

## Monadnock Expandable Baton Instructor Training Program

The Office of Staff Development and Training congratulate the following employees on completing the Monadnock Expandable Baton Instructor Training Program, which was held at the North Carolina Justice Academy on November 18 - 20, 2014. This course provided the instructors with the specialized certification to instruct personnel within the Department of Public Safety / Adult Correction and Juvenile Justice on the use of the Monadnock Expandable Baton. This program offered the instructors an understanding of the use of force as it pertains to the use of the Expandable Baton, techniques in the use of the expandable baton to control hostile inmates/offenders while ensuring officer safety and protection in the performance of their duties. This course thoroughly explained the Monadnock Escalation of Trauma chart, which is a guide for employees utilizing the expandable baton and explains the physiological and medical impacts of its use. During this 2 1/2 day course, instructors completed a proficiency exam, which consisted of each instructor demonstrating proficiency in the ability to perform all the required baton techniques, a written examination, and successfully performed a teaching assessment.

Please join us in congratulating these instructors.....GREAT JOB!



**Front Row (L to R standing):** David Moore, Charlene Battle **Front Row (L to R kneeling):** David Cox, Joey Elliott, Michael Deluca, Cythnia Munday **Second Row:** (L to R) Ronald Stallings, Robert McDonald, Jeremy Robinson, Derrick Green, Ashley Harrington, Franklin Graham **Third Row:** (L to R) David Fields, Keith Bowers, Christopher Buchanan, Gary Stokley, Jeffrey Casassa