



Troutdale Police Department
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 RIDE-ALONG APPLICATION

RIDE ALONG PROCEDURE

1. The "Release and Indemnity Agreement" (see pg. 2) must be properly notarized before you submit this form for processing. Sign the form in person before a notary or this application will be rejected. A notary is available at the Troutdale Police Department, Monday through Friday, 8AM to 5PM.
2. Due to the number of requests, applicants are restricted to residents of Troutdale; those who work or go to school in Troutdale; Law Enforcement agency personnel (other jurisdictions) or Law Enforcement related agency personnel. The Chief of Police must approve all other requests.
3. Due to scheduling constraints, an applicant is permitted to ride once every 6 months with the exception of law enforcement and related agency personnel, or at the discretion of the shift Sergeant. In all events a signed, notarized release must be completed.
4. The application must be submitted at least 10 days prior to the requested ride along date and time. Be specific in the date, and time of day or night, you wish to ride with an Officer and, if there is any deadline the ride along must be completed by (**for example**: job shadow or school project).
5. Civilians are forbidden to carry weapons on a ride along. Any applicant who has a concealed weapons permit must notify the Troutdale Police Department (see below). All ride along participants will wear a protective ballistic vest; the Department will keep two current vests on hand for this purpose. Vest will be required to be worn while in the vehicle and may be removed during break periods or while in the office. If the applicant is a police Officer or reserve Officer with another law enforcement agency, the Officer assigned to the ride along has the discretion whether or not to allow the applicant to carry the weapon.
6. All ride along applicants ride at the discretion of the assigned Troutdale Police Officer. The ride may be terminated at any time without reason or notice.
7. In completing this application, you give approval for the Troutdale Police Department to conduct a thorough police records check that includes criminal and driving records. Information from this check may disqualify an applicant.
8. Applicants must be at least 16 years of age. Applicants between the ages of 16 and 18 will need the signed, notarized authorization from their parent/guardian.

PLEASE PRINT ALL INFORMATION:

Today's Date: _____

Last name: _____ First name: _____ Middle initial: _____

Street address: _____ City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____

Home ph. #: _____ Work or Cell #: _____ Date of Birth: _____

Concealed weapons permit? Yes No Driver's license # and State: _____

Purpose of ride along: _____

Available for ride along: 1st choice Day and time _____
 2nd choice day and time _____

RIDE ALONG RELEASE AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT

In consideration of being permitted to ride in a vehicle owned and operated by the City of Troutdale, for the express purpose of observing operations and facilities of the Troutdale Police Department, the undersigned agrees to release and hold harmless the City of Troutdale, its agents, employees and elected officials from and against all claims, costs or damage which arise out of or in any manner result from, participation in the Ride Along Program.

I further agree to indemnify, defend and hold harmless, the City of Troutdale, its agents and employees, any and all sums of money, damages, attorney's fees and other fees, costs and expenses that may hereafter be required resulting from any injury or damage which I may cause while participating in the Troutdale Police Department Ride Along Program.

I have carefully read the foregoing **RELEASE AND INDEMNITY AGREEMENT** and understand the contents thereof. I understand there may be risks associated with the ride along program that may include (but are not limited to) pursuits, confrontations, stops or arrests of criminal suspects and I am willing to accept these risks.

SIGNATURE OF PARTICIPANT AND PARENT (applicable if between 16 and 18 years of age)
MUST BE NOTARIZED BELOW:

Signature of Participant: _____ Date: _____

PARENTAL ENDORSEMENT

I have read and understand the above Release and Indemnity Agreement and agree to its provisions as they apply to my Son / Daughter _____. I further agree to assume full responsibility for my son/daughter, as it would pertain to the provisions set forth above.

PARENT SIGNATURE: _____ **DATE:** _____

(NOTARY SEAL/STAMP)

SUBSCRIBED AND SWORN to me this ____ day

of _____ 20 _____.

NOTARY PUBLIC FOR THE STATE OF OREGON

My Commission Expires: _____ **Notary Signature** _____

<p>OFFICE USE: Records Check Completed by: _____ Date: _____ <u>Sergeant & Officer Fill out Below and return to Records when Complete:</u> Ride-along Approved: <input type="checkbox"/> Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No If no, Reason: _____ Sergeant Signature: _____ Assigned to Officer (name): _____ On: _____ Host Officer comments, if any: _____</p>
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