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COVENTRY POLICE DEPARTMENT NOW HIRING POLICE OFFICERS FOR 2022-2023

The Coventry Police Department announces that they will be accepting applications for entry level recruits and lateral transfer police officers through August 19, 2022. ***Applicants will be required to attend the fitness and written tests to be held on August 13, 2022 (additional information below). Our department currently has open positions, and new recruits will be expected to attend the January 2023 RI Municipal Police Training Academy. Lateral transfer applications will be accepted until all vacancies are filled.

Individuals who wish to be considered for employment by the Town of Coventry as a Police Officer, at the time of application, must possess a minimum of thirty (30) college course credits, or have two (2) years of active Military duty, or have four (4) years of Military Reserve/National Guard duty; or be a graduate of a certified Police or Law Enforcement Academy; be a US Citizen; have an active driver's license; and pass all testing requirements. Testing will include a written test, physical fitness testing in accordance with the RI Municipal Police Academy Physical Proficiency Standards, an oral interview, an intensive background investigation, and a medical exam. Lateral transfer officers will not be required to complete a physical fitness test.

ALL PREVIOUS APPLICANTS MUST RE-APPLY, and APPLICATIONS CAN BE FOUND AT:

New Recruits: <https://www.policeapp.com/Entry-Level-Coventry-RI-RI-Police-Officer-Jobs/717/>

Lateral Transfer Officers: <https://www.policeapp.com/Certified-Coventry-RI-RI-Police-Officer-Jobs/2074/>

Applications can be completed through www.policeapp.com and will be accepted until August 19, 2022. This application requires a \$40.00 fee through www.policeapp.com.

Recruit applicants must possess a valid Fit 2 Serve fitness test dated between December 1, 2021 and December 1, 2022. Any applicant that does not have a valid Fit 2 Serve fitness test certificate must register for the fitness test to be held on August 13, 2022 at 7:00AM at the West Warwick Civic Center. The written test will follow the fitness test on the same day at 10:30AM and will be held at New England Tech in East Greenwich, RI. Additional testing fees are required upon registering at www.fit2serveri.com. Registration can be found at:

<https://www.fit2serveri.com/schedule-a-test>

Please note that all communication will be sent through PoliceApp. Applicants should check their PoliceApp accounts regularly for any updates.

Questions regarding this process can be directed to Captain Benjamin Witt at bwitt@coventrypd.org.

**The Town of Coventry is an Affirmative Action/Equal Opportunity Employer
Qualified applicants are considered for employment without regard to race, color, gender,
national origin, disability, veteran status, or any other legally protected status.**

Minority and female candidates are strongly encouraged to apply.



Coventry Police (RI) is Hiring!

Seeking New Recruits and Lateral Transfer Officers

NOW HIRING FOR 2022 !

Apply online at [PoliceApp.com](https://www.PoliceApp.com) today

Employment Opportunities Include:

- ◆ Work in state of the art building in RI's 8th Largest Municipality.
- ◆ Specialty Units and Divisions include Detectives, BCI, School Resource Officers, K9 Unit, Regional SWAT Team, Crisis Negotiation Team, Bike Patrol, Marine Patrol, and Federal Task Force Opportunities.
- ◆ Starting Patrol Salary—\$60,572.24 (includes holiday pay).
- ◆ Top step pay over \$74,000 after three years.
- ◆ Fully vested in pension after only 15 years of service.



Additional Paid Benefits:

- ◆ Blue Cross Blue Shield Medical (Single and Family) with town buyback option.
- ◆ Delta Dental Coverage
- ◆ Paid Vacation Time (increasing yearly after 5th year, up to 27 days)
- ◆ \$1,700 Annual Clothing Allowance
- ◆ Paid Holidays
- ◆ Paid Sick Time (12 hrs. monthly) & 3 Family Illness Days
- ◆ Compensatory Time (paid out yearly)
- ◆ Longevity Pay (increases from 4% to 11% , years 5-20)
- ◆ Numerous Opportunities for Overtime and Extra Duty Pay



Looking for highly motivated officers to join our team!

Contact Captain Benjamin Witt at bwitt@coventrypd.org for more info