BOROUGH OF FORT LEE



POSITION ANNOUNCEMENT

SPECIAL LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER CLASS III / SCHOOL RESOURCE OFFICER for the FORT LEE POLICE DEPARTMENT

40 Hour Work Week following the School Calendar

DEFINITION:

Under supervision of the Chief of Police, the individual works in a school environment with children and staff in a professional and positive manner in the capacity as a uniformed School Resource Officer. Also responds to law enforcement, fire, medical, or other emergencies; said individual will also perform related duties as required by the department, consistent with the law.

REQUIREMENTS:

- 1. Is a resident of this State during the term of appointment;
- 2. Is able to read, write and speak the English language well and intelligently and has a high school diploma or its equivalent;
- 3. Is sound in body and of good health;
- 4. Is of good moral character;
- 5. Has not been convicted of any offense involving dishonesty or which would make him/her unfit to perform the duties of his/her office;
- 6. Has successfully undergone psychological testing, drug screening, medical evaluation, as part of a Background Investigation;
- 7. Is a retired law enforcement officer who is less than 65 years of age;
- 8. Had served as a duly qualified, fully-trained, full-time officer in any municipality or county of this State or as a member of the State Police and was separated from that prior service in good standing, within three years of appointment; excludes a retirement resulting from injury or incapacity;
- 9. Is physically capable of performing the functions of the position, determined in accordance with Police Training Commission guidelines;
- 10. Possesses a New Jersey Police Training Commission Basic Police Officer Certification or New Jersey State Police Academy Certification;
- 11. Has or will complete the training course for Safe Schools Resource Officers; and
- 12. Is hired in a part-time capacity per statute (40 hours per week following School Calendar).

Appointees to SLEO CLASS III / SRO must successfully complete training and obtain certification by the Police Training Commission in the Department of Law and Public Safety as required by NJSA 40A:14-146.10 et seq.

Appointees to SLEO CLASS III / SRO will be armed. Appointees must be capable of and legally authorized to possess and carry a department issued firearm.

A Class III special law enforcement officer appointed pursuant to the provisions of P.L.1985, c.439 (C.40A:14-146.8 et seq.) shall not, based on this appointment, be eligible for health care benefits or enrollment in any State-administered retirement system.

If anyone is interested, please submit your résumé to Police Chief Matthew Hintze via email chiefhintze@fortleepolice.org or to Fort Lee Police Department, 1327 16th Street, Fort Lee, New Jersey 07024, no later than 4PM on July 12, 2019.