The Stow Police Department is hiring Lateral Police Officers. Applications will be accepted March 8<sup>th</sup> to April 5<sup>th</sup>, 2024. Officers who have worked as a full-time or part-time OPOTA certified officer within the last 12-months are eligible and are encouraged to apply. Our goal at this time is to hire, at minimum, two additional officers to replace vacancies.

The City of Stow, which is located in Northeast Ohio, has a population of nearly 35,000 residents and a land mass of 17 square miles. Stow is a suburb of Akron and is the third largest city in Summit County.

The City of Stow is a dynamic, family friendly, middle class, bedroom community which is conveniently situated between Akron and Cleveland. In addition to being a convenient place to live, Stow benefits from having a diverse tax base with a good balance between residential, commercial business zones, and industrial development. Stow is also home to a large network of parks and greenspace, 5 large chain hotels, a hospital, the municipal court for the region, an Ohio National Guard Armory, Ohio SR-8 which is a major highway thoroughfare, and a regional airport which is part of Kent State University's Stow campus.

Stow PD is a great place to work. The city administration and the community are both supportive of the police department. We have a robust training program, good equipment, and an excellent culture focused on integrity, commitment, and service. We have 44 sworn Police Officers and numerous civilian personnel that support us and help ensure our success. There are many opportunities for career growth and development within the department as well as numerous specialty assignments available.

There is no fee to apply. More information about the job can be found on the employment page of our website <a href="https://www.stowohio.org/jobs">www.stowohio.org/jobs</a> Applications can be completed at <a href="https://www.policeapp.com">www.policeapp.com</a>