



**Aitkin County**  
**External Job Announcement 12/12/2022**

**DEPUTY SHERIFF (Grade 8)**  
**LELS Deputy Bargaining Unit**  
**Wage Range \$24.98 - \$37.15, plus benefits**

Aitkin County is accepting applications for a FT Deputy Sheriff to perform general duty law enforcement work to protect life and property throughout Aitkin County. Patrol the county to enforce laws and secure compliance with traffic regulations, escort prisoners, undertake routine investigations, serve legal instruments and execute court orders. Work involves an element of personal danger and employees must act without direct supervision and exercise independent judgment meeting emergency situations. Assignments and orders are received from superior officers who review work methods and results through reports, inspections and discussions.

Requirements: Licensed or eligible to be licensed by the Minnesota P.O.S.T. Board, which includes two years post-secondary education or more; and continues to receive education credits to be licensed.

Valid Minnesota driver's license required. Employment reference checks, a criminal background check, pre-employment physical, drug test, and psychological evaluation will be performed as part of the pre-employment process.

Must be First Aid, CPR/AED certified or obtain within 30 days of hire.

Must be able to work rotating shifts, including days, nights, weekends, and holidays as assigned.

Applications are available at [www.co.aitkin.mn.us](http://www.co.aitkin.mn.us). All questions are welcome 218-927-7306 or [hr@co.aitkin.mn.us](mailto:hr@co.aitkin.mn.us). Closes: Open Until Filled. EOE.

