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### Rockford Police Now Accepting Applications for Police Officer

**ROCKFORD, Ill.** – The Rockford Police Department is now accepting applications for police officers. The department is seeking qualified men and women who wish to serve the city of Rockford to join its force as a police officer.

Candidates must have strong verbal communication, interpersonal and writing skills, and should possess common sense and problem-solving ability. The starting salary is \$52,811.

“Joining the Rockford Police Department is a tremendous opportunity to work with a committed team of people who are dedicated to this community,” said Recruiter Katy Statler.

Those seeking a career in law enforcement must successfully complete a multi-step process. Applications are available online at <http://www.rockfordil.gov/police/join-the-rockford-police-department.aspx> and must be completed online by Friday, July 28, 2017. Applications may also be completed in the Human Resources office at City Hall, 425 E. State Street.

For more information about benefits, working conditions, and minimum qualifications, visit the Rockford Police Department website at <http://www.rockfordil.gov/police/join-the-rockford-police-department.aspx> or contact Rockford Police recruiter Katy Statler at [recruiter@rockfordil.gov](mailto:recruiter@rockfordil.gov).

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