



Human Resources Department
Forms And Documents

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POSITION ANNOUNCEMENT

The following position is now open. Current employees interested in this position must submit an application within ONE WEEK of the announcement date. Applications for Employment are available at the City Public Works Building, 555 So Section Street, Monday through Friday, from 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m. or faxed to (251) 990-0156. Completed applications and resumes can be mailed to City of Fairhope, ATTN: Human Resources, P.O. Drawer 429, Fairhope, AL 36533. Applications received after the closing date will not be considered.

Position Information

Job Title: Police Officer Department: Police
Job Status: Regular Full-Time Temporary Full-Time *If temporary, give required dates of service:*
 Regular Part-Time Temporary Part-Time *From: _____ To: _____*
Standard Scheduled Hours: 12 hour shifts Days to be Worked: Varies
Starting Pay Rate: \$17.12 - \$22.25*
GRADE 21

Position Description

General nature/purpose of work:

Provide for public safety by maintaining order, responding to emergencies, protecting people and property, enforcing motor vehicle and criminal laws, and promoting good community relations.

Primary duties and responsibilities:

1. To protect people and property
2. Respond to emergencies
3. Enforce motor vehicle and criminal laws
4. Serve and execute warrants
5. Identify, pursue, and arrest suspects for criminal acts

Other duties and responsibilities:

1. Prepare reports that document incidents
2. Issue traffic citations
3. Testify in court and present evidence
4. Patrol area on foot or in patrol vehicle
5. Promote good community relations

***Officer will be under direct supervision of Patrol Lieutenant and will use patrol vehicles and various police equipment.**

Minimum Qualification Standards (Additional qualification standards are found on the job description.)

Knowledge, skills and abilities:

- Ability to recognize and handle all types of behavior from the public.
- Driving skills to properly and safely operate a vehicle under adverse conditions.
- Knowledge of jurisdiction, its buildings, and road system.
- Knowledge of local, state, and federal laws and court procedures.
- Knowledge of department rules, regulations, policies and procedures.
- Ability to properly and safely use weapons.
- Knowledge of first aid.
- Ability to analyze situation and adopt quick, effective, and reasonable courses of action.
- Skills to operate radio and other office equipment.

Requirements:

- Must be at least 21 years of age
- Must be a U. S. Citizen
- Must pass written exam
- Must pass APOSTC agility/ability test
- Must attend an interview before an interview board
- Must pass polygraph examination
- Must pass a psychological examination
- Must pass a medical examination and drug screening test
- Must participate in a background check
- Must have a valid Alabama driver's license
- Live within City of Fairhope Police jurisdiction or willing to relocate into the Fairhope Police jurisdiction within one year
- Ability to qualify at fire range

Date of Announcement: 01/03/2017 Closing Date for Applications: Until Filled

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Human Resources

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