

Mick retired from the Columbus (OH) Police Department after serving the majority of his career working first as a Narcotics Officer and then as a decorated member of the Strategic Response Bureau (SRB). Using the experiences he gained working in Loss Prevention and Risk Management in the private sector before joining the Police Department, Mick worked closely with corporate, private, and government agencies to investigate, identify, and orchestrate the apprehension of individuals, gangs, and employed in involved in thefts, extortion and other crimes against individuals and companies.

Mick's experience in undercover surveillance operations includes strategic planning, technology selection/application, staffing, unit leadership, site security audits, and documentation. Among the honors received for his work, Mick has been given 2 Mutual Aid Awards for outstanding investigative work with local, state, federal, and corporate enforcement and security specialists. He was also the recipient Mayor's Award of Excellence, Officer of the Month, and numerous Letters of Accommodation. Mick also served as a Boxing Instructor for new cadets at the Columbus Police Department Training Academy.

Mick brings to Safeguard Risk Solutions the experience of a seasoned Police Officer with a working knowledge of safety and security in the corporate world. Mick proactively collaborated with management and front line employees to develop and provide action plans that improved loss prevention strategies and outcomes. Mick educated employees on preventive measures to minimize external losses and controlled internal losses by monitoring physical inventory and financial transactions. Mick's efforts provided a safe environment for employees, visitors, and customers.

As Vice President of Safeguard Risk Solutions, Mick trains both employees and customers in how to use an 'All-Hazards' approach to conduct Security and Vulnerability Assessments. He presents to business, schools, daycare centers, and places of worship methods used to reduce liabilities to keep their children, customers, employees, members safe.

Education

Columbus Police Department, Rank of Officer 1992

Ohio Peace Officer's Training Academy, Basic Certification and Training, 1991

Criminal Justice, Defiance College 1990

Specialized Training:

Active Shooter

CPD SWAT Tactical Program

Advanced Criminal Interdiction/Vehicle Search Training

Interview Techniques

Quick Action Deployment (QUAD)

Community Policing/Problem Solving

Computer Science
Ethics in Law Enforcement