

# Crossing Guard Needed!

The City of Watervliet Police Department has an immediate opening for a permanent crossing guard.

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**Location:** 16<sup>th</sup> Street at 6<sup>th</sup> Avenue, City of Watervliet  
**Dates/Hours:** School days, four shifts each day (7:30am to 8:00am 8:30 to 9:00am, 1:30pm to 2pm and 2:30pm to 3pm)  
**Pay Rate:** \$12/hour (*part-time position; no health insurance or other benefits are provided from the City of Watervliet*)

**Requirements:**

- Must submit to a character/background investigation;
- Drug screening test;
- Ability to stand for prolonged periods of time (*30 minute shifts, 4x daily*);
- Ability to speak & understand English;
- Must be able to be an active thinker and have strong decision making skills;
- Must have a general familiarity with road hazards, signs, and NYS Vehicle & Traffic laws;
- Must have access to working cell phone; and
- All prospective candidates must undergo an interview prior to selection.

**Duties & Responsibilities:**

- Responsible for the control of pedestrian and vehicular traffic control at specified locations to create “gaps” by which children may cross traffic lanes safely. Crossing Guards may stop traffic as necessary. In addition, they are responsible for the following:
  1. Knowledge of methods and telephone numbers to acquire emergency assistance, when needed;
  2. Knowledge of traffic regulations as they pertain to vehicular and pedestrian traffic in relation to school crossings;
  3. Utilizing traffic control signals as specified by New York State Vehicle and Traffic Law; and
  4. Assisting the Police Department with traffic control at special events, as directed by the Office of the Chief or his/her designee

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**Paid training and necessary equipment is provided to new Crossing Guards.**

If interested, please submit a resume via email to [OfficeoftheChief@Watervliet.com](mailto:OfficeoftheChief@Watervliet.com) or drop one off at the police station in a sealed envelope labeled: “*Crossing Guard position*”.

**Resumes will be accepted until 9/16/2020.**