



HAMPDEN POLICE DEPARTMENT

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FULL-TIME POLICE OFFICER

The Hampden Police Department is accepting applications for the position of full-time police officer for a Non-Civil Service agency. We are seeking a motivated, disciplined, professional officer to join our department with a community policing philosophy. Hampden is a rural community with approximately 5400 residents. The department is currently budgeted for 11 full time officers. Hampden provides a benefits package that includes competitive wages, paid time off, uniform allowance, educational incentives.

ENTRANCE REQUIREMENTS:

- Education/Experience Requirement: Preferred candidates should be an active Law Enforcement officer with a minimum of one year of full-time police officer experience. Candidates are preferred to have successfully graduated from a Massachusetts Municipal Police Training Council Basic Police Full Time Police Officer Academy, in accordance with MGL Chapter 41, Section 96B. A high school diploma or its equivalent is required. Applicants must be a U.S. Citizen and have a valid driver's license. Higher education and/or military experience is preferred, but not required.

AGE REQUIREMENT: Applicants must be at least 21 years of age by the date of appointment.

QUALIFYING CREDITIALS:

- Pass an oral interview
- Pass a background investigation that includes a check of school records, credit history, inquiry as to character and reputation, past and current neighbors, employment references and a fingerprint based criminal records check.
- Pass physical, psychological evaluation and Physical Ability Test (PAT.)
- Successfully pass a drug test.
- Meet all certifications requirements for Massachusetts police officers.

Applications are available on our website, www.hampdenpolice.com. Application packets can also be picked up at the Hampden Police Department. Please submit completed application, resume, and cover letter to Sergeant Michael Cooney, 100 Allen Street, Hampden, MA 01036.

DEADLINE TO SUBMIT ALL APPLICATION PAPERWORK IS MAY 12TH, 2022

EEO/AA We believe diversity strengthens our organization and all qualified applicants are encouraged to apply.