

# *Jody P. Rowland*

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## **Executive Summary**

34 year security and law enforcement professional with senior management experience in developing strategic security programs and planning for personal, facility and asset protection. An FBI National Academy graduate with 25 years of law enforcement and 10 years corporate security management of high profile security operations, public interaction and leading inter-agency coordination of security and emergency operational teams.

## **Professional Experience**

### **AUGUSTA NATIONAL GOLF CLUB, Augusta, Georgia (2005 – 2014)**

#### **SECURITY MANAGER**

- Responsible for the development and implementation of the Club's security strategies and programs, which includes initiatives to ensure the protection of the Club's membership, personnel, facilities and assets.
- Developed the Club's first policy and procedure manual for the Security Department.
- Directed all security related technology including CCTV camera systems, access control that includes biometric designs and smart cards, employee badging, intrusion detection, and life safety.
- Prepare and manage annual budget for Security operations as well as for the Masters Tournament.
- Project management for capital expenditures for Security related equipment and service contracts.
- Perform and coordinate security audits, risk assessments, security plans, inspections, investigations, drills and surveys within Club operational guidelines.
- Liaison to Senior Management and Executive Leadership for outside consultants, insurance companies, vendors, and contractors in security related matters. Technical resource for security and emergency-related committees, including the Emergency Operations Team (EOT).
- Conduct relevant training and presentations.
- Manage security staff on a 24x7, 365 days a year schedule.
- Establish and cultivate relationships with local, state, and federal law enforcement, fire officials, private security firms and other federal, state and local emergency personnel.
- Lead all security functions for the Masters Tournament, which includes over 900 personnel ( including local, state, federal law enforcement and contractors)

### **SOUTH CAROLINA STATE CONSTABLE (2003-Present)**

- Authorized to enforce the laws of the State of South Carolina

### **EAI CORPORATION, Anniston, Alabama (2004 – 2005)**

#### **LAW ENFORCEMENT CONSULTANT TO THE U.S. DEPARTMENT OF HOMELAND SECURITY**

- Independent Contractor, Instructor – First Responders for Weapons of Mass Destruction.
- Member of instructional team presenting strategic training to local agencies on responding to a weapon of mass destruction incident. Courses presented to first responder agencies throughout the United States.

**AIKEN COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE, Aiken, South Carolina (1993 – 2003)**

**SHERIFF – (2003)**

- Appointed in January 2003 by Governor Sanford to serve until special election in April 2003

**CHIEF DEPUTY (1995 – 2003)**

- Managed all aspects of the day to day operations of the Sheriff's Office.
- Assisted with developing and administering a \$6,000,000 annual budget.
- Responsible for personnel matters, including hiring, training and disciplinary action for 106 sworn Officers, 60 Reserve Deputies, 22 Posse Members and 39 civilian employees.
- Developed the agencies first written policy and procedure manual and it is still largely used today.
- Experienced in case management from a crime scene to courtroom.
- Developed grant proposals that brought in over \$3,000,000.00 of additional funding to secure Automated Fingerprint Identification System (AFIS) and a Regional Drug Lab.

**CAPTAIN, CRIMINAL INVESTIGATIONS (1993 – 1995)**

- Responsible for managing a staff of 27 and a \$600,000 annual budget.
- Managed Criminal Investigation Division, Juvenile Division, Narcotics and Forensics Division.
- Developed Dare and School Resource Officer programs in every Middle and High School in jurisdiction.
- Supervised Special Weapons and Tactics Team.
- Developed cooperative working agreements with surrounding agencies in our judicial district.

**SOUTH CAROLINA ALCOHOLIC BEVERAGE CONTROL COMMISSION, Columbia, South Carolina (1987 – 1993)**

**ENFORCEMENT AGENT**

- Conducted investigations and made administrative and criminal cases for the state of South Carolina involving alcohol related vice crimes.
- Worked state wide but mainly in an eight county area with fellow agents and local jurisdictions.
- One of the Commissions highest activity agents every year.

**EDGEFIELD COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE, Edgefield, South Carolina (1981 – 1985)**

- Uniformed Road Patrol and Investigations.

**AIKEN COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE, Aiken, South Carolina (1980 – 1981)**

- Uniformed Road Patrol.

**EDUCATION**

University of South Carolina – Master's Degree, Criminal Justice (1998)

FBI National Academy – (Session 176)

South Carolina Criminal Justice Academy – (Basic 2 - '82)

Newberry College – Bachelor's Degree – Sociology/Criminal Justice (1980)

**MEMBER OF THE FOLLOWING ORGANIZATIONS:**

FBI National Academy Associates

ASIS International

South Carolina Law Enforcement Officers Association

National Sports Safety and Security