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The City of Knob Noster, MO is seeking an energetic, self-motivated Chief of Police to lead and manage the Knob Noster Police Department. The City of Knob Noster is a town of 2,700 residents located in Johnson County, MO and is the gateway to Whiteman Air Force Base. The Knob Noster Police Department has the authorized strength of eight total officers, which includes one Lieutenant, one Sergeant, and one Police Detective. The remaining positions are Patrol Officers. The chosen candidate must successfully complete a background investigation and pre-employment drug screen.

POSITION: Chief of Police

PRIMARY PURPOSE: Oversee law enforcement operational and support activities of the Knob Noster Police Department.

SUPERVISION: Under the general supervision of the Mayor and Board of Aldermen and the direct supervision of the City Administrator. Directly supervises the Police Lieutenant, and oversees supervision of all subordinate officers in the Knob Noster Police Department.

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MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS

- The Chief of Police shall be twenty-one (21) years of age or older.
- Must have a valid MO driver's license at the time of hire.
- A minimum of five (5) years of experience in law enforcement.
- Shall have no prior Felony or Domestic Violence convictions.
- Shall hold a current State certification for Peace Officer as set forth in Sections 590.100 through 590.150, RSMo.
- Chosen Applicant must acquire full-time residency within the Knob Noster R-VIII Public School District Boundaries within one year of the start of employment.
- Must be able to qualify with the Department-Issued Firearm.
- Must be able to pass a background test which may include a Polygraph or a Computer Voice Stress Analyzer (CVSA).
- Must be able to pass a pre-employment drug screen.



PREFERRED QUALIFICATIONS

- A bachelor's degree from an accredited college or university in the field of Criminal Justice or a related field; or an equivalent combination of experience and education.
- Have successfully applied for a grant for their current agency.
- Have been a supervisor in a Law Enforcement agency.
- Live within the City Limits of Knob Noster.

For further information on knowledge and abilities, duties, and compensation, see the full job description at <https://cityofkn.net>

Salary and Benefits

The salary range for the Police Chief will be \$50,000-\$60,000 per year. This is a full-time, exempt position under the Fair Labor and Standards Act. The City provides a generous benefit program including health, dental, life insurance, short-term disability insurance, and paid vacation and sick leave. In addition to the competitive benefits package and salary, the City provides a LAGERS LT-4 "Eighty and Out" retirement plan which does not require any employee contributions.

Applications and job descriptions may be obtained from the Knob Noster City Clerk, aschouten@cityofkn.net or online at www.cityofkn.net. Position open until filled. First review of applications will be September 22, 2023.