

A Letter from Your President



**Reserve Deputy John Gahring
Linn County Sheriff's Office**

IOWA STATE RESERVE LAW OFFICERS ASSOCIATION
"Voice of Iowa Reserve Law Enforcement Officers"

Fellow Iowa reserve peace officers,

I would like to take this opportunity to invite everyone to the 52nd annual Conference and Business Meeting of the Iowa State Reserve Law Officers Association being held at the Marriott Hotel in West Des Moines on April 5-6-7, 2024.

This has been a very busy year for the ISRLOA and I know Conference Chairperson Mike Schleimer has worked very hard to put together another great conference. I'm sure you will enjoy the guest speaker as well as the seminar, entertainment and fellowship with other reserve officers.

I hope each of you had a safe and enjoyable holiday season and I am looking forward to seeing all of you in West Des Moines this spring.

Sincerely;

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "John H. Gahring". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

John Gahring
ISRLOA President

Iowa Reserve Peace Officers
"Volunteering to Serve"

FRIDAY, APRIL 5

Board of Directors Meeting	10:00 a.m. - 2:00 p.m.
Registration	4:00 p.m. - 6:00 p.m.
Entertainment	9:00 p.m. - 12 midnight
Hospitality Room	12 midnight - 2:00 a.m.

SATURDAY, APRIL 6

Displays	8:00 a.m. - 4:00 p.m.
Registration	8:00 a.m. - 9:30 a.m.
Opening Ceremony	9:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m.
District Meetings	10:00 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.
Annual Business Meeting	10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.
Seminar	12:30 p.m. - 4:30 p.m.
Reserve Liaison Officer meeting	12:30 p.m. - 2:00 p.m.
Cocktail Hour (Cash Bar)	6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m.
Banquet	7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m.
Entertainment	9:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m.
Hospitality Room	10:00 p.m. - 2:00 a.m.

SUNDAY, APRIL 7

Brunch	9:30 a.m. - 10:30 a.m.
Presentation of Awards	10:30 a.m. - 11:30 a.m.
Adjournment	11:30 a.m.

**ALL MEMBERS ATTENDING
THE SATURDAY SEMINARS
ARE REQUESTED, BUT NOT REQUIRED
TO WEAR THEIR UNIFORMS**

TRAINING SEMINAR

DEFENDING IOWA: TACTICAL INSIGHTS FOR RESERVE OFFICERS IN THE WAR AGAINST TERRORISM

This training will cover the importance of Counter Terrorism Training for Reserve Officers. Give an understanding and history of terrorism.

We will go over the legal framework and intelligence gathering of terrorism. The Reserve Officers will recognize behavior and go over tactical response strategies. The importance of Community engagement and public awareness.

Then conclude with technology and cybersecurity terrorism.

12:30 - 1:30	SESSION 1 — Defending Iowa against Terrorism
1:30 - 1:40	<i>BREAK</i>
1:40 - 2:30	SESSION 2 — Defending Iowa against Terrorism
2:30 - 2:40	<i>BREAK</i>
2:40 - 3:30	SESSION 3 — Defending Iowa against Terrorism
3:30 - 3:40	<i>BREAK</i>
3:40 - 4:30	SESSION 4 — Defending Iowa against Terrorism and Wrap Up

YOU MUST BE A MEMBER TO ATTEND CONFERENCE

Only members of the Iowa State Reserve Law Officers Association will be allowed to attend the annual conference and business meeting. Spouses may attend and do not have to be members. If you wish to join the association, please complete the application. Annual dues are \$20.00 per year.

2024 GUEST SPEAKER

IOWA ATTORNEY GENERAL BRENNA BIRD



Before taking office as Iowa Attorney General in January 2023, Brenna served as a prosecutor for six years, first as the Fremont County Attorney and then since 2018 as the Guthrie County Attorney. She was elected by her fellow county attorneys to leadership roles with the Iowa County Attorney Association, most recently serving as the Association's President.

Brenna has also engaged in the private practice of law, worked in the Iowa Governor's Office and the U.S. House of Representatives, and taught as an adjunct professor at the University of Iowa College of Law.

Born and raised on an Iowa farm where she was homeschooled, Brenna graduated from Drake University and went on to receive her J.D. from the University of Chicago Law School, where she served as symposium editor of the school's law journal. In addition to her law studies, Brenna also helped entrepreneurs on Chicago's South Side start their own businesses.

She lives on the family farm in rural Dexter with her husband Bob, an Iraq war veteran, and their son.

2024 SEMINAR INSTRUCTOR

BRIAN ENDRIZAL

Director of Safety & Security Des Moines Area Community College



Brian is a retired Special Agent with a diverse investigative and operational background in the law enforcement and intelligence profession.

A retired licensed/bonded Private Investigator in the State of Iowa, former team consultant with NCMEC and a former Special Investigator with the FBI's BICS Unit. Skilled in Crisis Management, Intelligence Analysis, Government, Emergency Management, and Law Enforcement.

Strong military and protective services professional with a BA focused in Communication from Bowling Green State University. Current TS Security Clearance.

Friday Night
9:00 P.M. to 2:00 A.M.

HOSPITALITY ROOM

BAGS TOURNAMENT

SILENT ACTION

Saturday Night
9:00 P.M. to 10:00 P.M.



MIKE ARMSTRONG

**LAW ENFORCEMENT COMEDY
FAMILY LIFE-POLICE LIFE-PLAIN LIVING**

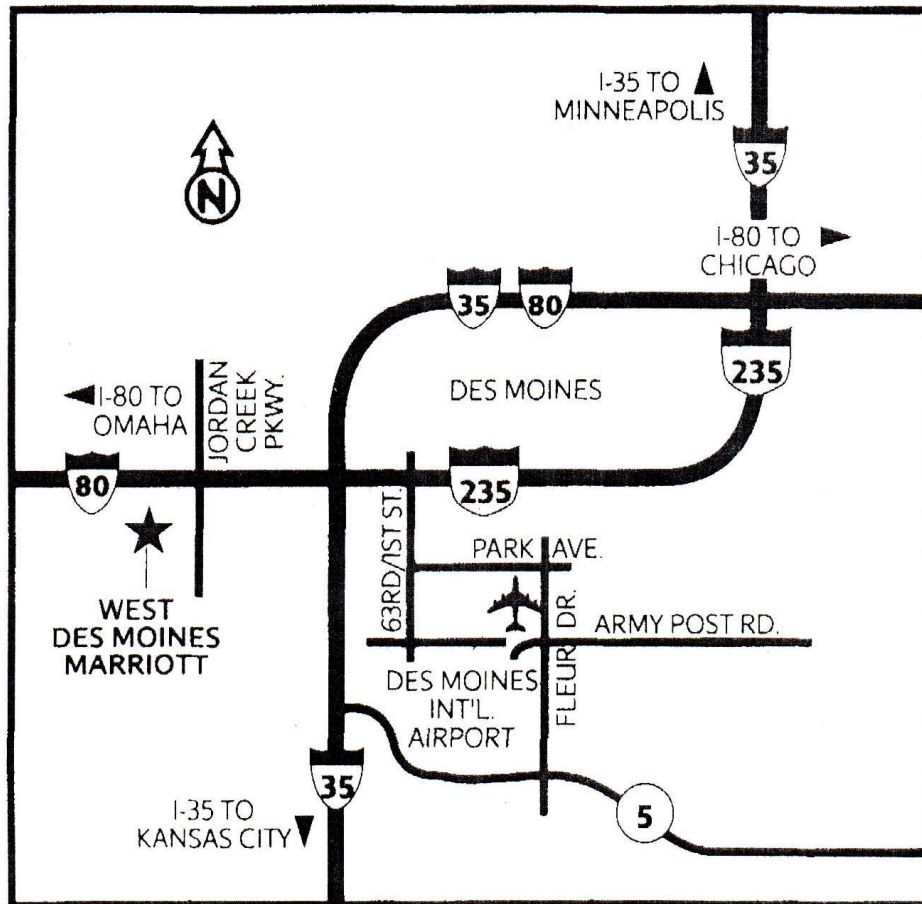
While he was working as a police officer in Kentucky, Mike was encouraged by his fellow officers to give it a try at the local open mic night and ended up winning \$300 his very first time on stage. Because of his unique talent for improvisational comedy, he became a regular on The Bob & Tom Show and will forever be known as the *Ex-Cop on The Bob & Tom Show*.

Mike's shows are family friendly and are full of hilarious real life stories of family life, police life and just plain living.

When asked why he has kept his shows like this over the years, his response was he didn't want to put on a show that his Grandma wouldn't enjoy and that philosophy has worked out great for him throughout the years.

WANTED
Door Prizes for the 2024 Conference

HOW TO GET THERE.....



WEST DES MOINES MARRIOTT
1250 Jordan Creek Parkway
West Des Moines, Iowa

AMENITIES

Parking * Fitness Center
Pool * Wireless High Speed Internet
Plug in Panels in Rooms
Lounge / Dining