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NEWS RELEASE

Introducing CRASE (Citizens Response to Active Shooter Events)

Denison, Texas (February 1, 2024) – In response to the imperative need for preparedness in the face of potential active shooter events, the Denison Police Department is proud to introduce the Civilian Response to Active Shooter Events (CRASE) training initiative. This program equips businesses and faith-based organizations, within the City of Denison, with invaluable knowledge and strategies to effectively respond to such critical situations.

Developed by the Advanced Law Enforcement Rapid Response Training (ALERRT) at Texas State University in 2004, CRASE is specifically designed to empower civilians with the necessary skills and plans to navigate and survive active shooter incidents. The Denison Police Department's certified officers, trained through ALERRT, will conduct these sessions.

The CRASE training covers various essential topics including the history and prevalence of active shooter events, understanding the human body's responses to high-stress situations, and civilian response strategies and tactics.

Learn more about the course and how to participate at DenisonPDTX.com

Join us in equipping our community with the knowledge and tools to respond effectively to active shooter events.

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