



**INTEREST OUTREACH  
LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER  
GL-1801-05/07/09/11  
R6 – PACIFIC NORTHWEST REGION  
LAW ENFORCEMENT AND INVESTIGATIONS  
Multiple Locations throughout Pacific NW Region**



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Law Enforcement & Investigations  
Region 6**

The Pacific Northwest Region (R6), Law Enforcement & Investigations, is looking for recent graduates who may be interested in Law Enforcement Officer GL-1801-5/7/9/11 positions at the following locations:

**Roseburg, OR  
Bend, OR  
Prineville, OR  
Lakeview, OR  
John Day, OR  
Joseph, OR  
Newport, WA  
Cle Elum, WA  
Sedro-Woolley, WA  
Enumclaw, WA**

This outreach notice is for filling a Recent Graduate Pathways position (<https://www.opm.gov/about-us/careers-at-opm/students-recent-graduates/>).

**ABOUT THE POSITION**

The incumbent is responsible for performing full-time law enforcement duties including detection, investigation, apprehension, detention, and prosecution activities which are associated with the enforcement of the laws, regulations, and rules relating to the protection and safe uses of National Forest System lands and resources. The incumbent performs in an assigned area which has a complex and unique resource and visitor safety workload.

In addition, uniformed law enforcement officers:

- work cooperatively with local, State, and other Federal law enforcement officials
- conduct informational and educational programs
- enforce drug control laws
- assist special agents by conducting preliminary investigations
- respond to unplanned incidents such as environmental protests, threats to employees, and large group events

## **CONDITIONS OF EMPLOYMENT**

The applicant must be a U.S. Citizen or National. Males born after 12/31/1959 must be Selective Service registered or exempt. This position is a primary law enforcement position under 5 USC 8336 (c), (CSRS) and USC 8412 (d) (FERS). Persons making their first entry into a law enforcement position under these authorities cannot be selected if they have reached age 37. People already covered in secondary positions or people with previous approved service who apply for a primary position cannot be considered if their age at re-entry into the primary position is 37 after subtracting service in approved positions. The minimum age requirement is 21 years of age and must possess and maintain a valid driver's license.

The applicant selected will be required to submit and pass a urinalysis to screen for illegal drug use prior to appointment and randomly thereafter. Appointment and continued employment is conditional on negative results (49 U.S.C. 382 and E.O. 12564 and FSM 5373).

Applicants are required to complete and sign a waiver that provides for the release of information needed to complete a background investigation. This is a high-risk position where the selected is subject to satisfactory adjudication of background investigation and/or fingerprint check. The incumbent will be subject to a 5-year periodic reinvestigation. (5 CFR 731.302 and FSM 5303).

This position will be required to meet all medical and physical requirements as outlined in Forest Service Manual (FSM) 5373; to be determined by a pre-employment medical examination. Medical and physical requirements apply to law enforcement positions under the special retirement provisions (5 U.S.C. 8412(d) and 5 U.S.C. 8336(c)). Enforcement and investigative activities are often conducted under hazardous conditions with walking, climbing, reaching, pulling, crouching, or running over rough terrain as required, as well as prolonged periods of patrol work. Strenuous physical exertion is frequently required, such as, when apprehending individuals of varying strengths who may be combative or under the influence of alcohol or drugs.

This position often requires irregular and unscheduled hours, personal risks, arduous exertion under adverse environmental conditions, and considerable overnight travel. Successful completion of probationary period is required, unless previously served Per Public Law 104-134.

## **CONTINUED RETENTION IN THE POSITION OF A LAW ENFORCEMENT OFFICER IS CONDITIONAL UPON**

Successfully completing the 17-week required Land Management Police Training Program (LMPT) at the Federal Law Enforcement Training Center (FLETC), meeting all agency requirements for mandatory certification in firearms and non-lethal control tactics; and passing all five portions of the Physical Efficiency Battery (PEB) to be administered during basic training at FLETC. Prior to attending FLETC, the candidate must pass the Physical Efficiency Battery (PEB) at the 25<sup>th</sup> percentile. After successful completion of NRPT the incumbent must successfully complete and pass a 12-week Field Training and Evaluation Program (FTEP). (FSM 5370)

As a condition of employment, individuals selected for a Law Enforcement Officer position are required to carry weapons and ammunition as a part of their official duties. Because of an amendment to 18 U.S.C. 922(g)(9), which became effective September 30, 1996, applicants are ineligible for this position if, at any time, they have been convicted of a misdemeanor crime of domestic violence, unless such conviction was expunged, set aside, or the applicant received a pardon. This position requires initial and continuing qualifications in the use of firearms as outlined in the Gun Control Act of 1968, amended by the Lautenberg Amendment of 1996.

All Federal employees are required to have federal payments made direct deposit to their financial institution, as well as obtain and use a government-issued charge card for business-related travel. Applicants must successfully pass the E-Verify employment verification check. To learn about E-Verify, including your rights and responsibilities, visit [e-verify.gov](http://e-verify.gov). This is a bargaining unit position represented by the National Federation of Federal Employees, IAMAW.

**CONTACT:**

Point of contact for this position will be Administrative Operations Specialist Caleb Robitaille, [caleb.robitaille@usda.gov](mailto:caleb.robitaille@usda.gov).



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**Email Candidate Outreach Form and Current Resume to  
Administrative Operations Specialist Caleb Robitaille, [caleb.robitaille@usda.gov](mailto:caleb.robitaille@usda.gov)**

<b>Name:</b>	
<b>E-Mail Address:</b>	
<b>Mailing Address:</b>	
<b>Telephone Number:</b>	
<b>If current Federal employee, type of appointment:</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> Permanent <input type="checkbox"/> Temporary <input type="checkbox"/> VRA <input type="checkbox"/> Term <input type="checkbox"/> Other (Specify):
<b>Current Organization/Location:</b>	<input type="checkbox"/> USFS <input type="checkbox"/> BLM <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Specify)
<b>Current Position Title, Series, Grade:</b>	

*If not a current permanent (career or career conditional) employee, are you eligible to be hired under any of the following special employment authorities?*

- PERSON WITH DISABILITIES
- VETERANS' READJUSTMENT
- 30% COMPENSABLE VETERAN
- VETERANS EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITIES ACT OF 1998
- FORMER PEACE CORPS VOLUNTEER
- STUDENT CAREER EXPERIENCE PROGRAM CONVERSION
- OTHER (Specify): \_\_\_\_\_

Submission of this form is voluntary.  
Thank you for your interest!