

## EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY

**POLICE OFFICER Full time.** Officers may apply to New Bethlehem Civil Service Commission to take competitive physical agility & written exams leading to eligibility for appointment as full-time patrol officer for New Bethlehem Borough Police Dept., serving several boroughs in Clarion Co., PA, 1 hour NE from Pittsburgh on 28/66. Competitive wages, health insurance, pension, vacation, other benefits. Active rural area, central to 3 county seats & hospitals, good schools, affordable housing, trails & outdoor recreation.

**Minimum Requirements:** Candidates, at time of application, must have:

- 1) diploma from accredited high school or GED;
- 2) 1000 hours of municipal police experience preferred but not required;
- 3) Act 120 Certification under Municipal Police Officers Education and Training Act;
- 4) U.S. Citizenship;
- 5) valid PA driver's license;
- 6) physically & mentally fit to perform full duties of police officer;
- 7) at least twenty-one years old.

Successful applicants must meet all requirements of Borough's Civil Service Rules including background & credit investigation, and if selected, be required to successfully pass a physical & psychological examination. Applications are available at [www.newbethlehemboro.com](http://www.newbethlehemboro.com). Applicants are encouraged to call the Chief of the NBPD at 814-275-1180 for more information about the position.

Cover letter, application resume and check for the \$30 testing packet fee and must be received before **5 PM, on October 22th, 2021**, at New Bethlehem Borough Police Department, 220 Broad St., New Bethlehem, PA 16242.

New Bethlehem Borough is an Equal Opportunity Employer.

Applications for part time officers meeting same minimum requirements are also being accepted.

**Required Physical Agility Tests requirements follow and will be held on 1<sup>st</sup> day, November, 2021 at 1pm** at Tri-Co Health and Fitness at 301 Wood Street, New Bethlehem, PA 16242 for those officers who meet qualifications and have received written authorization. **Written tests for those who pass the physical tests will be held on Monday, November 8<sup>th</sup>, 2021, at 10 AM** at the Redbank Valley Public Library.



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### Physical Agility Tests for Police Officer

THE FOLLOWING PHYSICAL EXERCISES ARE REQUIRED OF ALL APPLICANTS FOR THE POSITION OF FULL TIME POLICE OFFICER. THOSE PERSONS WHO FAIL TO SUCCESSFULLY COMPLETE ANY ONE OF THE EXERCISES WILL BE ELIMINATED FROM THE SELECTION PROCESS. REQUIREMENTS FOR ALL TESTS MAY BE MODIFIED BASED ON MPOETC, OLD STANDARD AND MODIFIED COOPER AGE AND GENDER STANDARDS\*. ALL FOUR EVENTS MUST BE COMPLETED IN THE FOLLOWING ORDER WITHIN A TWO-HOUR TIME LIMIT.

Event	Age 21 to 29		Age 30 to 39		Age 40 to 49		Age 50 to 59	
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<b>1. 300-METER RUN</b>	<b>Male</b>	<b>Female</b>	<b>Male</b>	<b>Female</b>	<b>Male</b>	<b>Female</b>	<b>Male</b>	<b>Female</b>
	62.1	75.0	63.0	82.0	77.0	106.7	87.0	106.7

Time measured in seconds. Followed by at least five (5) minutes to recover.

<b>2. BENCHPRESS</b>	<b>Male</b>	<b>Female</b>	<b>Male</b>	<b>Female</b>	<b>Male</b>	<b>Female</b>	<b>Male</b>	<b>Female</b>
	0.93	0.56	0.83	0.51	0.76	0.47	0.68	0.42

Six attempts allowed to complete one repetition = Body Weight x Ratio.

Followed by at least five (5) minutes to recover.

<b>3. SIT-UPS</b>	<b>Male</b>	<b>Female</b>	<b>Male</b>	<b>Female</b>	<b>Male</b>	<b>Female</b>	<b>Male</b>	<b>Female</b>
	35	30	32	22	27	17	21	12

Total number of repetitions performed in one minute.

Followed by at least five (5) minutes to recover.

#### 4. 30 SECOND TRIGGER PULL

Within a 30-second time limit per hand, an applicant is required to repeatedly pull fifteen (15) times per hand the trigger of a double action nonfunctional revolver with arms horizontally extended. Graded Pass/Fail.

Tests as adopted May 1, 2019