

# EVEREST METRO POLICE DEPARTMENT

### RECRUITMENT ANNOUNCEMENT

The Everest Metropolitan Police Department is a multi-jurisdictional police agency serving three communities in North Central Wisconsin. We are located adjacent to the Wausau metropolitan area and provide services to the Village of Weston, City of Schofield and the Town of Weston. We serve approximately 18,000 residents along with significant industrial, manufacturing and commercial businesses. The department is located within the Village of Weston, which is also home to the DC Everest School System, which is one of the highest rated school districts in Wisconsin.

Centrally located near the cross roads of I-39/Highway 51 and Highway 29, the Weston/Schofield Wisconsin area is surrounded by natural beauty and the area enjoys the fortunate combination of city amenities and the look and feel of the Northwoods. For the outdoor enthusiast, the area offers world class outdoor amenities such as the largest ski hill in Wisconsin at Rib Mountain, a Whitewater Kayak Course, camping, fishing, hunting, hiking trails, snowmobile trails, parks, pools and just about every sport you or your family may enjoy.

We are adding two officers to the department in 2017, which will bring our staffing level to 27 sworn officers and four clerical support staff. Everest Metro is the third largest police agency in Marathon County behind only the Marathon County Sheriff's Department and the Wausau Police Department. Everest Metro has one of the highest salary ranges for patrol officers in Northern Wisconsin, which is \$63,650 - \$66,221 based on the 2017-2019 bargaining agreement. New hires start at 80% of top patrol wages with only a two year step to top pay. Existing sworn officers with at least three years of full time law enforcement experience may be eligible to start at 90% and obtain top pay after only one year.

Everest Metro is a very progressive department with opportunities for patrol officers to specialize in a number of different categories to include School Resource Officers (SRO's), a Community Service officer (CSO), SWAT team members, Accident Investigators, Evidence Technicians, Field Training Officers, K-9 Officers, Arson Investigators, Drug Recognition Expert (DRE), Firearms Instructors, DAAT instructors, EVOC Instructors, Vehicle Contacts Instructors, Honor Guard, and County Wide Drug Unit (SIU).



School Resource Officers – We have two full time School Resource officers assigned to the DC Everest Schools

Det. Sergeant Dan Goff (below) and Officer Chris Buenning (right) are two of our three officers assigned to the County-Wide SWAT Team







Community Service Officer





Special Investigations Unit (SIU)



## Training







Arson Investigations

Evidence Collection









When you are not working, you can take advantage of all the amenities and activities available to you in beautiful North Central Wisconsin.



If you are interested in joining our professional dynamic team, please review the attached job posting and check out our recruitment video on our website at:

#### http://www.everestmetropolice.org/

You will also find links on our website that will provide more information on our community, including video tours of the Village of Weston.

# Chief Wally Sparks Everest Metro Police Department