

INTERIM POLICE CHIEF

The City of Berlin, Wisconsin, located on the Fox River in Green Lake County, is 20 minutes west of Oshkosh and has 5,500 residents. This quaint rural community has established businesses, a local hospital, and thriving school system. Berlin is seeking an Interim Police Chief due to a retirement. The Berlin Police Department employs twelve (12) full-time officers, including the Chief. The Interim Chief of Police is appointed by the Police and Fire Commission and shall have command of the police force of the City, under the direction of the Police & Fire Commission.

The Interim Chief of Police is responsible for the executive leadership of the law enforcement functions of the City of Berlin Police Department consistent with WI State Statutes. As a community leader, the Interim Chief shall mentor and empower the members to further enhance the police/community relationship and demonstrate exceptional personal, verbal and written communication skills.

The Interim Chief is responsible for the development and administration of the departmental annual operating budget of \$1.3 million. The successful candidate must be qualified under Wisconsin Law Enforcement Standards Board and be an effective communicator, facilitator and administrator with problem solving and analytical skills. Qualified candidates will have a minimum of ten (10) years of progressively responsible law enforcement experience, of which five (5) years are in police management positions. Candidate must possess a valid driver's license. The qualified candidate must have a strong working knowledge of police leadership and management methods. The interim term anticipated for this position is between one and two years. The Interim Chief of Police position is being offered for an all-inclusive wage and benefit package ranging from \$85,000 to \$110,000/year. The Interim Chief of Police may apply and be considered for Chief of Police position when posted.

See full position description located at www.cityofberlin.net

Interested applicants should submit resume by September 6 to: Jodie Olson, 108 N. Capron Street, PO Box 272, Berlin, WI 54923 or e-mail to jolson@cityofberlin.net.