



Springerville

Arizona



Lateral Police Officer

Hourly Range

\$24.63 - \$31.21

\$5,000 Hiring Bonus:

\$1,500 at Hire

\$1,500 at 12 Months

\$2,000 at 24 Months

Competitive benefits package, including paid sick leave and vacation, 100% employee paid Insurance, \$1,200 annual uniform allowance, and a take home vehicle are provided. The Town is part of the Public Safety Personnel Retirement System.

SUMMARY:

The Springerville Police Department is recruiting for Certified Lateral Police Officers. The Towns of Springerville/Eagar are currently in the process of consolidating to become the **NEW Round Valley Police Department** servicing a community of around 6,600 population. Under general supervision, officers will patrol the Towns, respond to crime and accident scenes, emergency situations; apprehend and arrest criminals and enforces the laws of the Towns.

All applicants will be required to pass pre-hire testing and AZ POST background investigation.

MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS:

US citizen; high school graduate or GED; ability to obtain an Arizona driver's license; ability to perform the full range of police related duties; physically fit and able to meet AZPOST certification criteria.

Veteran preferences shall be as provided per A.R.S § 38-492

The Community:

The Town of Springerville is nestled in the valley surrounded by the beautiful Apache-Sitgreaves National Forest .

Springerville is known for its 4 seasons. "The Gateway to the White Mountains", Springerville sits at an elevation of 6,968 feet. Springerville has a year round estimated population of 1,717, although this increases with the summer visitors. Springerville is located 220 miles North-East of Phoenix and only 14 miles from the New Mexico Stateline. Endless outdoor adventures, rich local history, and cool mountain temps are just a few reasons Springerville is the perfect community to reside. Sunrise Ski Park, a premier mountain retreat is less than 30 miles away. Enjoy hiking through hundreds of miles of public land trails, skiing the slopes of nearby Sunrise Ski resort, fishing in the many local lakes and rivers, and incredible hunting for big and small game.

How to Apply

Apply at <https://springervilleaz.gov/employment-opportunities/> or by sending your application and resume to the Town Clerk. **Additional information & a complete job description** are available at the Town of Springerville , 418 E. Main St., Springerville, AZ 85938, or on the Towns website.

Or by contacting Kelsi Miller at (928) 333-2656 ext. 224
kmiller@springervilleaz.gov

PATROLMAN

Town of Springerville

Police Department

POSITION SUMMARY

This position reports directly to the Sergeant. Responsibilities include general duty police work in the protection of life and property through the enforcement of laws and ordinances. Work is performed in accordance with departmental rules and regulations and patrolmen receive assignments and instruction from officers of higher rank. Work normally consists of routine patrol, preliminary investigations and traffic regulation duties. Work may involve an element of personal danger. The patrolman must be able to act without direct supervision and exercise independent judgment in meeting emergencies. Work methods and results are checked by superior officers through personal inspections, review of reports and discussions. This position is non-exempt under FLSA.

ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS

- Operates an automobile in patrolling an assigned area for the prevention of crime and the enforcement of traffic laws and regulations.
- Responds to radio and telephone dispatches and reports to scenes of disorder or crime.
- Investigates and prepares reports on accidents, offenses and damage to property.
- Gives directions and information to the public.
- Makes arrests, directs traffic and requests medical attention when necessary.
- Appears in court as arresting officer or to present evidence.
- Transports prisoners assists in the investigation of crimes and collects and preserves evidence.
- Interrogates witnesses and suspects.
- Participates in safety conferences and programs.
- May be assigned to special functions.
- Assists in enforcement of all Town of Springerville ordinances.

ADDITIONAL FUNCTIONS

- Assists other departments as the need arises.
- Coordinates department activities with other city and county departments.
- Performs other duties as deemed necessary or assigned.

CERTIFICATIONS

- Arizona P.O.S.T. certification.
- Valid Arizona Driver's License.
- No criminal record.

POSITION REQUIREMENTS

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Experience: Successfully pass field training.

Education: High School Diploma or GED. Complete APOST Basic Officers Academy Training required for certification by the State of Arizona.

Technical Skills: Knowledge of the geography of the Town of Springerville. The location of important buildings or ability to acquire this knowledge rapidly. Ability to read and understand departmental policies, instructions, laws and regulations. Ability to analyze situations and to adopt a quick, effective and reasonable course of action. Ability to prepare clear and accurate reports. Skilled in the use of firearms. Physical agility, keen observation, and ability to remember names, faces and details of incidents. Ability to follow oral and written directions. Ability to learn the use and care of automobiles. Ability to speak and write effectively. Good computer skills.

Problem Solving: Must possess quick, accurate problem-solving skills.

Decision Making: Constant, accurate at all times

Supervision: None.

Financial Accountability: Directly responsible for the safe operation of departmental equipment in a cost-effective manner.

Personal Relations: Excellent public relation skills at all times.

Working Conditions: Work shifts as determined by supervisor.

Physical Requirements: Excellent physical condition. Able to perform in an environment that is always changing.

The specific statements shown in each section of this description are not intended to be all inclusive. They represent typical elements and criteria considered necessary to successfully perform the job.

The Town of Springerville is an Equal Opportunity Employer.
This job description last updated September 2019.