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## **RIO HONDO FIRE TECHNOLOGY**

# **FIRE INVESTIGATION 2A**

## **Criminal and Legal Procedures**

**Date:** February 3, 4, 5, 10, 11, 2012 (40 Hours / Five 8-Hour Days)  
**Time:** 0800 – 1700  
**Location:** Rio Hondo Fire Academy (11400 Greenstone Ave., Santa Fe Springs, CA 90670)  
**Instructor:** Andy Grzywa

**Class Cost: \$195.00 Due before the first day of class (NO EXCEPTIONS).**  
 Checks payable to: Rio Hondo College

**NOTE:** *Class fees are NON-REFUNDABLE after the first session. Please remit payment to:  
 Rio Hondo Fire Academy, 11400 Greenstone Ave., Sta. Fe Springs, CA 90670  
 Attn: Rowena Mendoza*

**Designed For:** Fire fighters and fire investigation personnel

**Description:** This course provides information on conducting an explosive investigation and a surveillance operation, preparing a search warrant, testifying as an expert witness, assembling a curriculum vitae, and properly documenting a criminally caused fire. In addition, each student will be assigned to an investigative team to conduct an investigation of their own criminally caused fire. During this practical exercise, each team will be required to conduct the scene investigation, properly collect and document supportive evidence, prepare their written case report, and present their findings to a district attorney and a judge to review.

**Prerequisites:** Fire Investigation 1A, Fire Investigation 1B

**Certification Credit:** Fire Investigator II

**Materials Needed:** Students are required to bring on the first day of class:

- **Search Warrants, 2009 Edition** (Available at: CDAA - [www.cdAA.org](http://www.cdAA.org))
- \*\* Additional books and/or items may be required at an additional cost.

Due to the limited class size, reservations are required. A minimum of 20 students is required or class will be canceled. Please complete the required information below and either fax to Rowena Mendoza at (562) 941-7382, or email to RMendoza@riohondo.edu

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