City of ST. FRANCIS

POSITION PROFILE

Effective Date:	February 2024		
Position Title:	Police Records Clerk	Status:	Non-Exempt
Department:	Police	Approved:	
Accountable to:	Administrative Assistant		

Primary Objectives

Performs routine to semi-skilled clerical, receptionist and data entry support for the police department; performs related duties as required.

Supervision Received

Works under the general and technical supervision of the Administrative Assistant.

Supervision Exercised

None.

MAJOR AREAS OF ACCOUNTABILITY

- * 1. Enters offense, arrest, and other police data into the records management system; enters citations into PSDS software; codes arrests according to the NBRS codes; reviews for accuracy and ensures the information is kept confidential.
- * 2. Transcribes reports and statements; prepares and forwards incident reports to appropriate agencies and Investigator. Coordinates and tracks the flow of information and documents to and from the investigator and prosecutors.
- * 3. Responds to phone, fax and in-person inquiries and requests for information; directs calls, takes messages, provides information and assistance or refers to another staff member as appropriate.
- * 4. Retrieve, copies and provides police reports to the public in accordance with strict guidelines calculates and collects appropriate fee and prepares receipts in accordance with state statute 13.82.
- *5. Performs general clerical support work including: typing a variety of documents, letters, reports and memos, maintaining records and files, scanning, copying, printing, faxing, handling incoming

- and outgoing mail, records as appropriate, and retrieving data or documents and disposal of. Maintains and destroys records in accordance with the mandated retention schedule.
- * 6. Prepares case files for prosecution and reviews all required supporting documents and submits them to the proper agencies in a timely manner.
- *7. Performs queries in CJIS and Anoka County records name database and provides the information to the requestor as needed.
- 8. Performs records checks after obtaining appropriate releases; refers any questionable requests to the Administrative Assistant.
- 9. Issues snowmobile, golf permits and dog licenses; verifies identification and insurance and signs off on impounded vehicles authorizing release.
- 10. Performs assigned duties of their supervisor in their absence.
- 11. Processes permit to purchase and runs criminal histories and background checks. Must have advanced knowledge of state statutes and federal laws as it related to firearms.
- 12. Helps with community events and performs other duties as needed or assigned.

KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS, AND ABILITIES

- ➤ Working knowledge of police department policies and procedures as it pertains to administrative support work
- ➤ Working knowledge of data practices laws and related department procedures.
- ➤ Working knowledge of database and word-processing software and the Minnesota Offense Table, Microsoft Word, Excel, Laserfiche, Outlook, and Adobe Acrobat.
- ➤ Considerable ability to maintain confidentiality and to read, understand and follow policies and procedures on appropriate release of information and use of law enforcement databases.
- Considerable ability to operate standard office equipment.
- Considerable ability to promote and provide excellent customer service and to communicate effectively with City staff and the public.
- ➤ Working ability to obtain and maintain CJIS Hot Files certification.
- Working ability to respond to questions and requests for information.
- ➤ Working ability to perform work that some requires bending, crouching, and pushing/pulling to retrieve documents, lifting and carrying of files and sitting to perform data entry for long periods of time.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS

- One year of responsible office support work including receptionist, data entry, word processing and operation of standard office equipment.
- Must obtain CJIS Hot Files certification within one year of employment and maintain thereafter.