



# LAW ENFORCEMENT ACTION PARTNERSHIP

ADVANCING JUSTICE AND PUBLIC SAFETY SOLUTIONS

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## **Officer Jack Wilborn (Ret.)**

**Glendale Police Department Reserves, Arizona  
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Jack Wilborn joined the Glendale Police Department as a reserve officer in the mid 1980s because he wanted to serve his friends, family, and neighbors through volunteer work. In his department, reserve officers performed many of the same roles as active duty police including patrol assignments.

Wilborn was a National Rifle Association and Arizona Law Enforcement Officers Advisory Council firearms instructor for most of his career. He photographed crime scenes, worked with the bomb squad, and assisted motorcycle officers with truck enforcement. He also spent many hours working with young people completing court-mandated community service projects.

Wilborn also saw how arrests – specifically drug arrests – impacted many Arizonans, particularly young people. “I saw an 18-year-old arrested for possession of marijuana. I followed the case to see how it went, and it destroyed the young man’s life.”

Wilborn retired from the police reserves in 1993 for medical reasons. Wilborn now speaks to communities throughout Arizona about his experiences in law enforcement and the need for criminal justice reform.

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