

Patrol rifle programs

- Phoenix Police Department: 3,000 sworn; 60 rifles; no private purchases.
- Denver Police Department: 1,500 sworn; 200 rifles; private purchases authorized.
- Las Vegas Police Department: 3,000 sworn; 400 rifles; private purchases authorized.
- Dallas Police Department: 3,100 sworn; 300 rifles; private purchases authorized.
- Miami-Dade Police Department: 3,100 sworn; more than 300 rifles; private purchases authorized.

Source: Phoenix Police Department

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AR15 Style Rifles

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From the proposal of the MPA, **staff recently authorized the use of personally owned AR15 style rifles.** Officers interested in using their own rifles must successfully complete a 40 hour rifle school prior to deploying with their rifle. The next rifle school is scheduled for April 7th thru 10th and is limited to 16 students. Rifles must meet certain specifications and be approved by a Mesa PD rifle armorer prior to attending the school. See the "[Authorized Firearms](#)" document under "Authorized Personally Owned Patrol Rifles". Send all training requests to Training, not the range. Any questions can be directed to the firearms staff @ x2662.

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Friday, February 20th, 2009

**For each member that signs up, a portion of Liberty Mutual's
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