



# Application for The Lake County Sheriff's Auxiliary Deputy Unit

## COMPLETE OR CHECK AS REQUIRED

Personal Information						
Name: _____						
	First	Middle	Last	E-Mail		
Address: _____ ( ____ ) ____ - ____ / ____ / ____						
	Street	City	State	Zip Code	Home / Cell Phone	Date of Birth
Person to Contact in Emergency: _____ ( ____ ) ____ - ____						
	Name:	Address:			Phone:	Relationship:
Education (Check Highest Level Completed)						
High School/GED <input type="checkbox"/>		College <input type="checkbox"/>		Graduate School <input type="checkbox"/>		
Name and Location of Schools Attended	Dates Attended		Major Subject(s)	Degree or Certificate and Date of Graduation		
	From	To				
High School						
College(s)						
Business, Technical or Certificate Programs						
Professional Registrations(s), and/or Certificate(s) related to law enforcement, public safety or emergency management (include dates):						

**List three references (not related to you) who are qualified to give an opinion of your character and abilities:**

Name:	Address:	Phone # ( ) -
_____	_____	_____ - _____
Name:	Address:	Phone # ( ) -
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**ORAL INTERVIEW**

Date	Reviewer Name	Comments

**REFERENCE CHECK**

Date	Name of Reference	Checked By	Comments

**BACKGROUND INVESTIGATION**

Date	Type Background Check	Comments

**LAKE COUNTY IS AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY-AFFIRMATIVE ACTION EMPLOYER. WOMEN, MINORITIES AND INDIVIDUALS WITH DISABILITIES ARE ENCOURAGED TO APPLY. NO APPLICANT FOR EMPLOYMENT SHALL BE DISCRIMINATED AGAINST BECAUSE OF AGE, RACE, COLOR, RELIGION, SEX, MARITAL STATUS, NATIONAL ORIGIN, OR DISABILITY.**



# OFFICE OF THE SHERIFF

LAKE COUNTY ILLINOIS

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LARRY E. OLIVER  
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To: Prospective Auxiliary Deputy Candidate

From: Auxiliary Deputy Unit Commander

Subject: Pre-application Questionnaire

Welcome to your first step in exploring the possibilities of joining one of Illinois' unique organizations. The Lake County Sheriff's Auxiliary Deputy Unit is a volunteer organization. Even so, not everyone can be an Auxiliary Deputy. This type of unpaid work is not for everyone. But if you meet the basic qualifications, have the drive, dedication and ambition, you can be a member of this elite organization.

Applications for membership are accepted year-round. However, the Recruit Basic Training Course (the prescribed course of instruction) is conducted in the fall. The dates are to be determined, but typically begin in December.

Listed below are the minimum qualifications, requirements and important information about the unit that is necessary for the prospective candidate to know in order to be considered for a position within the unit. Please read and check off the statements below. Sign and date this form and turn it in with your completed application.

- The Lake County Sheriff's Auxiliary Deputy Unit is a volunteer organization and does not receive compensation for duties performed.
- Auxiliary Deputy Unit is an unarmed capacity.
- You must be a legal resident of Lake County, Illinois in order to be a member of the unit.
- You must have a minimum of a High School/GED diploma.
- You must be a minimum of 21 years old.
- You must be a Citizen of the United States.
- You must not have a criminal record.
- Auxiliary Deputies are expected to contribute a minimum of 150 hours of actual duty (not including meetings or training) over the course of a year.

- Most of the duties performed by Auxiliary Deputies are conducted on weekday evenings, weekends and on holidays.
  - Auxiliary Deputies are often required to be in uniform and related equipment that ways upwards of 20 pounds for long periods of time in all types of weather.
  - Auxiliary Deputies must be capable of lifting, carrying, and moving equipment weighing up to 25 pounds on a regular basis.
  
- Auxiliary Deputy Candidates are required to attend a prescribed course of instruction as determined by the Sheriff of Lake County.
  - Training typically commences in December, ending in April. Training classes are normally held either Friday night or Saturday during the day. However, training may occur on other days as dictated by instructor availability.
  - Certain aspects of the training course are physically demanding and require strenuous exertion.
  - **All candidates are required to be exposed to OC (pepper) spray during the training course.**
  
- The unit is limited to 50 members. Once completing the required course of instruction, the Auxiliary Deputy Candidate will be placed on an eligibility list (ranked based on academic performance).
  
- When pulled from the eligibility list, the Auxiliary Deputy Candidate is sworn in as a Probationary Auxiliary Deputy for a one-year period.
  
- Once successfully completing all training and the one-year probationary period, candidates are considered full Auxiliary Deputies.

If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me. Completed applications may be sent to the below address.

Sgt. Tom Struck  
Auxiliary Deputy Unit Commander  
1301 North Milwaukee Avenue  
Libertyville, Illinois 60048  
(847) 377-7020

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Applicant's Printed Name

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Applicant's Signature

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Date