

News Release

Posterity Press, a longtime nonprofit supporter of the U.S. military, has just published *Homeland Siege: Tactics for Police and Military*, isbn 978-0-9818659-1-1. The book's research was done by H. John Poole—the same retired Marine who composed *The Last Hundred Yards: The NCO's Contribution to Warfare* in 1997. Its Foreword is by Maj.Gen. Ray L. (“E-Tool”) Smith USMC (Ret.), former commander of Camp Lejeune.

Homeland Siege presents little-known enemy intelligence as a lead-in to better tactical technique for U.S. troops and policemen. But this intelligence doesn't come from some foreign shore; it comes from the borders, highways, and urban centers of America—with the enemy being international organized-crime factions. The book first checks into which Hispanic and Asian gangs may be controlling the wholesale distribution of drugs. Then, it provides chapters on drug route identification, noncombatant-sparing urban assault, and collateral-damage-free defense. All three topics should be of equal interest to police and military. The lessons of *Homeland Siege* will make U.S. streets safer to walk and Afghan villages easier to pacify.

Part One of *Homeland Siege* discusses the possibility of foreign power's indirect assault on the American homeland. The most fragrant evidence of such an assault has been cyber, but it may well entail a crime wave. Such things are always possible in 4th-Generation Warfare (4GW)—that which is fought in the political, economic, psychological, and martial arenas simultaneously. If such an attack were in progress, U.S. leaders would be reluctant (because of the *Posse Comitatus* provision of the Constitution) to use their Armed Forces to stop it.

Part Two discusses the extent to which U.S. military and police missions have merged over the years. Then, Part Three offers extensively researched chapters on drug route mapping, civilian-saving urban assault, and neighbor friendly defense. They will help U.S. police to handle the next Stateside terrorist incident and U.S. service personnel to defeat the drug-funded Taliban.

This book is “a critically important work on a national security threat that is dangerously growing,” according to a past CENTCOM Head. Others agree, to include *Leatherneck Magazine*, the *Columbus Ledger-Enquirer* (GA), four flag rank officers, an Army historian, the Army retiree who founded Presidio Press, and the father of 4GW. This exciting soft-cover trade has 336 pages, 99 illustrations, notes, glossary, bibliography, and name index. It is available for \$14.95 from amazon.com, posteritypress.org, military exchanges worldwide, and Barnes & Noble bookstores.