

**Sangamon County Sheriff Merit Commission**  
**Offering Testing for Sangamon County Deputy/Court Security**  
*Application Deadline extended to May 25th, 2020*

Springfield, IL... The Sangamon County Sheriff Merit Commission is accepting applications for Sangamon County Deputy/Court Security Officer. Anyone who is interested can pick up an application between 8:00 a.m. and 4:30 p.m. Monday through Friday at the Sangamon County Sheriff's office, #1 Sheriff's Plaza in Springfield or an application can be printed and filled out from the Sangamon County Sheriff Office website: <http://sangamoncounty-sheriff.com> **(Click on Careers link then Sheriff's Office Employment Application)**. Applications will be accepted in person no later than 4:00 p.m. May 25, 2020, (by mail must be post-marked May 25, 2020). Those candidates that meet the minimum requirements will be notified of the physical standards test being offered **TBD**.

**Sangamon County Deputy/Court Security Officer Requirements**

Eligibility requirements to be appointed a Sangamon County Deputy/Court Security Officer are listed below. To sign up for the examination complete the application and return to the Sangamon County Sheriff's office, #1 Sheriff's Plaza, Springfield, Illinois 62701 **by 4:00 p.m. on May 25, 2020.**

**Appointment Requirements:**

1. **Have acquired a high school diploma or equivalent certificate.**
2. Be no younger than 21 years of age at the time of appointment.
3. Must possess a valid Illinois Driver's License.
4. Must possess a valid FOID (Firearm Owner's Identification) card.
5. Must be a U.S. Citizen.
6. Must pass a written examination as prescribed by the Merit Commission.
7. Must pass a physical standards test.
8. Must pass a thorough background investigation.
9. Must pass drug testing.
10. Must reside within Sangamon County within 6 months of employment.