



**BEAUMONT POLICE DEPARTMENT
CLERGY AND POLICE PARTNERSHIP (CAPP)
APPLICATION FOR ENROLLMENT**

DATE: _____

NAME: _____ DATE OF BIRTH: _____

ADDRESS: _____ CITY/ZIP: _____

BUSINESS ADD: _____ OCCUPATION: _____

HOME PHONE: _____ WORK PHONE: _____ CELL PHONE: _____

EMAIL ADDRESS: _____

DRIVERS LICENSE#: _____

SOCIAL SECURITY #: _____

CHURCH AFFILIATION: _____

YOUR POSITION IN THE CHURCH: _____

HOW MANY YEARS OF MINISTRY EXPERIENCE DO YOU HAVE? _____

ARE YOU THE SENIOR PASTOR (circle one) YES NO

IF YOU ARE NOT THE SENIOR PASTOR, PLEASE PROVIDE A RECOMMENDATION LETTER FROM YOUR SENIOR PASTOR.

ARE YOU AWARE THAT THERE ARE 36 HOURS OF TRAINING THAT MUST BE COMPLETED BEFORE BEING ACCEPTED AS A CAPA MEMBER? _____

AFTER COMPLETION OF THE CLERGY ACADEMY, WILL YOU BE AVAILABLE TO MINISTER IN POLICE CALL OUT SITUATIONS AT ALL HOURS OF THE DAY AND NIGHT? _____

WHAT IS YOUR WILLINGNESS TO PARTICIPATE IN SENSITIVE SITUATIONS: CRISIS ENVIRONMENTS, EMERGENCY SITUATIONS, AND HIGH RISK CONDITIONS? _____

WHAT IS YOUR WILLINGNESS TO COMMIT TO VOLUNTEER, A MINIMUM OF 4 HOURS A MONTH TO RIDE-ALONG WITH POLICE OFFICERS? _____

WHAT IS YOUR WILLINGNESS TO VOLUNTEER UNDER ADVERSE WEATHER CONDITIONS?

WHAT IS YOUR WILLINGNESS TO ATTEND AND PARTICIPATE IN CAPP MEETINGS AND RELATED CAPP EVENTS?

HOW MANY ADHERENTS DO YOU HAVE IN YOUR ORGANIZATION? _____

HOW DID YOU HEAR ABOUT THE CAPA POLICE ACADEMY? _____

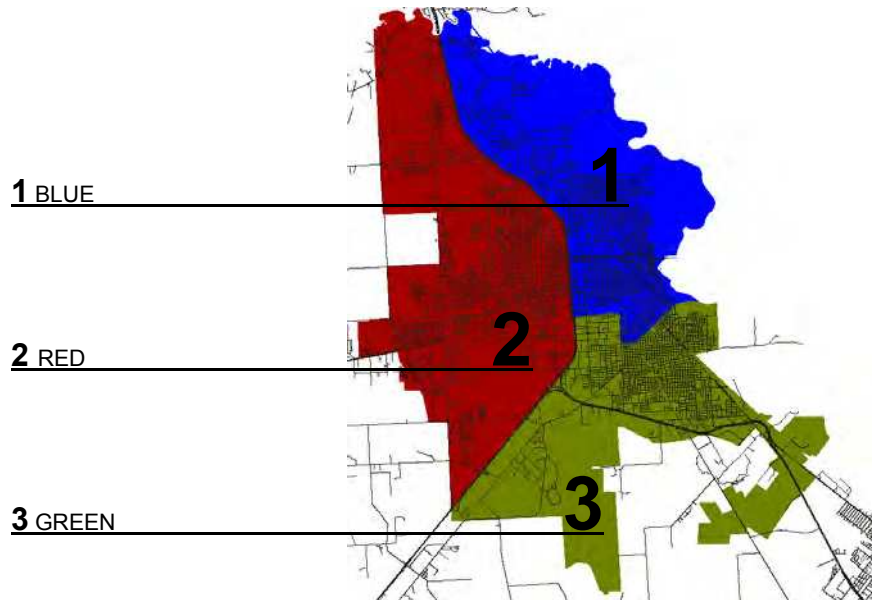
HAVE YOU EVER BEEN ARRESTED OR CONVICTED OF A CRIME? IF SO, EXPLAIN.

GIVE THE NAMES AND ADDRESSES/PHONE NUMBERS OF TWO REFERENCES:

1. _____
2. _____

I DO NOT HAVE A PREFERENCE OF THE AREA I WISH TO MINISTER IN _____

MY ZONE PREFERENCE I WISH TO MINISTER IN IS? _____
(CHOOSE THE NUMBER OF THE COLORED AREA)



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CRIMINAL HISTORY CHECK --- ATTACHED --- NONE (CIRCLE ONE)

SIGNATURE OF COMMANDER/SUPERVISOR APPROVING APPLICATION:

X _____ DATE: _____

Return completed application to:

Beaumont Police Department
Captain Glen Durst
P. O. Box 3827
Beaumont, Texas 77704

Beaumont Police Department

Clergy and Police Alliance – CAPP

“Working together for a better Beaumont”

The Beaumont Police Department Clergy and Police Alliance (CAPA) was created to provide a means for local clergy and their congregations to work in partnership with the police department to serve the citizens of Beaumont. This organization was formed recognizing that clergy and their congregations bring unique faith-based resources that can be an assistance in emergency and crisis situations which include personnel and facilities. Some of the goals for CAPA are:

- Assist the police in nontraditional roles.
- Assist in domestic or other situations where a minister is requested
- Offer support to victims
- Provide calm in crisis situations to prevent an escalation of violence
- Relay factual information back to the neighborhoods using your established networks during emergency situations
- Emergency and Disaster response

Members of this organization are volunteers who apply for membership and are selected by the Chief of Police and serve at his direction. Applicants must be recognized clergy or ministers (which may include lay ministers) of any denomination from a standing congregation with affiliation in the City of Beaumont. Police Department personnel will conduct background checks of CAPA applicants which the Chief of Police will review before approving a member.

In order to be participating member of CAPA you must attend a Minister’s Police Academy which is a 10 week, three hours per week, training class designed especially for clergy, pastors, and ministers to indoctrinate you on the workings of the police department and the criminal justice system. After graduation from this course you will ride-along with a designated officer to complete your training before you begin functioning in an official capacity as a CAPA member. Upon becoming a CAPA member you will be expected to participate in a scheduled ride-along of at least four hours every two months and attend scheduled CAPA meetings.

