletins against your procedural content
- Designed for standard operating guidelines, procedures, general orders or field guides

#### **Law Enforcement Operations Procedures**

To ensure consistent, effective and safe operations, a law enforcement agency's procedures should align with its policies and be accessible in an easy-to-understand format. Lexipol's Law Enforcement Procedure Guide and Framework, based on national best practices, gives you the guidance and a template to build such a procedure manual.

- More than 40 procedure guides designed to help you ensure your procedures follow important policy requirements and national best practices
- Each procedure provides an editable template to conveniently author new content and merge existing agency content
- Procedures are aligned with Lexipol policy requirements to address the most important operations of a law enforcement agency
- Well-structured and policy-aligned procedures enhance preparation for accreditation assessments

#### **Full Implementation**

Lexipol's Full Implementation Service is individually tailored for agencies who want a start-to-finish, comprehensive policy adoption assistance. Lexipol's experienced Professional Services staff will:

- Streamline the process of policy adoption
- Assist your agency in developing a policy manual that meets your unique needs, philosophy and project timeline
- Integrate pre-existing agency content into appropriate sections within the policy manual
- Use a proven structure of policy editing and content merging, which will provide a framework to expedite subsequent policy updates and Daily Training Bulletin administration

## **Proposal**

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## Overview

Lexipol empowers first responders and public servants to best meet the needs of their residents safely and responsibly. We are the experts in policy, training and wellness support, committed to improving the quality of life for all community members. Our solutions include state-specific policies, online learning, behavioral health resources, funding assistance, and industry news and information offered through the websites Police1, FireRescue1, EMS1 and Corrections1. Lexipol serves more than 2 million public safety and government professionals in over 10,000 agencies and municipalities. The services proposed below are designed to meet your agency's specific goals and needs.

## **Annual Subscription**

QTY	DESCRIPTION	UNIT PRICE	DISC	DISC AMT	EXTENDED
1	Annual Law Enforcement Policy Manual & Daily Training Bulletins w/Supplemental Publication Service w/ Procedures (12 Months)	USD 4,012.00	5%	USD 200.60	USD 3,811.40
	Subscription Line Items Total			USD 200.60	USD 3,811.40
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Annual Subscription TOTAL:					USD 3 811 40

## One Time Implementation Fee

QTY	DESCRIPTION	UNIT PRICE	DISC	DISC AMT	EXTENDED
1	Law Enforcement Full Implementation	USD 14,046.00		USD 0.00	USD 14,046.00
	One-Time Line Items Total			USD 0.00	USD 14,046.00
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One Time Implementation Fee TOTAL:					USD 14,046.00

<sup>\*</sup>Law Enforcement pricing is based on 3 Law Enforcement Sworn Officers.

**Notes** 

Year 1 Total Price \$17,857.40 **Discount Notes**Annual 5% IN Chiefs Association Discount