EXAMINATION BULLETIN
LATERAL POLICE OFFICER

• Applications will be accepted on a continuous basis.
• Testing will be conducted as needed to fulfill estimated departmental needs and as sufficient applications are received.
• Based on predetermined criteria, applications will be rated and the highest scoring candidates will proceed to the oral board interview and written exercise.
• Successful candidates will be ranked on an eligibility list by total scores from a written essay and an oral board interview administered on the same day.
• An overall minimum passing score of 70% is required.
• Candidates will be ranked on the eligibility list for a one-year period upon certification by the Civil Service Commission.
• Candidates’ ranking on the eligibility list may change as other names are added to the list in subsequent examination sessions.
• The highest scoring candidates will proceed to the Chief’s or Chief’s designee interview and thorough background investigations as openings occur.
• The Rule of Five shall be utilized for final selection(s).
• Any offer of employment will be conditional upon successfully passing a polygraph, psychological examination, and a physical examination which includes drug testing.
• The approximate length of time from background investigation to hire is three months.