

# BOROUGH OF DUNMORE



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## **Chief of Police – Borough of Dunmore, Lackawanna County, Pennsylvania**

The Borough of Dunmore, located in Lackawanna, County, Pennsylvania, is conducting a search for the position of Chief of Police. The Borough encompasses approximately 8.7 square miles, population approx. 14,000.

The Dunmore Police Department is comprised of approximately 30 full-time and part-time officers, with an annual operating budget of approximately \$2.6M. The Chief plans, leads and directs the functions of the Police Department, and is a member of the Borough Management team Chief; the Chief reports directly to the Mayor.

Annual Salary: \$100,000 - \$120,000, depending on the individual's qualifications and experience. Includes a competitive benefits package.

Required Knowledge, Skills and Abilities: Significant background in police/law enforcement agency management in the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, with extensive knowledge and experience in the areas of policy development and leadership, employee management, internal affairs, budgeting process, law enforcement technology and equipment, and grant preparation and administration.

Minimum Requirements: High school diploma or equivalent, additional college level coursework in social science, public administration, criminal justice or a related subject/field; at least ten (10) years of police experience, inclusive of supervisory experience; Pennsylvania Act 120 (53 Pa. C.S.A. § 2161) certification or PA State Police certification and eligible for Act 120 certification. A comprehensive medical examination, psychological examination and background investigation will be required prior to appointment.

Preferred Education: Bachelor's Degree in Criminal Justice Administration or related field; FBI National Academy or an accredited School of Police Staff and Command.

Timing: The Borough anticipates completing its selection process by September 2026, with the successful candidate to commence employment in October 2026 provided he/she has completed all pre-hire conditions and requirements.

Application Process: Interested applicants should forward their resumes and cover letters, including their work history, education, relevant experience, and accomplishments. Job description can be found at [www.dunmorepa.gov/careers](http://www.dunmorepa.gov/careers) Resumes and cover letters should be marked "Dunmore Borough Police Chief Search", and sent:

By email, to: [chiefsearch@Dunmorepa.gov](mailto:chiefsearch@Dunmorepa.gov); or

By USPS, to: Borough Manager, Borough of Dunmore  
400 S. Blakely Street  
Dunmore, PA 18512

***To be considered, resumes must be received at the above email or mail address, as directed above, by Friday, July 17, 2026.***

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**Posted:** 06/10/26

**Deadline:** 07/17/26