**JOB OPENING:**

**DEPUTY I  
Full-Time (84 hours) w/Benefits**

The Town of Mesilla is accepting application for a deputy I (police officer). Duties include patrolling streets, roads and public spaces; general duty police work; issues tickets to traffic violators; conducts crash investigation; responds to reporting crime scenes; writes and files reports of daily activity following each shift; works with other local, state and federal agencies as needed; appears in court as needed; provides security for all Town of Mesilla buildings. Starting annual salary of $33,852.

Minimum qualifications include high school diploma or GED; college degree in Criminal Justice (preferred but not required); bilingual (preferred, but not required) graduate of Police academy; a valid Driver’s License with verified record of good driving history; no felony convictions misdemeanors involving domestic violence; NMDPS certification; radar certification; ir-8000 breathalyzer operator; standardized field sobriety testing; three (3) years as a certified police officer. Must pass extensive background check.

The Town of Mesilla offers a great benefits package including life, dental, health and vision insurance, retirement program as well as paid holidays.

Please submit cover letter and resume (with at least a ten-year job history) to: Marshal Salas, P.O. Box 10, Mesilla, NM 88046 or enriques@mesillanm.gov. For more information and job description visit mesillanm.gov. Applications will be accepted until filled. Equal Opportunity Employer.

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