**RICE POLICE DEPARTMENT**

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Charles Parson- Chief of Police

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**POLICE OFFICER HIRING ANNOUNCEMENT**

The City of Rice is currently accepting applications for the position of Peace Officer.

***Essential Job Functions:***

Identify and deter Criminal activity, respond to calls for all types of Police Services, Enforce Traffic Laws, Investigate Motor Vehicle Accidents, Investigate Criminal Offenses, make arrests, Provide Law Enforcement visibility to deter crime and inspire the community a sense of security.

Applicants should be willing to learn and take great pride in the community they serve. Applicants **must** minimally possess the following qualifications.

1. All applicants must be licensed by TCOLE (Texas Commission on Law Enforcement)

2. Be a citizen of the United States

3. Have a valid Texas driver’s license

4. No conviction of any violations of the laws of the State of Texas or the United States, except minor traffic offenses, nor shall have any conviction of any crime or offense involving moral turpitude or Family Violence.

5. Provide proof of a high school diploma or approved high school equivalency certificate.

6. Be able to read and write the English language

7. Be able to work rotating shifts including Holidays and weekends.

8. Submit to a complete background investigation

9. Submit to and successfully pass drug screening and physical exam.

Interest cards will be e-mailed to you. The City of Rice is an Equal Opportunity Employer.