



BRYAN POLICE RESERVE OFFICER PROGRAM

Are you interested in being a Reserve Officer with the Bryan Police Department? The Bryan Police Reserve Officer Program is comprised of community members who wish to volunteer as Police Reserve Officers and experience working within a diverse and growing community. Reserve Officers supplement the full-time officers in a variety of duties throughout the department. They patrol in vehicles, on foot patrols, or on bicycle patrol. This program is an opportunity for individuals who have an established career but do not wish to make a transition to full-time Police Officer. Reserve Officers can enjoy the best of both worlds - maintain their chosen career while helping make the community a safer place to live.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS

- Be at least 21 years of age at the time of appointment;
- Not have any felony or serious misdemeanor convictions that would prohibit you from possessing a firearm;
- Be a United States citizen or have applied for U.S. citizenship;
- Possess a High School diploma or GED equivalency;
- Possess a valid Texas driver's license;
- If discharged from the military must be "honorable," or "under honorable conditions";

SELECTION PROCESS

- Successfully pass a written exam and physical agility test;
- Successfully pass a comprehensive background investigation;
- Successfully pass a polygraph exam, psychological screening and drug screen/medical examination;
- Successfully pass an Oral Interview.

DUTIES OF A RESERVE OFFICER

A Reserve Officer performs general law enforcement, which includes street patrol, conducting preliminary police investigations, report writing, collision investigations, traffic control, issuance of citations, and other basic law enforcement functions. Reserve Officers are also utilized at special events such as parades and other city sponsored events.

Reserve Officers must complete a minimum of 8 hours per month in order to remain active in the program. All training, patrol duty, and special event duty counts towards the required hours. Recognizing that reserve officers have full time jobs and family commitments, the Department allows them complete flexibility in determining both when, and for how long, they spend on duty at any given time. Work hours are flexible and determined by a reserve officer's other commitments.

BENEFITS OF A RESERVE OFFICER

A Reserve Officer is strictly a non-civil service volunteer position and does not receive any payment; however, the department does provide you a standard uniform and all necessary equipment. Reserve Officers will be required to undergo the same training that the full time officers are required to attend. This training shall include but not be limited to annual firearms qualification, use of force policy review, and legal updates. Reserve Officers are eligible for continued professional training, outside training courses, and any other courses taught at the Bryan Police Department at no-cost to that Reserve Officer.

TO APPLY

If you are interested in becoming a volunteer for the Bryan Police Department as a Reserve Officer, please complete the application below. If you have any other questions about the Reserve Officer process, contact the Reserve Sergeant, or call (979) 209-5370.

POLICE RESERVE OFFICER APPLICATION

Please complete thoroughly. You may type or print legibly in ink.

Mail the completed application to:

Bryan Police Department; Attn: Support Services Lieutenant; P.O. Box 1000; Bryan, TX 77805

Position of Interest: Police Reserve Officer	Date Available to begin work:		
PERSONAL INFORMATION			
Last Name, First Name, MI:			
Address, City, State, Zip:			
Home Phone #:	Alternate/Cell Phone #: E-mail:		
Are you at least 21 years of age? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Do you possess a valid Texas driver's license? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No		
Are you eligible to work in the United States? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No			
What level of Peace Officer Certification do you currently possess? <input type="checkbox"/> None <input type="checkbox"/> Basic <input type="checkbox"/> Intermediate <input type="checkbox"/> Advanced <input type="checkbox"/> Masters			
Highest level of education completed? <input type="checkbox"/> HS Diploma/GED <input type="checkbox"/> Some College <input type="checkbox"/> Associate's <input type="checkbox"/> Bachelor's <input type="checkbox"/> Master's <input type="checkbox"/> PhD			
Emergency contact name:	Phone #: Relationship:		
How did you hear about this volunteer opportunity?			
Please indicate approximately how many hours a month you will be able to volunteer. Also indicate if there are particular days and times that you are available, including if you are available to work some holidays and/or special events that may occur on weekends:			
Why are you interested in being a Reserve Officer with the Bryan Police Department?			
Have you ever been charged with or have charges pending for an offense that resulted in a conviction, probation, community supervision or deferred adjudication? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If "yes", please provide the following information: (If more room is needed, provide additional information on back.)			
NOTE: This includes DWI, DUI, driving while license suspended, reckless driving and other charges related to driving.			
Date	Nature of Offense	Name of Court	Disposition of Case
IMPORTANT! A conviction record will not necessarily bar you from consideration. Factors such as nature of offense, date, and relationship between the offense and the volunteer work will be taken into account. However, a false statement or omission of any information will bar you from any volunteer work with the City of Bryan.			

The City of Bryan (City) Charter prohibits certain relatives of City Councilmembers from being employed by or volunteering for the City. Please read the list below of current City Councilmembers and their spouses and then answer the following question: Are you or your spouse related to a City Councilmember or his/her spouse by blood or by marriage? Yes No

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| Andrew Nelson | Shelley (Hunt) Nelson |
| Reuben Marin | |
| Prentiss Madison | Patricia (Thompson) Madison |
| Greg Owens | Julie (Tschatschula) Owens |
| Mike Southerland | Tana (Boudreaux) Southerland |
| Ben Hardeman | Nancy (Pursell) Hardeman |
| Buppy Simank | Jennifer (Yerrington) Simank |

If 'Yes', please provide name and relationship:

If 'No', please note that it is your responsibility to inform the City if the situation changes.

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The statements made by me in this application are true and complete to the best of my knowledge, and I understand it is subject to verification by the City of Bryan. I understand that any false information, omissions of facts or misrepresentations may disqualify me from volunteer work with the City of Bryan or immediate release from volunteer work.

I understand that a criminal history check will be administered as well as verification of any information provided as part of the police reserve officer process, such as background information, reference checks, review of drivers license record, etc. I understand that I may be required to submit to and successfully pass a medical examination and/or drug test by a physician and laboratory selected by and at the expense of the City of Bryan.

In the event that I am placed as a volunteer with the City of Bryan, I understand that I shall be required to sign a Volunteer Agreement and that I will be required to comply with all of the City's rules, policies and regulations. I fully understand that if my services are no longer needed, or my performance is not acceptable, for any reason, the City of Bryan has the right to terminate my services as volunteer at any time, with or without notice.

Note: Must be a written (not digital or typed) signature.

Signature

Date