The Butler County Sheriff's Office is currently accepting applications for Public Safety Telecommunicator I. The Butler County Sheriff's Office Regional Emergency Communications Center is a 24/7 operation. The primary responsibility of the Public Safety Telecommunicator I is call taking and fire/EMS dispatching. This employee answers 9-1-1 telephone requests for emergency services including law enforcement, medical and fire and in addition answers calls requesting general information and non-emergency requests for service. This employee will receive training and certification as an Emergency Medical Dispatcher (EMD).

Entry-Level: Prior service in a public safety dispatch center is preferred. Public Safety Telecommunicator I current starting wage is \$39,500 annually with contractual step increases up to \$49,457 annually.

Lateral Entry: Lateral entry candidates should have one or more years of full-time experience in a public safety dispatch center OR one or more years of previous full-time law enforcement, fire service, criminal justice agency, call center operation, paramilitary or military assignment. APCO certification highly preferred. The starting wage for lateral entry hires is based on the level of experience, including the type, duration, training and certifications.

(After successful completion of training, the Public Safety Telecommunicator I may, with additional training, be promoted to the position of Public Safety Telecommunicator II. Responsibilities of the Public Safety Telecommunicator II include all duties of Public Safety Telecommunicator I with the addition of Law Enforcement radio dispatching. Public Safety Telecommunicator II current starting wage is \$42,723 annually with contractual step increases up to \$56,800 annually.)

For additional information and to apply for this position follow the application instructions on our website:

http://www.butlersheriff.org/general-info/employment/

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