

# **STANDARD APPLICATION FOR POSITION OF PUBLIC SAFETY OFFICER IN THE STATE OF MONTANA**

The information contained on this form is sought in good faith. It will not be used in any way to discriminate against any application for employment in violation of state or federal law.

**INSTRUCTIONS:** You may complete this application by filling it on your computer, then saving and printing the completed form. If you prefer, you may print the application and fill it in manually. Be sure to sign it before delivering or mailing it to the agency address on the job listing. An application tailored to the position is to your advantage.

**LATE, INCOMPLETE or UNSIGNED applications will NOT be considered.**

This agency is committed to making reasonable accommodation to any known disability that may interfere with an applicant's ability to compete in the selection process or an employee's ability to perform the duties of the job. If you would like us to consider any such accommodation, please notify us at the time of need.

THE VETERANS' EMPLOYMENT PREFERENCE ACT AND THE DISABILITY PERSONS' EMPLOYMENT PREFERENCE ACT provide preference in public employment for certain military veterans and handicapped persons or their eligible relatives. Contact your local Vocational Rehabilitation Services Office (Department of Public Health and Human Services) for details on obtaining handicapped person's certification. Contact your local Veteran's Affairs Office (Department of Military Affairs) for details on obtaining veteran's preference certification. For more information, contact your local Job Service. If you are claiming either employment preference, you must complete the Employment Preference Form.

Last Name \_\_\_\_\_ First \_\_\_\_\_ MI \_\_\_\_\_

Social Security Number \_\_\_\_\_

Street Address \_\_\_\_\_

City \_\_\_\_\_ State \_\_\_\_\_ Zip Code \_\_\_\_\_

Work Phone \_\_\_\_\_ Home Phone \_\_\_\_\_

E-mail Address \_\_\_\_\_

Do you have a valid driver's license? Yes ( ) No ( )

My signature below certifies that all information on this and all attached pages is true, correct and complete to the best of my knowledge and contains no willful falsifications or misrepresentations. Falsifications or misrepresentations may disqualify me from consideration for employment or, if hired, may be grounds for termination at a later date.

**EMPLOYERS MAY BE CONTACTED AS REFERENCES.**

Signature \_\_\_\_\_ Date Signed \_\_\_\_\_

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**EDUCATION**

**High School Name** \_\_\_\_\_

Address of High School awarding diploma or equivalency certificate \_\_\_\_\_

Received diploma or equivalency certificate: Yes ( ) No ( ) If No, highest grade completed \_\_\_\_\_

**College or University Name** \_\_\_\_\_ Dates Attended \_\_\_\_\_

Location \_\_\_\_\_ Credit Hours Earned \_\_\_\_\_ Degrees Received (BA, MA, etc.) \_\_\_\_\_

Date of Degree \_\_\_\_\_ Major Field \_\_\_\_\_ Minor Field \_\_\_\_\_

**List other schools or training that help you qualify.**

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Location \_\_\_\_\_

Dates Attended \_\_\_\_\_ Did You Complete? Yes ( ) No ( )

Title/Description of Course \_\_\_\_\_ Total Hours \_\_\_\_\_

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**PROFESSIONAL LICENSES, REGISTRATION OR CERTIFICATES** (EMT, GVW, Diver, POST, etc.)

Name and Complete Address of Licensing Agency \_\_\_\_\_

Type of License \_\_\_\_\_

Endorsement/Restriction (if applicable) \_\_\_\_\_ Date Licensed \_\_\_\_\_

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**SPECIAL SKILLS** (Check the skills you possess. Specify speed/errors where requested.)

Typing \_\_\_\_/\_\_\_\_ 10 Code ( ) Accident Investigation ( ) Legal Terminology ( ) Medical Terminology ( ) Photo Skills ( )

Computer Software \_\_\_\_\_

Computer Languages \_\_\_\_\_

Other \_\_\_\_\_

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**CRIMINAL CONVICTIONS** (List any criminal convictions you have had as an adult.)

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**EQUIPMENT** (List types of equipment you can operate and specify name or model you have used such as radio equipment, computers, video equipment, alcohol consumption testing equipment, etc.)

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**EXPERIENCE**

Begin with your present or most recent job and list your work experience with emphasis on experience that is relevant to the position for which you are applying. Include military service and any volunteer work experience that would help you qualify. List each promotion as a separate position. You may respond to this section on a separate sheet of paper provided you answer all questions in the blocks and follow the same format. On each sheet, write your name and the job title for which you are applying. This information must be completed even if you submit a resume.

**Notice to applicants:** Information that you provide on this application is subject to verification. Previous employers may be contacted as references. Do you want to be informed before we contact your present employer? Yes ( ) No ( )

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Name and Address of Employer \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Business \_\_\_\_\_

Date Employed \_\_\_\_\_ Average Hours Per Week \_\_\_\_\_

Your Job Title \_\_\_\_\_ Full-time ( ) Part-time ( ) Volunteer ( )

Immediate Supervisor(s) \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

Describe your duties in detail (knowledge, skills, abilities required, employees supervised and accomplishments)

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Reason for Leaving \_\_\_\_\_

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**ADDITIONAL EMPLOYMENT EXPERIENCE**

Name and Address of Employer \_\_\_\_\_

Type of Business \_\_\_\_\_

Date Employed \_\_\_\_\_ Average Hours Per Week \_\_\_\_\_

Your Job Title \_\_\_\_\_ Full-time ( ) Part-time ( ) Volunteer ( )

Immediate Supervisor(s) \_\_\_\_\_ Phone Number \_\_\_\_\_

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# EMPLOYMENT PREFERENCE FORM

Name \_\_\_\_\_ Social Security Number \_\_\_\_\_

Job Title \_\_\_\_\_ Position No. \_\_\_\_\_ Department Name \_\_\_\_\_

To claim preference under the **Veterans' Public Employment Preference Act** or the **Persons with Disabilities Public Employment Preference Act**, complete the following. Providing the following information is voluntary but must be included with the application in order to claim employment preference. This information will be kept confidential and will only be used during the hiring process to apply employment preference. Applicants hired by the state will have this information placed in a separate confidential selection file. Contact your local Job Service for details on veterans' preference. Contact your local Montana Vocational Rehabilitation Services Office, Department of Public Health and Human Services (PHHS) for details on obtaining persons with disabilities preference certification.

1. To claim **Veterans' Employment Preference** you must be a U.S. Citizen and (check one of the boxes below):

**A Veteran**, if

1. You have been separated under honorable conditions, **AND** have served more than 180 consecutive days of active federal military duty other than for training in the Army, Air Force, Navy, Marines, or Coast Guard or were a member of the reserves who served on federal military duty during a period of war or in a campaign or expedition for which a campaign badge is authorized.
2. You are or have been a member of the Montana Army or Air National Guard who has satisfactorily completed a minimum of 6 years service in armed forces, the last 3 of which have been served in the Montana Army or Air National Guard.

**A Disabled Veteran**, if

1. You have been separated under honorable conditions from military duty, **AND**
2. You have an established Armed Forces service-connected disability **OR** are receiving compensation, disability retirement benefits, or pension from the U.S. Department of Veterans Affairs or military department, **OR** you have received a Purple Heart.

**The spouse of a disabled veteran** if the veteran's disability prevents him/her from working.

**The unremarried surviving spouse of a veteran or disabled veteran.**

**The mother of a veteran**, if

1. THE VETERAN died under honorable conditions while serving in the Armed Forces, **OR** THE VETERAN has a service-connected, permanent, and total disability, **AND**
2. YOUR SPOUSE is totally and permanently disabled, **OR** YOU are the unremarried widow of the father of the veteran.

2. To claim **Montana Persons with Disabilities Employment Preference** you must be (check one of the boxes below):

**A person with a disability** certified by DPHHS, **OR**

**The spouse** of a totally (100%) disabled person certified by PHHS **AND** have resided continuously in Montana for at least 1 year immediately before applying for employment.

3. **In the box below, check the attachment you have included to document your eligibility for employment preference.**

- DD-214 showing the character of discharge  Service-connected disability letter  DPHHS Disability Certification  
 A document issued by the office of the adjutant General of the Montana National Guard certifying service.

SIGNATURE (typed or written) \_\_\_\_\_ DATE SIGNED \_\_\_\_\_