



# STURGIS DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY

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## *Sturgis Public Safety - Police Cadet Program*

### ***Ready to Serve? Start Here.***

If you're serious about a future in law enforcement and want a head start into a rewarding and purpose-driven career, the Sturgis Department of Public Safety Police Cadet Program is the opportunity you've been waiting for.

As a Police Cadet, you won't just sit behind a desk — you'll be in the field, learning firsthand what it takes to protect and serve. This paid apprenticeship is designed for driven, responsible, and community-minded individuals, 18 years or older, who are looking to become future officers.

This is more than just a job — it's your first step toward the badge.

### ***What You'll Do:***

- Ride along with patrol officers and observe real-time police work
- Get exclusive behind the scenes exposure to police procedures, ethics and teamwork
- Assist with investigations, crime prevention, and public safety programs
- Take part in fingerprinting, administrative duties and community events
- Serve subpoenas, enforce parking and municipal codes, and carry out various administrative duties
- Attend training sessions that build your law enforcement knowledge and confidence

### ***You're a Strong Fit If You:***

- Are at least 18 years of age
- Have a high school diploma or equivalent
- Are a U.S. citizen or permanent resident
- Hold a valid driver's license with a clean driving record
- Have no felony convictions or disqualifying criminal history
- Are passionate about helping others and building a safer community

### ***Why Choose Sturgis PD:***

- Work side-by-side with veteran officers who are invested in your success
- Build your resume with real-world law enforcement experience
- Gain priority consideration for future openings in the department
- Be part of a professional, tight-knit team that value honor, integrity and service
- Make a difference in your community — starting now

***Ready to make your move?*** Visit our careers page and apply today:

[www.sturgispublicsafety.org/employment](http://www.sturgispublicsafety.org/employment) Or submit directly to [sburkhead@sturgismi.gov](mailto:sburkhead@sturgismi.gov)

***The Sturgis Police Department is proud to be an Equal Opportunity Employer.***

We're looking for the next generation of leaders. Are you ready?