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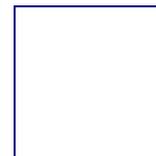
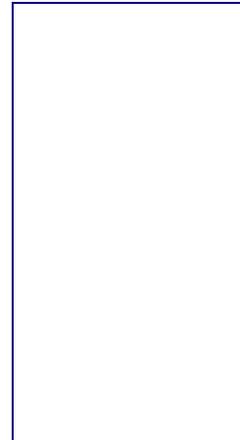
"The City of Geneva Police Department is committed to a policy of equal employment opportunity without regard to race, color, sex, age, religion, national origin, military status, sexual orientation, marital status, disability, or any other status protected by law. Our policy reflects our belief that it is both a moral responsibility and good management practice that our Department fairly reflect the rich diversity of the populations we serve. Come join our ranks."

We are one great City!

*Chief J. Trickler signing
Community Compact, 2011*



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STATEMENT FROM THE CHIEF

The Geneva Police Department serves a population of approximately 14,000 people exclusive of 2000+ college students attending Hobart and William Smith Colleges. The Department is comprised of 37 sworn officers, along with 5 full time and 6 part time civilian positions.

The Geneva Police Department is a New York State Accredited Agency. Along with our aggressive road patrol we have special units to enhance our effectiveness:

- Crime Prevention Unit
- Bicycle Patrol
- Foot Patrol
- Drug Abuse Education
- School Resource Officers
- Drug Enforcement Unit
- Detective Unit
- Field Training Officers
- Youth Division
- Evidence Technician Unit

Officers and employees of the Department take pride in their duties and the protection and services they provide. Our officers are educated, well trained and eager to assist citizens.



Jeffrey E. Trickler
Chief of Police



CANDIDATE INFORMATION MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS:

Candidates must be a high school graduate or possession of a high school equivalency diploma issued by an Education Department of any of the United States; or possession of a comparable diploma issued by any Commonwealth, Territory or Possession of the United States or by the Canal Zone.

Candidates must be legal residents of *Ontario, Livingston, Monroe, Seneca, Steuben, Wayne, or Yates County* for at least one month immediately preceding the examination date.



Candidates must be U.S. citizens at the time of appointment and possess a New York State driver's license at time of appointment.

Candidates who have been convicted of a felony will be barred from appointment and candidates convicted of a misdemeanor may be barred from appointment.



Medical /Physical Fitness Standards:

Candidates must meet the physical fitness and medical standards prescribed by the Municipal Police Training Council. Candidates must pass the written test in order to be scheduled for the qualifying physical fitness test. The four elements measured in the qualify-

ing physical fitness test are muscular endurance, flexibility, absolute strength and cardiovascular capacity.

Candidates who are given a conditional offer of employment will be scheduled to take the required medical examination. Copies of the physical fitness and medical standards are available upon request from the City Personnel Office or @ www.geneva.ny.us.

OUR HISTORY

The earliest mention of law enforcement services in what is now the City of Geneva was on Tuesday, April 27, 1789. On that date, the Town of Seneca was established and included the Geneva territory. Geneva had become one of the most populated areas and with this growth came a rise in crime.

Due to the increase in crime, the Trustees of Geneva passed an ordinance that established the "Night Watch." An Act of March 23, 1857, provided for the establishment of a Chief of Police. Title IV, Section 1 specified the duties and powers of the President of the Trustees.

The President of the Trustees in 1857 was Charles J. Folger, and thus, he was the first person to have responsibility as a chief of police and the rich tradition of Geneva Police was born.



End of Watch: Tuesday, February 19,
1924 Officer Aeneas McDonald

M I S S I O N

The Geneva Police Department will deliver effective and responsive law enforcement services to all persons within the City of Geneva. As an integral part of the Geneva community, we are committed to communicating with those that we serve, and strive to maintain the trust and confidence of our citizens while working to improve the quality of life for the entire community.

