



SHERIFF

FORT BEND COUNTY



Vacancy Notice – Enforcement Bureau

Deputy Sheriff - Patrol

ID 2014-1483	Job Code 16-006	Job Location Richmond, Texas	Category Sheriff's Office
Min Start Salary \$1,706.40/Bi-weekly (\$21.33/Hour)		Max Start Salary \$1,872.00/Bi-weekly (\$23.40/Hour)	

Application Method:

Go to www.fortbendcounty.jobs, click Search/Apply for a Job, and select the search category for Sheriff's Office. Upon completing the online application, report to Sheriff's Office Personnel located at 1521 Eugene Heimann Circle, Suite 144 in Richmond, Texas for further instructions. Personnel Office hours are Monday – Friday from 7:30AM – 4:30PM.

Overview:

Enforces laws of the State of Texas and Fort Bend County and protects persons and property. Participates in planning of programs, policies or objectives for own work group and department.

Responsibilities:

May be assigned duties in K9 Patrol, Livestock Division, Patrol Division, ID Division, Youth Programs, and Community services. Conducts search and rescue operations. Performs routine police patrol as a deterrent to crime. Issues citations and/or warnings to violators when appropriate; arrests violators; testifies in court as needed. Maintains reports as required. Maintains weapons and equipment assigned. Conducts initial crime scene investigations. Answers citizen calls for police assistance. Maintains weapon proficiency. Participates in activities and duties related to emergency management during a local state of disaster as directed by appropriate county managers.

Qualifications:

High School Diploma/GED and currently holds or eligible* to hold a Peace Officer License awarded by the Texas Commission on Law Enforcement (TCOLE). One year experience in a law enforcement agency performing peace officer, telecommunication, or correctional officer duties; or 2 years military service with an honorable discharge; or 30 semester credit hours with a minimum cumulative GPA of 2.0 from an accredited college or university. Strong verbal and written communication skills; strong interpersonal skills and ability to deal effectively with the public, other employees and elected officials. Valid Driver's License. Must maintain all requirements to be licensed as a peace officer under TCOLE rules.

***AT THE TIME OF APPLICATION SUBMISSION you must have PASSED a Basic Police Academy and PASSED the TCOLE Licensing Exam.**

CLOSING DATE: Open until filled

All full-time and part-time employees are members of the Texas County District Retirement System (TCDRS). Full-time employees also enjoy a wide-range of great benefits.

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