



# CITY OF OCEANSIDE EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY



## POLICE OFFICER LATERAL

Exam No. 08-44

A bilingual premium (Samoan or Spanish) of \$100 per month will be paid to candidates who successfully pass the bilingual examination.

Salary Range: \$4,616 - \$6,568 month

**THE CITY OF OCEANSIDE IS AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER.  
QUALIFIED MINORITIES AND WOMEN ARE ENCOURAGED TO APPLY.**

**THE POSITION:** Police Officers patrol assigned areas by vehicle, bicycle or on foot to answer service calls for the protection of life and property. Duties include conducting investigations; directing traffic; making arrests; issuing citations; serving warrants and subpoenas; preparing reports; and working with the community to identify problems and solutions.

**EMPLOYMENT STANDARDS:** Applicants must possess a high school diploma or General Education Development (GED) certificate or equivalent and be a U.S. citizen or a permanent resident who has applied for citizenship.

Applicants must possess an active California Basic POST Certificate and be currently employed as a Peace Officer in the State of California.

**Note: Please attach a copy of your California Basic POST certificate to the application.**

**SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS:** Applicants must: (1) Possess a valid Class C Driver's license; (2) Successfully pass a thorough background investigation, CVSA or a polygraph examination, pre-placement exam, a psychological evaluation, and a medical examination which will include a pre-employment drug screening;

**SELECTION PROCESS:** The applicant selection process is divided into separate phases: oral board examination, physical agility test, and firearms qualification. Individuals must successfully complete each phase prior to advancing to the next. Candidates who successfully complete the examination process will be placed on the eligibility list according to their scores and will remain eligible for employment consideration for a minimum of six months.

### **The Examination Process:**

All properly completed applications will be screened and the most appropriately qualified candidates will be invited to continue in the examination process which includes.

- An oral board examination designed to assess job-related experience and training.
- Physical Agility Test consisting of four events: 25 push-ups; 30 sit-ups; 165-pound body drag; and a 1.5 mile run.
- Firearms Qualification

**APPLICATION PROCEDURE:** This is a continuous recruitment. A completed City of Oceanside application, Supplemental Questionnaire Form, a copy of the required certificate(s), re-qualification or proof of Academy graduation or enrollment must be submitted to the Human Resources Department. Applications and further information may be obtained at the Human Resources Department, City Hall South, 2<sup>nd</sup> Floor, 300 North Coast Highway, Oceanside, CA 92054, (760) 435-3500 or on our web-site [www.ci.oceanside.ca.us](http://www.ci.oceanside.ca.us)

RESUMES WILL NOT BE ACCEPTED IN LIEU OF COMPLETED APPLICATION FORMS BUT MAY BE ATTACHED.

Candidates who require a reasonable accommodation in the selection process should state their needs in writing when submitting an application package.

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