

Sheriff, Security and Transport

APS Minimum Recruitment Standards

Subsidiary Agreement: 003

Effective Date: November, 2007

Stream Definition:

This work focuses on ensuring the safety of people, highways and property such as courthouses, government buildings and museums through investigative, monitoring and enforcement responsibilities. A broad range of work exists, including the enforcement of moving violations on commercial vehicles, highway traffic enforcement and traffic accident investigations, inmate transfers and security, system monitoring, dispatch services for sheriffs, executive and courthouse security, warrant apprehensions and assisting law enforcement agencies with surveillance activities. Highways are also monitored in regards to the carrier industry, enforcing legislation and maintenance for commercial vehicles or some vehicles operated by the general public, such as school buses. In a museum, positions ensure the proper conduct of visitors and that valuable collections, exhibits, furnishings, buildings and surrounding grounds and offsite premises are safeguarded from theft and damage.

Minimum Recruitment Standards: Sheriff, Security and Transport 1, Sheriff, Security and Transport 2, Sheriff, Security and Transport 3, Sheriff, Security and Transport 4

| Classification | Minimum Recruitment Standards | Equivalency |
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| Sherriff, Security and Transport 1 | <p>One-year certificate in a related field; no experience required; or equivalent as described.</p> <p>Special Requirements: some positions require:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Eligible for appointment as a Peace Officer. ▪ Physically able to perform position duties. ▪ Hold a valid driver's license. ▪ Certified in CPR and First Aid. <p>Note: Transport Officer work is not currently benchmarked at this level.</p> | <p>Directly related education or experience considered on the basis of 1 year of education for 1 year of experience; or 1 year of experience for 1 year of education.</p> |
| Sherriff, Security and Transport 2 | <p>Two-year diploma in a related field; no experience required; or equivalent as described.</p> <p>Special Requirements: some positions require:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Eligible for appointment as a Peace Officer. ▪ Physically able to perform position duties. ▪ Hold a valid driver's license. | <p>Directly related education or experience considered on the basis of 1 year of education for 1 year of experience; or 1 year of experience for 1 year of education.</p> |

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| | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Certified in CPR and First Aid. ▪ Certified in use of Firearms. | Another equivalency for Transport Officer positions is a Journeyman (M/F) Heavy Duty Mechanic and 1 year of related experience. |
| Sherriff, Security and Transport 3 | <p>Two-year diploma in a related field plus two years progressively responsible related experience; or equivalent as described.</p> <p>Special Requirements: some positions require:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Eligible for appointment as a Peace Officer. ▪ Physically able to perform position duties. ▪ Hold a valid driver's license. ▪ Certified in CPR and First Aid. ▪ Certified in use of Firearms. | <p>Directly related education or experience considered on the basis of 1 year of education for 1 year of experience; or 1 year of experience for 1 year of education.</p> <p>Another equivalency for Transport Officer positions is a Journeyman (M/F) Heavy Duty Mechanic and 3 years of related experience.</p> |
| Sherriff, Security and Transport 4 | <p>Two-year diploma in a related field plus five years progressively responsible related experience; or equivalent as described.</p> <p>Special Requirements: some positions require:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ▪ Eligible for appointment as a Peace Officer. ▪ Physically able to perform position duties. ▪ Hold a valid driver's license. ▪ Certified in CPR and First Aid. ▪ Certified in use of Firearms. | <p>Directly related education or experience considered on the basis of 1 year of education for 1 year of experience; or 1 year of experience for 1 year of education.</p> <p>Another equivalency for Transport Officer positions is a Journeyman (M/F) Heavy Duty Mechanic and 6 years of related experience.</p> |