



THE TOWNSHIP OF BOONTON POLICE DEPARTMENT

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BOONTON TOWNSHIP POLICE DEPARTMENT HIRING ANNOUNCEMENT AND ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS- POLICE OFFICER

The Boonton Township Police Department is currently accepting resumes for the position of full-time police officer. We welcome New Jersey police officers, New Jersey police academy recruits and graduates, and those who possess a waiver-eligible, NJ Police Training Commission SLEO-II certification with one year experience. We also welcome non-PTC applicants. We are seeking candidates who possess the necessary traits and characteristics defined in the Department's core values; *honesty, integrity, fairness, compassion, and respect.*

Police Officers in Boonton Township are entitled to a competitive starting base salary of **\$51,531.00**, health benefits, and enrollment into the PFRS. As well as an array of other benefits including a tuition reimbursement program aimed towards the professional development of our employees.

Throughout the course of the hiring process, successful candidates will be required to submit to a drug test by urinalysis, a fingerprint check, an intensive background investigation, a medical examination, and a psychological examination. A negative result is a condition of employment. A positive drug test result will disqualify the applicant, therefore, preclude the applicant from being considered for employment and cause the applicant's name to be reported to the central drug registry maintained by the Division of State Police. A positive drug test will also preclude the applicant from being considered for future law enforcement employment for a period of two years.

Additionally, if the applicant is currently employed by another agency as a sworn law enforcement officer and the officer tests positive for illegal drug use, the officer's employing agency will be notified of the test results and the officer will be terminated from employment and permanently barred from future law enforcement employment in New Jersey.

Applicants must meet all minimum qualifications and shall submit their resumes **by January 12, 2024**, to Lieutenant Joseph D'Agostino at JDAGOSTINO@BTPOLICE.ORG. Qualified applicants will be notified upon review. Do not contact us regarding the status of your submission. Out of state waiver applicants will not be considered.

ABOUT THE BOONTON TOWNSHIP POLICE DEPARTMENT AND THE COMMUNITY IN WHICH IT SERVES;

Department Overview:

- Staffed by thirteen (13) sworn officers and two (2), Class III SLEO officers
- Provides law enforcement services for the Boonton Township community
- Officers patrol approximately 8.5 square miles, a population of approximately 4,380, comprised of neighborhoods, farmlands, and county roadways

General Duties:

Some of the essential duties of a Boonton Township Police Officer include:

- Patrolling an assigned area(s)
- Responding to, taking charge of, maintaining order by directly controlling the scene in an emergency
- Preparing and submitting precise reports on investigations, arrests, motor vehicle crashes, and other police matters
- Protect life, property, and the rights of citizens by enforcing State laws and County and Municipal ordinances

Minimum Qualifications:

Applicants must meet the following minimum qualifications:

- A citizen of the United States & a resident of the State of New Jersey for at least (6) months prior to the date of appointment;
- Of mental and bodily health sufficient to satisfy the Board of Trustees of the Police and Firemen's Retirement System of New Jersey that he/she would be eligible for membership in the retirement system;
- Able to read, write and speak the English language well and intelligently;
- Of good moral character and free from conviction of any crime constituting an indictable offense or any crime or offense involving moral turpitude;
- Able to pass such written, oral, physical, and psychological examinations as may be approved by the Township manager and meet essential job performance requirement;
- A graduate from a senior high school or shall have had formal education or training showing attainment of the level represented by graduation from senior high school;
- Shall have earned at least 60 college credits from an accredited college or university or have completed (4) years active military service concluding with an honorable discharge.
- The holder of a valid New Jersey driver's license;
- Otherwise meets all the requirements of N.J.S. 40A:14-122 to N.J.S. 40A:14-127.