A REWARDING CAREER

“If you’re looking for an exciting career where everyday is a little different then this is the career for you. We offer each employee an opportunity to expand their knowledge and skills and apply themselves to numerous facets of police work.”

Sergeant Bill Lantz

“I enjoy working for the Elyria Police Department because of the high volume of calls and the excitement that these calls can offer. Here we work in a fast paced environment and handle calls that many officers seldom experience.”

Officer Dan Marsico

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Elyria Police Department

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AN EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER
If you’re interested in a challenging and rewarding career in Law Enforcement then the Elyria Police Department is your answer. The department of approximately 85 sworn officers serves a population of roughly 55,000 citizens. The department offers opportunities to work within many specialized fields including Patrol Operations, Detective Bureau, Crime Scene Investigation, Special Response Team (S.R.T.), Narcotics, Neighborhood Impact Unit, and Accident Investigation. New officers not certified by the State of Ohio will attend a minimum of 576 hours of instruction at a Basic Police Academy. Training includes demonstrating proficiency in the areas of Ohio criminal laws, first aid/CPR, emergency driving, human relations, communications, and firearms. Following the Basic Academy, new officers will complete a 19 week orientation and Field Officer Training Program. The officers will receive on-the-job training from and are evaluated by experienced Field Training Officers. Upon successful completion of the Field Training Program, new officers are assigned solo road patrol duties.

**QUALIFICATIONS**

- Must be a United States citizen.
- Must have a high school diploma or GED.
- Must be at least 21 years of age and not yet 35 years of age by date of written test.
- Must possess an unrestricted valid Ohio driver’s license (except for corrective lenses).
- Must agree to abide by the City of Elyria Civil Service Rules and Regulations.

**HIRING PROCESS**

- Submit application
- Physical Agility Examination
- Written Examination
- Oral Assessment Board
- Extensive Background Investigation
- C.V.S.A. Examination
- Conditional Job Offer
- Drug Screening
- Psychological Examination
- Medical Examination
- Final Offer of Employment

**BENEFITS**

- Competitive Pay
- Longevity Pay
- Overtime Pay
- Paid Holiday, Vacation & sick leave
- College Incentive Pay
- Tuition Reimbursement Program
- Health & Dental Plan
- Retirement Plan

**INTEGRITY*RESPECT*SERVICE*ACCOUNTABILITY**