The annual inventory certification is winding down. Every participating agency must complete the online certification by Thursday, 12/15/16.

One final webinar is available to help you navigate the online process.

Join a webinar for a live demonstration of how to complete the annual inventory certification and get assistance with the process.

Wednesday 12/7/16, 4:00-4:30 p.m.
https://global.gotomeeting.com/join/723769981
Audio: (312) 757-3121
Access: 723-769-981

Space is limited, register now!

Date: Friday, 12/2/16
Time: 8:30 a.m.—12:00 p.m.
Location: Crested Butte Town Hall
507 Maroon Ave
Crested Butte, CO 81224

Registration: https://www.surveymonkey.com/r/BD3VTPJ

Save the Date
Date: Wednesday, 2/8/17
Time: 8:30 a.m.—12:00 p.m.
Location: Larimer County Sheriff’s Office, Fort Collins

Two more overview general training sessions for the 1033 Law Enforcement Support Office (LESO) Program are scheduled.

We plan to host multiple training sessions throughout the year at different locations, and look forward to seeing you there.

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Mark your calendar for 1033 Program Training

Annual Inventory Certification due December 15, 2016

Rifles and armored trucks available for transfer

Request justification examples
1033 LESO Program Annual Inventory Certification Due 12/15/16

As you know, the 1033 LESO Program annual inventory certification process is due Thursday, 12/15/16.

If any single agency in Colorado has not completed the online certification by the deadline, then the entire state will be suspended from acquiring equipment until the certification is completed by every participating agency.

Statewide accountability benefits every agency. Therefore, one late agency will hold up the entire state. Don’t be that agency!

This is our opportunity to clean up the online records so that they match the physical world. Contact our office to correct any discrepancies between the physical and online inventory numbers.

We have made great progress so far. As of 11/21/16, 106 agencies have completed the process and an additional 10 agencies have started the process.

Three things are necessary to complete the inventory certification:

1. Current State Plan of Operation signed by the Chief or Sheriff
2. Physical inspection of items on the agency’s 1033 inventory list
3. Completion of the online certification on FAMWEB LESO FEPMIS.

After physically inspecting equipment, the simple online process takes about 10 minutes for most agencies to complete.

Complete the online certification at https://fam.nwcg.gov/fam-web/
If you need to reset your password, call 866-224-7677 option 4. Contact our office if you need to set up an account, 303-239-5776.

1033 LESO Armored Trucks Available for Transfer

Two Peacekeeper Armored Personnel Carriers are available for transfer through the 1033 LESO Program. These trucks feature armor plating and bullet-resistant glass to keep officers safe. Both trucks run and drive, are considered in good condition, and were built in the 1980s.

Contact our office if you are interested in acquiring one of these vehicles.

1033 LESO Rifles Available for Transfer

We have a large quantity of both M14 and M16 rifles available for transfer through the 1033 LESO Program.

Overall, the rifles are in good, usable condition, ready to be issued to officers in your agency. Rifles are available in multiple locations around the state.

If you are interested in acquiring rifles, contact our office to start the transfer process.
What is the KEYWORD notice on RTD equipment searches?

If you have searched for equipment on the DLA External Business Portal, Reutilization-Transfer-Donation (RTD) website recently, chances are that you have encountered a new KEYWORD flag on select items. This is a new feature to alert users that they may be requesting a controlled or prohibited item. Like any new system, it is a little rough at the start. Many more items are flagged than are actually prohibited. Most requested items are not prohibited.

Prohibited items that agencies may not acquire through the 1033 LESO Program include:

- Tracked Armored Vehicles
- Weaponized Aircraft, Vessels, or Vehicles
- Firearms or Ammunition of .50 Caliber or Higher
- Grenade Launchers
- Bayonets
- Camouflage Uniforms

As you can see in the below example, an intrenching tool carrier has been flagged with the KEYWORD, but this is not a prohibited item. You can still request items that have the KEYWORD flag, as long as they are not on the prohibited list. If you see the KEYWORD flag, feel free to contact our office with questions.

Request Justifications

Every request for an item through the 1033 LESO Program must be justified, explaining why the agency should be awarded the item.

What makes a good justification? Remember to address Three Points:

1. The item must be for use by the requesting law enforcement agency (no requesting items to give away).
2. The item must be for a law enforcement purpose or use (no requesting items for other purposes).
3. The justification must be convincing (make sure the justification matches the item).

This page and the next page contain some examples of good justifications from Colorado.

Item: Flashlight
Justification: These would be used by members of a law enforcement SWAT team to locate and identify potential threats when conducting drug enforcement operations during low light conditions.

Item: Truck, Carryall
Justification: We would like to use this SUV as a mobile police surveillance vehicle and outfit it with several camera systems. The car will be used in bait operations, prostitution stings, SWAT scouts and surveillance when other options are not available.

Trivia Corner

How many tourniquets, bandages, defibrillators, and sleeping bags were distributed to law enforcement agencies in the U.S. through the 1033 LESO Program in 2016?

See the answer on page 4.
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The Law Enforcement Support Office (LESO) within the Department of Defense (DoD), Defense Logistics Agency, facilitates the 1033 LESO program. This program allows transfer of excess DoD property that might otherwise be destroyed to law enforcement agencies across the United States.

Section 1122 of the National Defense Authorization Act authorizes state and local agencies to purchase equipment and supplies in support of counter-drug, homeland security, and emergency response activities through federal sources of supply. Agencies can take advantage of the volume buying power of the Federal Government for low prices.

More Request Justifications

Item: Saw, Hand, Crosscut
Justification: Our Sheriff's Department would use these saws to remove the antlers from elk and deer as the requirement of DOW when we issue road kill to the general public.

Item: Snow Blower
Justification: Our Sheriff's Department would be able to remove snow from the front of our office. Currently we use snow shovels and this would help with time, labor and fatigue of the lucky deputy who has to shovel.

Item: Bicycle
Justification: The police mountain bikes will be used by the Sheriff's Office to perform routine patrols and provide law enforcement presence on the extensive public trail system in the county. The bikes will also provide better access for deputies responding to calls for service in areas not accessible by vehicles and provide a means to have better tracking of illegal homeless camps on county property.

Trivia Answer

Answer: 34,155 tourniquets, 42,416 bandages, 162 defibrillators, and 6,146 sleeping bags were distributed in 2016.

See what law enforcement agencies across the state and country acquire through 1033 LESO by going to http://www.dla.mil/DispositionServices/FOIA/EF0IALibrary.aspx and scroll to the very bottom of the page. Click the “Alaska-Wyoming and US Territories” link to download a spreadsheet containing all the items. The spreadsheet is updated quarterly.