

On behalf of the dedicated men and women of the Winter Garden Police Department, we welcome your interest in our growing and progressive agency.

The City of Winter Garden is located in West Orange County, approximately twelve miles West of Orlando and approximately ten miles North of Walt Disney World. Our department consists of a professional staff of sworn Officers and full time civilian personnel who service a jurisdiction of 17 square miles and approximately 37,000 residents.

By working together we can go forward with a feeling of great confidence in achieving our goal of making the City of Winter Garden the best small city in the State of Florida.

George A. Brennan, Chief of Police



For information contact: Winter Garden Police Department Recruitment Division

or email us at: wgrecruiting@wgpd.com.

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WINTER GARDEN POLICE DEPARTMENT



OUR MISSION

Create safe communities by building partnerships to prevent crime and utilizing modern technology to target criminal activities.



JOB DESCRIPTION:

The primary function of the Police Officer is the protection of life, property, and the enforcement of laws and regulations. The position requires that the individual possess the ability to initiate and complete assignments without constant direct supervision. The position requires excellent interpersonal communication skills, and requires the use of many forms of communication including speaking, reading, writing, use of police radio, and use of computer. Police work is physically demanding in nature, and may include heavy lifting, running, and other strenuous activities associated with law enforcement.





MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:

- Minimum age of 19
- Be a United States Citizen
- Possess a high school diploma or its equivalent
- Minimum of an Associate's degree
- Never have received a dishonorable discharge from any branch of the United States Armed Forces
- No tobacco usage in the last twelve months; and no tobacco usage after being hired
- Must live within 25 driving miles of the police station upon date of hire
- Must possess a valid Florida driver license
- Must be attending or have completed a certified Florida Police Academy

BENEFITS:

- Competitive Salary
- Take Home Vehicle
- Health insurance for the employee is paid for by the city
- 12 Hour Shifts (patrol)
- 10 paid holidays per year
- 1 personal day per year
- 84 hours paid vacation annually
- 96 hours sick leave annually
- 25 and out retirement plan; 6 years vested
- Deferred Compensation Plan
- Uniforms, duty gear, firearms, Taser and other equipment is provided by the agency
- Long term disability plan paid for by the city
- Career/Educational incentive program
- College reimbursement program through a Master's Degree

