



Lateral-Entry Police Officer Job Application

Lindenhurst Police Department
Lindenhurst, Illinois

The Board of Police Commissioners of the Village of Lindenhurst, Illinois is accepting applications for the position of lateral-entry police officer with the Lindenhurst Police Department.

Starting Salary: \$67,685 - \$84,000

Population: 15,000

Sworn Police Officers: 14 Full-Time and 6 Part-Time

Benefits Include:

- Health Benefit Plans, Life Insurance, and Pension Plan;
- Paid Holidays, Personal Days, Sick Time, Vacation Days, and Compensatory Time;
- Comprehensive Training and Career Development Programs;
- Uniforms and Equipment Provided by the Department;
- Specialized Assignment Opportunities Available.

All applicants must meet the following minimum requirements established by the Village of Lindenhurst:

- U.S. citizenship;
- No felony convictions (**Note:** a misdemeanor or serious traffic offense may also disqualify applicants from further consideration);
- Valid state-issued driver's license;
- Be a high school graduate or possess a G.E.D. equivalent;
- Must be employed, whether currently or in the past, for at least 12 months as a full time sworn law enforcement officer in a regular police department in any municipal, county, university, or State law enforcement agency and is certified by the Illinois Law Enforcement Training Standards Board ("ILETSB");
- Possess 20/20 corrected vision and shall not be colorblind in a manner that renders a person unable to satisfactorily perform the duties of the position;
- Statutory age limitations in effect at the time of application shall be applicable.

The hiring process will include the following components:

- Successful completion of an oral interview, background investigation, polygraph test, psychological examination, medical examination, and drug screening.

Minimum required documents *:

- COPY of valid state-issued Driver's License; if your license was renewed with a sticker, copies of the front AND back are required

* Submit application, resume, and all supporting documentation to:

Commander Senica
Lindenhurst Police Department
2300 E. Grand Avenue, Lindenhurst, IL 60046-7524

Failure to submit all of the required documents upon submission of your application will render your application incomplete, and disqualify you. E-mailed applications are preferred and can be sent to senica@lindenhurstpd.org.

The Village of Lindenhurst is an equal opportunity employer.

PERSONAL INFORMATION

YOUR NAME

First Name: _____

Middle Name: _____

Last Name: _____

Have you ever been known by another name? Yes No

If yes, please provide name: _____

ADDRESS

Street Address: _____

Apt: _____

City: _____

State: _____

Zip Code: _____

CONTACT INFORMATION

Telephone Number: _____ Alt. Telephone Number: _____

Email Address: _____

RELATIONSHIP TO VILLAGE OF LINDENHURST

Are you currently employed by the Village of Lindenhurst? Yes No

If yes, please provide your title and work area:

Have you ever previously been employed by the Village of Lindenhurst? Yes No

If yes, please provide your title(s), work area(s) and date(s):

Are any of your relatives employed by the Village of Lindenhurst? Yes No

If yes, please provide their name(s), title(s), work area(s):

EDUCATION AND TRAINING

HIGH SCHOOL (if applicable)

Name and Address of School: _____

Total Years of Study: _____

Graduated? Yes No Not Applicable

GED Equivalent? Yes No Not Applicable

UNDERGRADUATE COLLEGE/UNIVERSITY (if applicable)

Name and Address of School: _____

Total Years of Study: _____

Graduated? Yes No Not Applicable

Degree/Concentration: _____

GRADUATE/PROFESSIONAL SCHOOL (if applicable)

Name and Address of School: _____

Total Years of Study: _____

Graduated? Yes No Not Applicable

Degree/Concentration: _____

OTHER EDUCATION (please specify)

Name and Address of School: _____

Type of Education: _____

Total Years of Study: _____

Graduated? Yes No Not Applicable

Degree/Concentration: _____

SPECIALIZED TRAINING AND SKILLS

Please list any other certifications, licenses, skills or training that would enhance your role as Police Officer:

EMPLOYMENT HISTORY

PRESENT OR MOST RECENT EMPLOYMENT (if applicable)

Name and Address of Employer: _____

Job Title: _____

Start Date: _____

End Date: _____

Hours per Week: _____

Supervisor Name: _____

Supervisor Telephone: _____

Supervisor Email: _____

Your duties/job functions: _____

Reasons for leaving: _____

PAST EMPLOYMENT 1 (if applicable)

Name and Address of Employer: _____

Job Title: _____

Start Date: _____

End Date: _____

Hours per Week: _____

Supervisor Name: _____

Supervisor Telephone: _____

Supervisor Email: _____

Your duties/job functions: _____

Reasons for leaving: _____

PAST EMPLOYMENT 2 (if applicable)

Name and Address of Employer: _____

Job Title: _____

Start Date: _____

End Date: _____

Hours per Week: _____

Supervisor Name: _____

Supervisor Telephone: _____

Supervisor Email: _____

Your duties/job functions: _____

Reasons for leaving: _____

PAST EMPLOYMENT 3 (if applicable)

Name and Address of Employer: _____

Job Title: _____

Start Date: _____

End Date: _____

Hours per Week: _____

Supervisor Name: _____

Supervisor Telephone: _____

Supervisor Email: _____

Your duties/job functions: _____

Reasons for leaving: _____

PAST EMPLOYMENT 4 (if applicable)

Name and Address of Employer: _____

Job Title: _____

Start Date: _____

End Date: _____

Hours per Week: _____

Supervisor Name: _____

Supervisor Telephone: _____

Supervisor Email: _____

Your duties/job functions: _____

Reasons for leaving: _____

ADDITIONAL EMPLOYMENT EXPERIENCES

Please list any other employment experiences that you have which you feel are related to the job of Police Officer: _____

EMPLOYMENT GAPS

If you have any substantial gaps in your employment history presented above, you may explain the reasons for the gap(s) here: _____

HISTORY

1. Have you ever served in the U.S. Military? Yes No
 If yes, which branch of the military? _____
2. Are you now, or were you ever a member of the U.S. Reserve Forces or National Guard?
 Yes No
 If yes, which branch of the military? _____
3. Were you ever discharged from the military? Yes No Not Applicable
 If yes, what type of discharge did you received? (For example, Honorable, etc.)

4. Were you ever discharged from the Reserves? Yes No Not Applicable
 If yes, what type of discharge did you received? (For example, Honorable, etc.)

5. Have you ever been terminated from a job? Yes No
 If yes, which please explain:
6. As a driver, have you ever been involved in a traffic accident? Yes No
 If yes, please explain; including the date, location and nature of the accident (personal injury, property damage, etc.): _____

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7. Are there any outstanding traffic warrants, or otherwise pending against you?
 Yes No
If yes, please list the issuing agency or agencies: _____
8. Have you ever been charged or convicted as an adult? Yes No
If yes, please list the police agency, crime charged, and disposition of the case:

9. Have you ever been placed on probation for a criminal offense as an adult?
 Yes No
If yes, please explain: _____
10. Have you ever been expelled or suspended from any school? Yes No
If yes, please explain: _____
11. Have you ever been fingerprinted by a police agency as an adult, for other than employment purposes?
 Yes No
If yes, please list the agency, date and purpose: _____
12. Have you ever been the victim of a crime as an adult? Yes No
If yes, please explain: _____
13. Are you currently on any police or fire eligibility lists? Yes No
If yes, what agency or agencies: _____
14. Please list all law enforcement positions held; including position, dates employed, and location:

15. Are you now or have you ever been engaged in any business as an owner, partner, or corporate member? Yes No
If yes, please explain: _____
16. Have you ever filed for bankruptcy? Yes No
If yes, please explain: _____
17. Have you ever been sued? Yes No
If yes, please explain: _____

ELIGIBILITY QUESTIONS

1. If you advance in the application process, are you able to present proof of citizenship?
 Yes No
2. Are any statutory age limitations in effect as of the application deadline date?
 Yes No Unsure
3. If you advance in the application process, are you able to present a valid State-issued driver's license?
 Yes No
4. If you advance in the application process, are you able to present a certified high school transcript or GED equivalent?
 Yes No
5. Have you ever had a driver's license in any other State than Illinois?
 Yes No
If yes, which State(s):
6. Have you ever been refused a driver's or chauffeur's license by any State?
 Yes No
7. Do you have, or have you ever possessed a valid Firearm Owner Identification Card (FOID)?
 Yes No
8. Do you have, or have you ever possessed a Concealed Carry Permit in any State?
 Yes No
9. Do you have, or have you ever possessed a Medical Marijuana License in any State?
 Yes No
10. If you advance in the application process, are you able to present a certified copy of your military discharge (Form DD-214), if applicable?
 Yes No Not Applicable

REFERENCES

Please provide three references (not related to you, and not former employers):

REFERENCE 1

Name: _____

Relationship: _____ Number of years acquainted: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____ Email Address: _____

REFERENCE 2

Name: _____

Relationship: _____ Number of years acquainted: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____ Email Address: _____

REFERENCE 3

Name: _____

Relationship: _____ Number of years acquainted: _____

Address: _____

Telephone Number: _____ Email Address: _____

RESIDENCE HISTORY

ADDRESS 1

Street Address: _____ Apt: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

From: _____ To: _____

ADDRESS 2

Street Address: _____ Apt: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

From: _____ To: _____

ADDRESS 3

Street Address: _____ Apt: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

From: _____ To: _____

ADDRESS 4

Street Address: _____ Apt: _____

City: _____ State: _____ Zip Code: _____

From: _____ To: _____

FAMILY PROFILE

FAMILY MEMBER 1

Name: _____ Relationship: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Address: _____

Occupation: _____ Phone Number: _____

FAMILY MEMBER 2

Name: _____ Relationship: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Address: _____

Occupation: _____ Phone Number: _____

FAMILY MEMBER 3

Name: _____ Relationship: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Address: _____

Occupation: _____ Phone Number: _____

FAMILY MEMBER 4

Name: _____ Relationship: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Address: _____

Occupation: _____ Phone Number: _____

FAMILY MEMBER 5

Name: _____ Relationship: _____

Date of Birth: _____ Address: _____

Occupation: _____ Phone Number: _____

PROOF OF CITIZENSHIP FORM

Alien Number: _____

Naturalization Certificate Number: _____

Location of Issuance: _____

Date of Issuance: _____

Official Name Recorded on Certificate: _____

I UNDERSTAND AND AGREE THAT:

I hereby certify and affirm that I am a U.S. Citizen, and the information provided above is true and accurate to the best of my knowledge. I understand that I will be required to provide documentation of the above information at the background investigation stage of the hiring process.

I agree to electronically sign this document and assert that I have read, understand and agree to the aforementioned terms and conditions.

CERTIFICATION OF HONESTY

I hereby certify that I have not knowingly withheld any information that might adversely affect my chances for employment and that the answers given by me are true and correct, to the best of my knowledge. I further certify that I, the undersigned applicant, have personally completed my application. I understand that any omission or misstatement of material fact on this application or on any document used to secure employment shall result in my withdrawal from consideration for employment, or immediate termination of employment.

I agree to electronically sign this document and assert that I have read, understand and agree to the aforementioned terms and conditions.

APPLICANT ACKNOWLEDGEMENT

I, the undersigned, understand that I am submitting an application to become a candidate for the position of Police Officer with the Lindenhurst Police Department, in Lindenhurst, Illinois. I acknowledge and agree, as follows:

The Village of Lindenhurst cannot accept any application documents received after any application deadline. The Village of Lindenhurst is not responsible for any late, incomplete, or misdirected application documents.

Applicant information and application forms are the property of the Village of Lindenhurst and the Village of Lindenhurst Police Commissioners.

By signing this document below, I assert that I have read, understand and agree to the aforementioned terms and conditions. I understand that completion of this application in no way guarantees employment or constitutes an offer of employment.

Applicant Signature: _____ Date: _____