



Public safety and community service are the core missions of the Virginia Beach Sheriff's Office, a constitutional office with more than 500 sworn and civilian appointees. In your career with the VBSO, you will serve in the distinguished field of law enforcement, becoming a leader in your community while growing as a professional and forging lifelong relationships. Whether you're just starting out, looking for a positive change or seeking your next profession after retiring from the military, you will find a rewarding career and a family at the Virginia Beach Sheriff's Office.

You also will have extensive opportunities to serve and make a difference in the community. The Virginia Beach Sheriff's Office supports the Virginia Special Olympics, the Pungo Strawberry Festival, Law Enforcement United, the United Way, the American Red Cross and the food bank. Appointees also mentor local students, provide free child I.D. cards, offer security assessments for seniors, participate in events at assisted living facilities and much more.



The Cops & Kids Christmas charity event.



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Many dream of becoming a star ...

... few can wear one

VIRGINIA BEACH SHERIFF'S OFFICE



Starting Salary
\$43,264



The Virginia Beach Correctional Center

The mission of the Virginia Beach Sheriff's Office is to provide for the public safety of the citizens of Virginia Beach through the efficient and professional operation of the Sheriff's Office. We seek to provide taxpayers the best value for their dollar while upholding the organizational values of commitment, integrity, compassion and professionalism.

The Virginia Beach Sheriff's Office is responsible for a wide range of public safety functions, including maintaining the daily security of approximately 1,300 inmates, operating the Virginia Beach Correctional Center, providing security at the Virginia Beach Courthouse, processing civil papers, safely transporting inmates and training. In addition, the Sheriff's Office supervises the Inmate Workforce, which conducts landscaping and maintenance for the City, helps with natural disaster recovery and provides other services at a tremendous savings to taxpayers.



The VBSO's Inmate Workforce

VBSO Employment Benefits

- Competitive salary
- Virginia Retirement System
- Law Enforcement Officer Supplemental Retirement
- City health and dental benefits
- Life insurance
- Annual leave, sick leave and holidays
- Military leave
- Continuing education opportunities, including possible tuition assistance
- Opportunities for advancement
- Volunteer opportunities within the community
- Being a part of a team of hard-working professionals who strive for the best on a daily basis

Recruitment video: youtu.be/FPtIm09zAF4



Minimum Requirements for Deputy Sheriffs and Full-Time Civilians

All applicants must meet the following minimum requirements for consideration for hire:

- Be a U. S. citizen with a good employment, credit and police record
- Be 20 years of age (**sworn personnel**)
- Produce a high school diploma or a General Educational Development (GED) certificate
- Produce a Social Security card, an original birth certificate and, if applicable, an original DD-214

All applicants must submit to:

- Being fingerprinted
- A successful background investigation, including a driving record and credit check
- A written test
- A panel interview

Upon being **offered** a position, applicants for a sworn position must:

- Complete a polygraph examination
- Successfully pass a psychological evaluation
- Successfully pass a physical examination

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Applications for civilian positions must be submitted at www.vbgovcareers.com.