



Sheriff Jerry A. Dunbar

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Dear Applicant:

Thank you for your interest in the *Deputy Sheriff* position with the Washington County Sheriff's Office. We currently have 17 certified deputies that provide law enforcement to rural Washington County, as well as the contract towns of Riverside, Wellman, Kalona, Crawfordsville, Brighton, Ainsworth, and West Chester. The position that is currently available is a patrol deputy position. We currently have ten patrol deputies. We also have two deputies that are dedicated to the civil department, one to investigations, one to IT, one who is dedicated to the Washington/Louisa Narcotics Enforcement Team, and one deputy who is the administrator of the jail.

Washington County deputies are each assigned a patrol car, with an in-car camera and radar unit that they are able to take home. All other equipment needs are met by the Washington County Sheriff's Office. Additional equipment can be utilized by deputies such as night vision goggles, trail cam, speed trailer, lidar, bicycles and 4-wheelers. Pay for this open patrol deputy is based upon ILEA certified experience. Base salary begins at \$37,375.92 and tops out after seven years at \$49,181.04. In addition, deputies that are ILEA certified can earn up to two weeks of vacation when hired. We have deputies that are ILEA certified to instruct other deputies in the areas of firearms, rifle, Taser, less lethal munitions, ASP, chemical munitions, OC Spray, defensive tactics, driving, radar/lidar, & SFST.

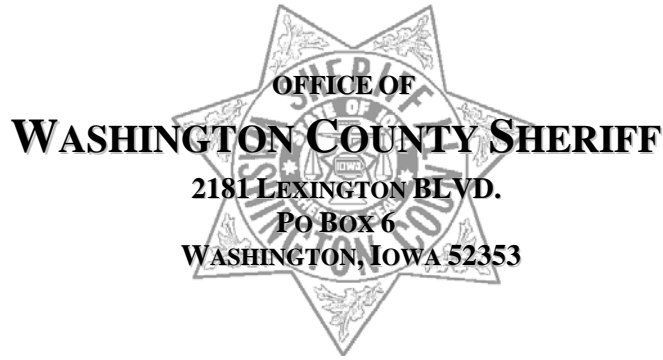
Washington County currently supports a seven member SWAT team. These individuals train an additional 15 days per year. They are expected to maintain higher physical fitness and weapons qualifications than the other deputies. SWAT team members are assigned additional tactical gear such as ballistic shield, breaching equipment, protective masks, level 3A tactical vests, and helmets.

Those not ILEA certified start with one week of vacation per year. Deputies can earn up to four weeks vacation after 12 years of service. Washington County offers three different family or single insurance plans through First Administrators, Inc. Costs for these plans vary, with some being at no cost.

Sincerely,

Jerry A. Dunbar

Washington County Sheriff



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## **BACKGROUND CHECK – WAIVER OF LIABILITY**

Date: \_\_\_\_\_

I, \_\_\_\_\_, do hereby authorize the Washington County Sheriff's Office or its agents, employees, or designees therein, to perform a background check or investigation of my personal history should they deem necessary, for the consideration of my application.

In addition, I give my consent to have the Washington County Sheriff's Office perform any inquest they may deem necessary, which may include contacting previous employers, associates, clergy officials and education instructors, but not limited to them, and conferring with them; and I authorize the Washington County Sheriff's Office to perform a criminal background check with any local, state or federal agency as they would feel necessary to satisfy a check of this nature.

I also understand that if I am selected as one of the finalist, I will be subject to any testing, consisting of written or oral examination, and may possibly be subjected to drug testing, polygraph examination and psychological testing.

Signed \_\_\_\_\_ on this \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2010.



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**APPLICATION FOR EMPLOYMENT**  
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**Personal Information**

Today's Date	LAST Name	FIRST Name	MIDDLE Name
List any alias names you have used in the past or maiden name if applicable.			
Date of Birth	Drivers License Number	Drivers License State	
Social Security Number	Home Phone Number	Cell Phone Number	E-mail Address

**Current and Previous Addresses**

	House Number & Street	City	State	Zip Code	From		To	
					Mo	Yr	Mo	Yr
Current								
Previous								
Next Previous								

**Employment Information**

Are you legally eligible for employment in the United States? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If hired, you will be required to provide proof of eligibility.	= . . . . . ?
Are you eighteen (18) years of age or older? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If hired, you will be required to provide proof of age.	If hired, on what date would you be available to work?

**Certifications**

Are you ILEA Certified? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Are you certified in any other state? If yes, what state? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	Do you have at least a two-year degree in Criminal Justice, Police Science, or other related field? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
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**Education**

School	Name & Address of School	Course of Study	Circle Last Year Completed				Did You Graduate?	List Diploma or Degree
			5	6	7	8		
Elementary		X					<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	X
High							<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
College							<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	
Other (Specify)							<input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	

**Employment History** • List present and past employment below, with the most recent employment first

1	Name and Address of Company	From		To		Weekly Starting Salary	Weekly Ending Salary	Reason for Leaving	Name of Supervisor
		Mo.	Year	Mo.	Year				
	Describe the work you did.								
	Telephone								
	Permission to contact this employer? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No								

2	Name and Address of Company	From		To		Weekly Starting Salary	Weekly Ending Salary	Reason for Leaving	Name of Supervisor
		Mo.	Year	Mo.	Year				
	Describe the work you did.								
	Telephone								
	Permission to contact this employer? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No								

3	Name and Address of Company	From		To		Weekly Starting Salary	Weekly Ending Salary	Reason for Leaving	Name of Supervisor
		Mo.	Year	Mo.	Year				
	Describe the work you did.								
	Telephone								
	Permission to contact this employer? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No								

4	Name and Address of Company	From		To		Weekly Starting Salary	Weekly Ending Salary	Reason for Leaving	Name of Supervisor
		Mo.	Year	Mo.	Year				
	Describe the work you did.								
	Telephone								
	Permission to contact this employer? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No								

5	Name and Address of Company	From		To		Weekly Starting Salary	Weekly Ending Salary	Reason for Leaving	Name of Supervisor
		Mo.	Year	Mo.	Year				
	Describe the work you did.								
	Telephone								
	Permission to contact this employer? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No								

**Employment History • Continued**

<b>6</b>	Name and Address of Company	From		To		Weekly Starting Salary	Weekly Ending Salary	Reason for Leaving	Name of Supervisor
		Mo.	Year	Mo.	Year				
	Describe the work you did.								
	Telephone								
	Permission to contact this employer? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No								

<b>7</b>	Name and Address of Company	From		To		Weekly Starting Salary	Weekly Ending Salary	Reason for Leaving	Name of Supervisor
		Mo.	Year	Mo.	Year				
	Describe the work you did.								
	Telephone								
	Permission to contact this employer? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No								

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		Mo.	Year	Mo.	Year				
	Describe the work you did.								
	Telephone								
	Permission to contact this employer? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No								

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		Mo.	Year	Mo.	Year				
	Describe the work you did.								
	Telephone								
	Permission to contact this employer? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No								

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		Mo.	Year	Mo.	Year				
	Describe the work you did.								
	Telephone								
	Permission to contact this employer? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No								

**Military History**

Have you ever served in the U.S. Armed Forces? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No	If YES, was your last discharge honorable? <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No
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**Please list any skills, experiences or qualifications that would be of special benefit for the position that you are applying for.**

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**Criminal Record**

Have you ever been convicted of a crime, including traffic offenses?  Yes  No    If yes, please list below.

Date	Location	Crime	Explanation

**Personal References**

Please do not list former employers or relatives

Name and Occupation	Address	Phone Number

May we call you at home to follow up on this application?  Yes  No

If yes, what is the best time to call? \_\_\_\_\_ Which phone number should we use?  Home  Cell

May we call you at work to follow up on this application?  Yes  No

If yes, what is the best time to call? \_\_\_\_\_ What is your work phone number? \_\_\_\_\_

**Please read and sign below**

My signature below signifies that the facts set forth in my application for employment are true and complete. I understand that if employed, any false statement on this application may result in my dismissal. I further understand that this application is not and is not intended to be a contract of employment, nor does this application obligate the employer in any way if the employer decides not to employ me.

\_\_\_\_\_ Date

\_\_\_\_\_ Signature of Applicant