



The Village of Wilmette is seeking qualified women and men for the position of

Police Officer

**Nationally Accredited
Specialized Assignments
Outstanding Training
Excellent Benefits Package
Starting Salary: \$55,631
After five years: \$72,441**



Can you . . .

- Provide fair treatment and equal protection to all people?
- Work as both a community problem-solver and law enforcer?
- Exercise good judgment under stress?

The Basic Requirements:

- **Education** 4 Year College Degree (any field)
- **Citizenship** U.S. Citizen
- **Age** 21 through 44
- **Physical** Excellent Physical Condition
- **Other** Excellent Moral Character
Valid Driver's License
Good Driving Record

How to Apply:

- Applications will be available between **February 1, 2007 and April 20, 2007 at 5:00p.m.**
- The application can be downloaded from the Village of Wilmette website, www.Wilmette.com/police. If you prefer, you may pick up an application at the Wilmette Police Department, 710 Ridge Road, Village Hall, 1200 Wilmette Ave., or contact Maureen Barry at 847-853-7502.
- The completed application must be turned in at the **MANDATORY ORIENTATION SESSION** held at Loyola Academy, 1100 Laramie, Wilmette, Illinois, on April 21, 2007 at 8:30a.m. Testing will commence immediately after you have turned in your application.

The Hiring Process Includes:

Orientation Session: April 21, 2007
Physical Agility Test: April 21, 2007
Written Test: April 21, 2007

The Hiring Process also includes:
 Polygraph
 Drug Screen
 Medical Examination
 Background Investigation
 Oral Interviews
 Psychological Exam



Duties and Responsibilities

Wilmette Police Officers define their role as community problem-solvers, not merely enforcers of the law. We develop partnerships with community groups and individuals to identify and resolve problems, with the goal of keeping a high quality of life in Wilmette. We work with youth to prevent delinquency. We enforce state and local laws and ordinances through arrest, citation and warnings. We identify and apprehend offenders; use less-lethal and/or lethal force; engage in foot or vehicular pursuit; conduct interviews and interrogations; locate witnesses; seize contraband; conduct warrant checks; perform surveillance; search persons and places; attend court and testify in the trial process; and prepare written reports on assigned tasks. Officers are generally assigned to patrol a defined beat area by car, mountain bike, or on foot, making routine checks of commercial and residential areas, looking for hazardous, unusual or suspicious conditions requiring police action or assistance. We also assist injured, elderly and disabled persons; administer first aid; direct and control traffic; investigate suspicious persons and vehicles; and secure accident, crime and disaster scenes.

Full-time assignments are available in Patrol, Criminal and Juvenile Investigations, Community Relations/Crime Prevention, and Research and Development.

Part-time assignments :

- Forensic Specialist
- Regional Major Crimes Investigator
- Regional Burglary Investigator
- Regional SWAT Team
- Major Crash Investigator
- Drugged/DUI Driver Detection
- Firearms Instructor
- School Liaison Officer
- Bicycle Patrol
- Defensive Tactics Instructor
- Fitness Specialist
- Field Training Officer