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City of Seldovia Police Chief Position Opening

Seldovia, incorporated in 1945, has a population of 226 people inside city limits and is a first-class city in which it has specific governmental powers per Alaska Statute Title 29. Located on the south side of Kachemak Bay in the Kenai Peninsula Borough; Seldovia is a remote community that is accessed only by plane or boat. The City of Seldovia seeks a strong, committed Police Chief who has excellent communication skills, will lead with transparency, and demonstrate the highest degree of integrity while encouraging compassion and understanding.

The ideal candidate for the Chief position will possess a solid educational background and experience with small town policing, ability to lead teams, build and maintain relationships within the community and other law enforcement and governmental agencies. Additionally, candidates should have knowledge and/or experience in areas such as: preventative and proactive measures in law enforcement, specifically in areas of domestic violence and abuse, proficiency in de-escalation techniques, substance awareness and abuse programs, and other community outreach and relationship building.

This position has the potential to be a rotational position depending on the applicant's circumstances. Please inquire within for more details regarding the schedule and structure of operations.

JOB REQUIREMENTS:

- Must have a high school diploma, previous police academy experience and relevant police experience.
- Must meet minimum standards of Alaska Police Standards Council for Police Officers;
- Must be at least 21 years old;
- Must have no felony or serious misdemeanor convictions;
- Must be a U. S. citizen or resident alien;
- Must be able to observe situations analytically and objectively and to record them clearly and completely;
- Must be able to react quickly and calmly in emergencies;
- Must be able to express oneself clearly and concisely, orally and in writing;
- Must be able to handle situations firmly, courteously, tactfully and impartially;
- Must be proficient in de-escalation techniques;
- Must be able to develop skill in the use and care of firearms;
- Must have good physical strength and agility;
- Must be available for three weeks out of the month, with one week off per contracted schedule
- Applicant must meet Alaska Police Standards Council for certification as an Alaskan Peace Officer;
- The position is a full-time exempt position
- Starting Salary: \$75K, health insurance and desirable retirement contribution
- Please submit cover letter, resume, references and APSC Form F-3 to:

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