

Village of Alexandria Bay is looking to hire a Police Chief.  
Apply in Person.

GENERAL STATEMENT OF DUTIES: Has charge of the prevention and detection of crime, the enforcement of the general criminal laws of the state and other police functions in a town or village; does related work as required.

DISTINGUISHING FEATURES OF THE CLASS: These duties involve responsibility for enforcing laws and ordinances and protecting lives and property in a town or village. Depending on the size of the municipality, the Police Chief may be the sole law enforcement officer or he may have charge of a small to moderate sized staff of subordinate officers. The work is performed in keeping with recognized police practices under the general direction of the local governing body.

REQUIRED KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS, ABILITIES, AND PERSONAL CHARACTERISTICS: Good knowledge of modern principles and practices of police work and police administration; good knowledge of the New York State Penal Law, Code of Criminal Procedures, Vehicle and Traffic Law, and all local laws, ordinances, and regulations pertaining to police work; good knowledge of scientific methods of crime detection and criminal investigation; ability to lead and direct the activities of Police Officers; ability to interpret the work of the department and to maintain cooperative relationships with other officials and the general public; resourcefulness; good physical condition.

ACCEPTABLE TRAINING AND EXPERIENCE:

Promotion: Two years of experience in the next lower grade.

Open-Competitive:

Graduation from high school and two years of experience with an organized police force or law enforcement agency which must have involved investigation and/or apprehension of law violators.

SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS: For appointments after September 1, 1984, (Section 58 1 [6] of the Civil Service Law):

Salary- \$80,000/Yearly, or based on experience.

Shift- May vary weekly.

"...Notwithstanding the provisions of any other section of law, general, special, or local, in political subdivisions maintaining a police department serving a population of one hundred fifty thousand or less, no person shall be eligible for appointment nor shall he or she be appointed to any rank above the rank of Police Officer unless he or she has been appointed a Police Officer from an eligible list established according to merit and fitness as provided by Section six of Article 5 of the Constitution of the State of New York or has previously served as a member of the New York State Police.

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