



## QUALIFICATIONS AND TESTING PROCESS

**All Applicants** Must possess a valid California DL and have a satisfactory driving record. Must be willing to work evenings, nights, days, weekends and holidays, maintain firearms qualification, and meet physical, psychological and background standards.

**Patrol Deputy Recruits:** Must be eligible to obtain a Basic POST certificate after one year of employment.

**Patrol Deputy Lateral applicants:** In addition, must have one year of experience at a level equivalent to the County's Deputy Sheriff Recruit. Must possess a Basic POST certificate at time of application.

**Jail Deputy Recruits:** Must be eligible to obtain State Board of Corrections Jail Operations certification within one year of employment; must satisfactorily complete an introductory course of training in law enforcement per State Penal Code Section 832.

**Jail Deputy Sheriff applicants:** In addition, must possess State Board of Corrections and State Penal Code training certificates at the time of application.

### **Testing Process**

⇒ *Written (for recruit level applicants only)*

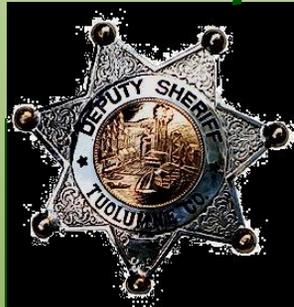
⇒ *Oral Interview*

⇒ *Background Examination*

⇒ *Medical / Psychological Evaluation*

⇒ **No Polygraph**

## BECOME *One of the Best!*



### Tuolumne County Sheriff's Office

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Sonora, Ca. 95370

Apply At:

[www.tuolumnecounty.ca.gov](http://www.tuolumnecounty.ca.gov)

**Recruiters**  
**209.533.5855**  
**209.533.5838**



# BECOME *One of the Best!*

...A Deputy With the  
Tuolumne County  
Sheriff's Office

*"Obedience of the law is demanded; not  
asked as a favor."*

*Theodore Roosevelt*

*Third Annual Message to Congress*

*December 7, 1903*



Sheriff James W. Mele

# Spectacular Scenic Historic



## Tuolumne County



# Specialty Assignments

Land of blue skies, green trees and golden opportunities captures the essence of the quality of life in beautiful and historic Tuolumne County. Rolling hills, towering green pines, graceful oaks, spectacular lakes and rivers and the snow covered Sierra peaks provide the backdrop for a lifestyle that is hard to beat.

The area enjoys a mild, four season climate. If you enjoy the snow, we have plenty in the high country. Otherwise, at the lower elevations our winters are relatively mild and well above the fog of the San Joaquin Valley.

This rural setting lies less than 45 minutes from local ski resorts, 120 miles from San Francisco, a few hours south of Lake Tahoe and an hour away from spectacular Yosemite National Park.

*\*SWAT*

*\*General Invest.*

*\* Patrol Division*

*\* Snowmobile*

*\* Boat Patrol*

*\*Fire Invest. Unit*

*\* Civil Process*

*Patrol*

*\* Jail Division*

*\*Bailiff*

*\* Coroner Invest.*

*\* Child Abuse Inv.*

*\*Narcotics Inv.*

*\*Court Security*

*\*Search & Rescue*

*\* Inmate Transport*



# Why We Work Here

“I love the people”

“The variety of assignments”

“Can work patrol without working first in the jail”

“The vehicle take home program is a huge help”

“True, family oriented environment”

“I never get micromanaged”

“We have fun while we work”

“Promotions are based on merit, not who you know”

“Focus on professionalism”

“Busy, but not *too* busy”

“From the schools to the slopes, it’s a great place to raise the kids”

# Live and Work Where Others Play

Tuolumne County is home to endless year round recreational opportunities. During winter you can ski or snowboard at Dodge Ridge or ice skate in Long Barn. You’ll never be bored in the summertime! Our county is home to boating and fishing on Lake Don Pedro, New Melones Reservoir, Lake Tulloch, Cherry Lake, Pincrest Lake and scores of smaller lakes that can be reached by hiking or during a pack trip into the Emigrant Wilderness. Go whitewater rafting on our world famous Class 1-5 rapids or take a lazy float trip into neighboring Knight’s Ferry. Hunting and fishing prospects abound amongst our spectacular scenery.

Camping, hiking, biking and off road vehicle opportunities are endless. We are also the proud home of Columbia State Historic Park, the best preserved Gold Rush town in the Mother Lode region and several locations where you can see year round live theatre at its best.

