



Kolene Dean retired from the City of Hurst Police Department with 27 years' experience in Property Room Management. She also worked as a Crime Scene Technician and Jailer for 16 years as well as an AFIS operator and the trainer for North East Tarrant County.

Kolene was the President of the Texas Division International Association for Identification in 1985/86. She is the **founding President of the Texas Association of Property & Evidence Inventory Technicians** serving as President for over 5 years. Remaining a very active member in this association her goal is helping others.

In the early 1980's, Kolene developed the curriculum and began teaching Property Room Management classes at Tarrant County College. She later began teaching classes throughout the state of Texas including Sam Houston State University, Council of Government, International Association for Property and Evidence, and Texas Association of Property and Evidence Inventory Technicians. She remains active in teaching at these institutions.

After retiring from Hurst Police Department in 2003, Kolene started KD's Property & Evidence Consulting. She performs audits, inventories and organizational help for Law Enforcement Departments. In February of 2017 Kolene will be celebrating 40 years in the property/evidence field.

She has been married over 54 years to Frank Dean and they have one daughter.

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