

# START AN EXCITING CAREER WITH THE ST. LOUIS COUNTY POLICE DEPARTMENT

Assignments include:

- Patrol Officer
- Robbery Detective
- Homicide Detective
- Crime Scene Detective
- Precinct Detective
- Drug Enforcement Detective
- Intelligence Detective
- Firearms Instructor
- Tactical Operations Officer
- Crisis Intervention Team Officer
- Academy Instructor
- DARE Instructor
- Bicycle Patrol Officer
- Canine Officer
- Highway Safety Officer
- Community Action Team Officer
- Citizens Police Academy Officer
- School Resource Officer
- Neighborhood Policing Officer
- Bomb/Arson Detective
- Metro Air Support Pilot

**DONT JUST THINK ABOUT YOUR FUTURE  
MAKE IT HAPPEN NOW!**

**VISIT OUR WEBSITE  
OR CALL THE PERSONNEL SERVICES  
UNIT AT 314-615-4273**

**THE ST. LOUIS COUNTY POLICE DEPARTMENT  
IS AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER**



St. Louis County Police Department  
An Internationally Accredited Agency

## POLICE SERVICES EMERGENCY 911

### RESOURCES

GENERAL INFORMATION	314-889-2341
TTY HEARING IMPAIRED	911 OR 314-889-2345
MUNICIPAL SERVICES UNIT	314-615-0184
POLICE REPORT PURCHASES	314-615-7177
CRIMESTOPPERS	1-866-371-TIPS
GOVERNMENT CENTER INFO.	314-615-5000

### HEADQUARTERS

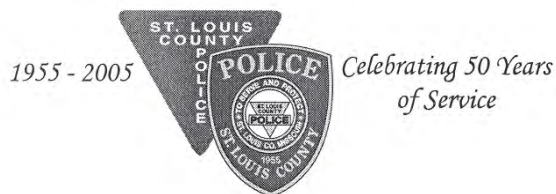
ST. LOUIS COUNTY POLICE	314-889-2341
7900 FORSYTH BOULEVARD	
ST. LOUIS, MISSOURI 63105	

### DIVISION OF OPERATIONAL SUPPORT

PERSONNEL SERVICES UNIT	314-615-4273
POLICE APPLICANT QUESTIONS	314-615-4273

### PRECINCT STATIONS

NORTH COUNTY (1 <sup>ST</sup> ) PRECINCT	314-355-1200
CENTRAL COUNTY (2 <sup>ND</sup> ) PRECINCT	314-567-9926
AFFTON SOUTHWEST (3 <sup>RD</sup> ) PRECINCT	314-638-5550
SOUTH COUNTY (4 <sup>TH</sup> ) PRECINCT	314-892-1510
CITY OF FENTON (5 <sup>TH</sup> ) PRECINCT	636-349-8120
CITY OF WILDWOOD (6 <sup>TH</sup> ) PRECINCT	636-458-9194
WEST COUNTY (7 <sup>TH</sup> ) PRECINCT	636-256-2602



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# POLICE OFFICER RECRUITMENT



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*Chief of Police*

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# ST. LOUIS COUNTY POLICE

## A Community-Oriented Police Department

The St. Louis County Police Department was founded in 1955 with a force of 95 commissioned officers. We have grown to an authorized strength of 790 sworn members and 258 highly skilled civilian support personnel. This growth is a reflection of our commitment to Neighborhood Policing - a partnership between police and law-abiding citizens to create permanent solutions to problems that lead to crime.

The St. Louis County Police Department provides a uniform patrol presence spanning 370 square miles across unincorporated St. Louis County. We are also the largest provider of contracted law enforcement services in the State of Missouri, contracting with over 70 agencies for a variety of services.

We appreciate our employees and the citizens we serve. We also believe that the members of the St. Louis County Police family represent our community. For these reasons, we seek to attract citizens from every community, other law enforcement agencies, professions and disciplines to all positions in our Department. We value the men and women of America's military. Everyone is equally welcome and encouraged to apply.

Every day will bring a new, non-routine and exciting challenge to you and another opportunity to help and protect others. We offer a positive work environment; fair and family-friendly work policies; modern equipment; innovative programs and many opportunities to receive advanced training for your safety, security and advancement.

## QUALIFICATIONS INCLUDE:

- ◆ You must be 21 years of age and a United States citizen at the time of appointment
- ◆ You must be a high school graduate or possess a GED, with one year full-time prior police experience or two years of military service; have an associate's degree or 64 semester credit hours from an accredited university or college
- ◆ You must possess a valid state operator's license
- ◆ Free from conviction of a Felony or Class "A" Misdemeanor
- ◆ Weight in proportion to height per Department standards
- ◆ Minimum vision must be 20/200, correctable to 20/20 in each eye

## SELECTION PROCESS

### INCLUDES:

- ◆ Physical condition assessment
- ◆ Reading and comprehension test
- ◆ Video-based oral examination
- ◆ Background investigation concluded with a polygraph examination
- ◆ Final Review Board
- ◆ Physical health and psychological examinations

## BENEFITS PACKAGE

### SALARY RANGE:

*See police recruit salary (training) on attached, with special considerations for a college degree*

*See police officer salary on attached, with special considerations for a college degree and 10 or 15 years of prior police experience*

### PAID LEAVE/VACATION:

*20 to 40 days per year, based on years of service*

### PAID HOLIDAYS:

*Ten paid holidays per year, including five double-pay holidays*

### SHORT/LONG-TERM DISABILITY:

*St. Louis County provides disability insurance, at no cost, equal to 50 percent of base salary to help protect employees out of work due to illness or injury*

### UNIFORMS/EQUIPMENT:

*Provided at no cost*

### LIFE INSURANCE:

*Twice annual salary provided at no cost*

### HEALTH INSURANCE:

*Provided to employees at no cost*

### TUITION REIMBURSEMENT:

*Up to \$2,100 per year*

### DEFERRED COMPENSATION PLAN

*Several investment options available*