## **Colorado Springs Police Department**

Good news! We are planning on opening applications for the positions of Police Recruit and Lateral Recruit April 1st through May 13th, 2019 for a March, 2020 Police Academy (dates subject to change)! Applications will be available on Governmentjobs.com, our website at cspd.coloradosprings.gov (I'd like to.../become a Police Officer), and a direct link to the application will be sent out to this email on April 1st.

Also, information Sessions about the application process, the academy, and the department has been scheduled. An in-person session will be held at the Police Operation Center while the other will be an online video conference. These sessions are being held to assist you by answering questions about the application process. These sessions are VOLUNTARY and not part of the application process and will not affect your application in any way. I will be the one conducting the sessions and will be available to answer questions after the completion of the sessions. The following is the information about the orientations:

In person: April 2, 2019 at 1900 hours (7pm mountain time), 705 S Nevada Av, Colorado Springs Colorado, 80903 (Community Room; right hand side of the front lobby). Please sign up online so I can get an estimate of how many people will be attending with this link (if you forget to sign up you are still welcome to attend):

Caution-http://bit.ly/2020cspdorientation < Caution-http://bit.ly/2020cspdorientation >

Online: This will be held online with Webex on April 4th, 2019 at 1900 (7pm mountain time). Please try the link early so you can download appropriate software (Or temporarily run software) and make sure your computer or phone is working. (Password if asked is "CSPD").

Caution-http://bit.ly/cspd2020online < Caution-http://bit.ly/cspd2020online >

PLEASE see our website at: Caution-http://bit.ly/cspdrecruiting < Caution-http://bit.ly/cspdrecruiting > for information on the application process and requirements (Menu links on the left of the page "Minimum Qualifications"... "Disqualifying Behaviors"... etc.).

We do not have a specific dress code but I will remind you that you are starting the process to become a Police Officer with the City of Colorado Springs. We are looking for professionalism in all steps of the process, so please dress accordingly.

Also, we are planning on opening applications for the Community Service Officer (CSO) positions in early 2019. Information about the CSO Program can be found at this link: Caution-http://bit.ly/cspdcso < Caution-http://bit.ly/cspdcso > . Applications for the position will be posted on the city job board at this link: Caution-http://bit.ly/coloradospringsjobs < Caution-http://bit.ly/coloradospringsjobs > .

In addition to the CSO Position, we also have openings in the Communication Center for Emergency Response Technician (911 call taker) and Dispatcher. These positions will be and are posted on the job board: Caution-http://bit.ly/coloradospringsjobs < Caution-http://bit.ly/coloradospringsjobs > .

We are also conducting a Poster Contest for kids 18 years old and younger. Prizes will be awarded and possible publication of the winner's artwork is likely! For further information see our website or click this link: Caution-http://bit.ly/2019postercontest < Caution-http://bit.ly/2019postercontest >

If you have questions about the process or requirements after reading the website please let me know! Also, please feel free to follow us on social media; Facebook, Instagram, YouTube, Twitter, and LinkedIn. There are several videos on YouTube from previous Academy Classes which will show you some of the training completed in the Academy.

Thank you for your time,

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