

## **Call for Participation: LEOPRD Assessment Tool Pilot**

BJA, in partnership with the CNA Corporation and a panel of policing experts, is working to better understand the research, planning, and analysis capacities of police agencies through the Law Enforcement Organization of Planning and Research Directors (LEOPRD) project.

The LEOPRD project has developed a tool to assess an agency's current level of capacity for research, planning, and analysis. The tool's purpose is to identify strengths and weaknesses in these capacities, and to suggest resources and services to improve identified gaps. LEOPRD is seeking agencies to participate in a pilot to ensure the tool's effectiveness and accuracy (several law enforcement agencies have already participated in the pilot). Through the pilot, CNA will gather agency feedback and make appropriate revisions to the tool. The assessment will take approximately an hour and should be completed by a senior executive responsible and/or very familiar with the research, planning, and analysis activities within your department. **If your agency is interested, please respond to Vivian Chu ([chuv@cna.org](mailto:chuv@cna.org), 703-824-2176) by May 17, 2013.**