

Police Chief - Brooklyn Center, Minnesota

Brooklyn Center, MN (est. pop. 33k) is a first-ring suburb in the Minneapolis-Saint Paul Metropolitan Area. As the most diverse community in Minnesota, Brooklyn Center offers a vibrant quality of life with a wide variety of housing choices, an extensive park system, and a thriving business environment.

Brooklyn Center is seeking a personable, transformational Police Chief to lead a Department comprised of five divisions: Administration, Community Services, Investigation, Patrol, and Support Services. The Brooklyn Center Police Department believes strongly in the importance of community-based policing, recognizing its pivotal role in fostering positive relationships with residents. Its next Police Chief will have the opportunity to cultivate, restore, and uphold these valuable community connections.

This position requires a bachelor's degree in police administration, criminal justice studies, law enforcement, public safety, or related field and ten (10) years of responsible, progressive experience in a police department, with a minimum of five (5) years in a command-level position such as lieutenant, captain, deputy chief, chief etc. Preferred training and experience include completion of the FBI Academy or similar academy training, a master's degree in criminal justice or public administration, and experience with collective bargaining agreements.

The preferred candidate will be eligible for licensure from the MN Police Officer Standard Training Board (POST), have experience with community policing, or police work that emphasizes connecting with the community, and a proven track record of building strong relationships with a wide variety of people and traditionally underserved communities.

The salary range for this position will be \$127,442 to \$156,219 depending on candidate education and experience. The city offers a full range of employee benefits, including participation in the Minnesota Public Employees Retirement Association (PERA).

Qualified candidates are asked to submit a cover letter and resume by visiting our website at:

<https://www.governmentjobs.com/careers/bakertilly/jobs/4395190/police-chief-brooklyn-center-minnesota>

This position is open until filled; however, interested applicants are strongly encouraged to apply no later than Thursday, March 21, 2024. For more information, please contact Patty Heminover at patty.heminover@bakertilly.com or by calling 651.223.3058.