

# POLICE OFFICER

<b>Salary:</b>	\$21.00 - \$32.35 DOQ	<b>Opening Date:</b>	1/1/21
<b>Status:</b>	Full-time	<b>Closing Date:</b>	Open until filled
<b>Work Hours:</b>	10 hour variable shifts	<b>Department:</b>	Police Department
<b>Work Location:</b>	South Jordan Public Safety Building	<b>Supervisor:</b>	Police Sergeant

**Special Notes:** **SALARY INCREASES FOR EACH YEAR OF LEO QUALIFYING EXPERIENCE!**

*At the time of hire, a new full-time officer shall receive service credit for all LEO qualifying experience at the rate of one to one, rounded to the nearest whole year and consistent with the Police Step Plan Policy. Salary increases approximately 2.75% for every year of LEO qualifying experience.*

## THE PURPOSE

To serve and protect the citizens of South Jordan by enforcing laws and maintaining the peace in order to achieve our vision of a safe community.

## MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS

- Graduation from High School or G.E.D.
- Utah POST certified or certifiable Law Enforcement Officer
- Valid Utah Class D Driver License
- At least 21 years of age by date of hire
- Pass pre-employment physical fitness test
- Successful completion of examination process which may include a written examination, physical examination, background investigation, polygraph examination, psychological examination and evaluation, drug screen, and oral interviews.
- Subject to 24 hour call out

## KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS, AND ABILITIES

- Knowledge of modern law enforcement principles, procedures, techniques and equipment; applicable Federal, State, County, and City laws and ordinances and departmental rules and regulations; hazardous waste classifications and emergency procedures related to control, containment and confinement; investigative procedures and practices; legal liabilities associated with arrest and law enforcement; court room procedures and rules of evidence.
- Skilled in the use of firearms, the operation of police vehicles and other specialized equipment including breathalyzers, radar units, police batons and restraining devices; basic CPR, First Aid and emergency response driving.
- Ability to qualify with department issued weapons as required.
- Ability to operate a personal computer and Microsoft products.
- Ability to react effectively in an emergency, life and death, and stress situations; exhibit imagination, initiative and problem-solving capability in coping with a variety of law enforcement situations; follow standard safety practices and procedures common to law enforcement work; perform work requiring good physical condition; communicate effectively, verbally and in writing; establish and maintain effective working relationships with employees, other agencies and the public.

## BENEFITS

- 10 hour shifts
- Take home car program (within 35 miles of City Hall)
- Flexible health benefits including medical, dental, vision, and life insurance
- Twelve paid holidays
- Paid vacation, sick, caregiver, and personal leave
- Non-contributory public safety retirement through Utah Retirement Systems
- 4% match into 457 or 401(k) retirement savings plan
- Public Safety URS Tier II employees receive an additional percentage into 457 or 401(k) retirement savings plan
- Tuition Reimbursement up to \$5,000 per calendar year



**NOTE:** Interested candidates must complete and submit a South Jordan City application and current resume to Human Resources through the website at [jobs.sjc.utah.gov](http://jobs.sjc.utah.gov). A complete list of essential functions and minimum requirements of this position may be viewed on the job description, which is also located at the above-mentioned website. To request accommodation under Americans with Disability Act please contact the City's EEO Program Manager at 801-254-3742 ext. 1852.

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