

City of Placerville, California

A Unique Historic Past Forging into a Golden Future



Invites Applicants for:
POLICE OFFICER

**Deadline for
Applications:**

Continuous



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PARTNERS WITH THE COMMUNITY



Special Assignments:

In addition to typical law enforcement duties, we offer special assignments including:

- K-9
- Detectives/POP Team
- SWAT
- Traffic/Motors
- School Resource Officer
- Crime Scene Investigation
- Bike Patrol
- Honor Guard

Lifestyle:

Recreation:

Placerville is located in the Sierra foothills, east of Sacramento. An unmatched quality of life and recreational activities are available, including biking, river rafting on the American River, wineries, Apple Hill, skiing, and hiking.

JOIN OUR TEAM

The Placerville Police Department is hiring to fill current vacancies! We are looking for experienced and entry level officers looking to join one of the premier law enforcement agencies in California's Sierra Foothills. Those with POST certification, recent academy graduates or currently enrolled in a police academy are encouraged to apply.

THE COMMUNITY

The City of Placerville is a city of approximately 10,000 residents in the beautiful Sierra Nevada foothills of California about halfway between Sacramento and South Lake Tahoe. Placerville is the County Seat of El Dorado County and the hub of the region attracting a daytime service population of 25,000- 30,000 people to financial, commercial, civic, and government activities.

Located at the intersection of US Route 50 and State Route 49, Placerville is about 6 square miles in size and about 2,000 feet above sea level, putting it above the fog of the Sacramento Valley and just below the snow of the Sierra Mountains, making it the perfect base camp for a wide range of activities focused on the rich quality of life in the area. The Placerville region is home to many premier wineries, Apple Hill ranches, Historic Coloma, the American River, and the El Dorado National Forest.

The Placerville Police Department shares a very strong partnership with the community evidenced by its #1 ranking in the state for National Night Out (NNO) festivities this past year. The Community and the PPD look forward to defending their title this year!



Leadership - Professionalism - Service



THE DEPARTMENT:

The Placerville Police Department is committed to providing the highest quality of service to our community while constantly improving the quality of life our community desires and deserves. The department is a full service agency with two divisions (Support Services and Operations). The department employs a total of 29 dedicated professionals, including 18 sworn positions. In addition, the department has a Dispatch Center, Reserve Police Officer Program and "SHIELD" volunteers. The Placerville Police Department is a well-supported agency with a reputation built upon leadership, professionalism, and service.

THE POSITION:

Perform law enforcement and crime prevention work; control traffic flow and enforce State and local municipal codes, violations and traffic regulations; perform investigative work; participate in and provide support and assistance to special crime prevention and enforcement programs; and perform a variety of technical and administrative tasks in support of the Department.

REQUIREMENTS:

Experience:

- Basic P.O.S.T. Certificate or current enrollment in or completion of a P.O.S.T. approved basic academy.

Education:

- High School graduate or equivalent. Possession of an Associate of Arts degree is desirable.

License or Certificate:

- Possession of a valid California driver's license at time of appointment.

Additional Requirements:

- Must be 21 years of age at time of appointment.
- Must meet physical requirements of the job established by the Department.

COMPENSATION & BENEFITS:

Salary - \$5,254-\$6,387 / per month

P.O.S.T. Certificate/Educational Incentive – Additional \$200 per month for Intermediate Certificate and/or AA Degree and additional \$550 per month for Advanced Certificate and/or BA Degree (cumulative \$750 per month)

Special Assignment Pay - Most special assignments include an additional 5% of base salary

Retirement - CalPERS enrollment in either the 3% @ 55 or the 2.7% @ 57, formula is dependent on eligibility, as per AB 340. Employee pays the member contribution. The City participates in social security and Federal Medicare.

Health Insurance – Excellent health benefits including medical, dental (*including orthodontics*), vision and chiropractic coverage. Dental, vision and chiropractic coverage is 100% employer paid. Employee pays approximately 9% of medical plan premium.

Life Insurance - \$50,000 term life policy with an AD&D feature

Holidays – 13 paid holidays per calendar year

Vacation – 80 hours annually increasing based upon years of service

Sick Leave – Accrues at 3.7 hours per pay period (96 hours annually)

Longevity Pay – 2.5% to 7.5% dependent upon years of service

Senior Officer Pay – \$150 monthly with ten years of service with the City of Placerville

Uniform Allowance - \$850 annually

SELECTION PROCESS:

Interested and qualified candidates are encouraged to submit a completed, official City Employment Application, resume, and pertinent P.O.S.T. certificates. The application is available on the City's website: www.cityofplacerville.org

Only the most qualified candidates in relation to the needs of the City of Placerville Police Department will be invited to participate in the testing process. Offers of employment are contingent upon successful completion of a comprehensive, job-related background investigation, reference checks, and pre-placement medical examination.

To be considered for this excellent career opportunity, please submit a completed City Employment Application form, resume, and pertinent P.O.S.T. certificates to: City of Placerville, Human Resources Department, 3101 Center Street, Placerville, CA 95667. For additional information call (530) 642-5210, or email jmeuser@cityofplacerville.org