

POLICE OFFICER
BOROUGH OF SHILLINGTON
BERKS COUNTY, PENNSYLVANIA

Applications are being accepted for the position of Police Officer with the Borough of Shillington. An application may be secured at the Office of the Secretary, Town Hall, 2 East Lancaster Avenue, Shillington, Pennsylvania (Monday through Thursday, 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.; Friday, 8:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.) or on the Borough's website at www.shillingtonboro.net. Completed applications, together with an application fee of \$45.00, must be returned in person by the applicant or by certified mail to the Shillington Town Hall, 2 East Lancaster Avenue, P.O. Box 247, Shillington, Pennsylvania 19607, no later than 3:00 p.m. on Friday, July 19, 2019.

Every applicant must be a United States citizen and must have reached their 21st birthday by the deadline for submitting a completed application. All applicants must be a high school graduate or equivalent and possess a current, valid Pennsylvania driver's license. Additionally, all applicants must have Act 120 Police Officer Certification or be currently enrolled in the Act 120 training and have successfully completed the training prior to a conditional hire being offered.

Mandatory components of the testing process include: written examination, physical fitness/agility test, oral examination, background investigation including a polygraph examination, psychological examination, drug/alcohol screen and medical examination. The written examination and oral examination will be graded on a One Hundred percent (100%) scale. The written examination will represent sixty (60%) of the final score and the oral examination will represent forty (40%) of the final score. The physical fitness/agility test, background investigation and polygraph examination will be graded as pass/fail.

The written examination will be held on Saturday, September 7, 2019 beginning at 9:00 a.m. at the Immanuel United Church of Christ Church located at 99 S. Waverly Street, Shillington. Photo identification will be required to enter the testing premises.

The written examination will be followed by the physical fitness/agility test beginning at 1:00 p.m. at the Governor

Mifflin High School stadium. Photo identification will be required to perform the test. The physical fitness/agility test shall consist of:

- 300-Meter Run in 66 seconds
- 30 Sit-ups within one minute
- 25 Push-ups within one minute
- Vertical Jump of 15.5 inches from a standing position
- 1.5 Mile Run in 15 minutes, 54 seconds

A maximum of two attempts will be allowed on the day of the test (within one hour) for the completion of each requirement.

The oral examination will be scheduled for a later date for those applicants who have successfully completed the written examination and the physical fitness/agility test.

BENEFITS:

- Current starting salary is \$63,701; top patrolman salary, currently at \$80,140, reached upon completion of third year
- Comprehensive Medical Insurance with family coverage provided at a minimal cost
- Dental and Vision coverage
- Group Term Life Insurance
- Defined Benefit Pension Plan
- Optional Deferred Compensation (457B) Plan
- Vacation Days, Personal Days, Sick Leave