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Happy New Year!

Just a quick message to start 2023 off with a bang! (pun intended...!)

As you know, we're very involved with building the Secure Automated Firearms E-Check (SAFE) system that will be used to process the firearm background checks you all submit. But, the system can only do so much and requires real people to make determinations on background checks when the system can't.

Which brings us to this month's topic...we're hiring!

Over the course of the next 9 months, we need to hire 54 employees to perform the work of the unit. This includes 6 supervisors, 6 leads, and 42 examiners.

All of our positions, as they are posted for hiring, may be found here:

[https://www.governmentjobs.com/careers/washington?department\[0\]=Washington%20State%20Patrol&sort=PostingDate%7CDescending](https://www.governmentjobs.com/careers/washington?department[0]=Washington%20State%20Patrol&sort=PostingDate%7CDescending)

The four job titles available are:

Management Analyst 4 – these are the unit supervisors

Management Analyst 3 – these are the unit leads

Correctional Records Technician Lead – these are the examiners who have some experience with background checks and work with denial appeals

Correctional Records Technician – these are the entry level positions that will process the bulk of the background checks

The only caveat I will add is, that although these positions are hybrid teleworking (2 days of telework, 3 days in the office), they do require the employee to live within 75 miles of our office here in Olympia.

Also, attached is the brochure we created for the Washington State Fair this year, which provide a few more details on the positions and the hiring process.

So...if you know of anyone looking for a state job, with the BEST state law enforcement agency in Washington, please let them know about these positions!

Thank you,

Kevin

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