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**CITY OF BENBROOK
NOTICE OF ENTRANCE EXAMINATION TO ESTABLISH AN ELIGIBILITY LIST FOR THE POSITION
OF POLICE OFFICER**

List will become effective immediately following completion of existing list

SALARY RANGE: \$60,409 to \$77,099 Annually

Signing Bonus of \$5,000 available to certified police officers

WHEN: Saturday, February 22, 2020 9:00 A.M.

WHERE: Benbrook Senior Citizen Building, 1010 Mercedes Street, Benbrook, Texas 76126

Because this is a non-City workday – applicants may park in spaces designated as STAFF

Candidates who are interested in taking the entrance level exam for the position of Police Officer must have their application on file with the Director of Civil Service by 5:00 p.m. February 18, 2020. To receive veteran's preference points, a copy of the DD214 form showing and Honorable discharge must be submitted prior to application deadline. Any designation other than HONORABLE will not be accepted for veteran's points. ONLY SUBMIT APPLICATION AND DD214 AT THIS TIME. ALL OTHER PAPERWORK RECEIVED WILL BE DESTROYED.

Applicants must meet the minimum qualifications in order to be eligible to take the test.

REQUIREMENTS

- Twenty-one (21) years of age to forty-five (45) years of age (may test prior to 21st birthday but cannot be hired until age of 21 has been reached)
- High School Diploma or equivalent
- Texas Vehicle Operator License (or ability to obtain such)
- Conform to height and weight standards
- Eyesight 20/70 corrected to 20/20 with normal color vision
- Ability to work various shifts, weekends and holidays
- Physical ability to sit and stand for long periods of time; to walk, run, climb, crawl in pursuit of suspects; to drag and lift an average body weight; to work outdoors in inclement weather and extreme temperatures
- Participate in and pass a qualifying physical agility and medical examination (including drug and alcohol testing)

CONTENT OF EXAMINATION

The written portion of the examination is a comprehensive reading and writing exam. The passing score of the examination is 70. Veteran's preference points will only be added to a score of 70 or above. The written examination will establish the eligibility list. The list will remain in effect for a twelve-month period unless exhausted.

Candidates passing the written portion of the exam will be directed to the Benbrook Police Department building, 1080 Mercedes Street to complete physical agility testing. The testing will be performed on a Concept 2 Rowing Machine. Physical readiness will be established at 25% VO2 max percentage based on a 2,000-meter row.

Candidates who pass the written exam and physical agility will be subject to a driver analysis, background investigation, medical exam (including drug screen), psychological exam, polygraph exam and any other job relevant investigation deemed necessary.

Candidates must show proof of identity at both test sites by providing a valid driver's license.

Applications are available at City Hall and must be submitted to: City of Benbrook, Personnel Department, 911 Winscott Road, Benbrook, TX 76126. Applications are also available for download at www.benbrook-tx.gov **ONLINE APPLICATIONS AND RESUMES ARE NOT ACCEPTED. MUST SUBMIT CITY APPLICATION FORM.**

The City of Benbrook is an Equal Opportunity Employer and does not discriminate on basis of disability. Special accommodations are available when necessary to afford equal opportunity to participate in testing. Please make request 72 hours prior to test date by calling 817-249-3000.