



**CITY OF BRIDGEPORT, CONNECTICUT  
CIVIL SERVICE COMMISSION**

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**We have heart.  
Police + Community.**

**Bridgeport Police Department  
Police Officer  
Examination #2385**

**IMPORTANT INFORMATION**

Bridgeport residents  
who receive public assistance, or  
whose income is below 185% of  
the 2022 federal poverty level guidelines  
can apply for a fee waiver for the application filing fee

A filing fee can be waived if you are a resident of the City of Bridgeport, **and**

- The applicant is receiving Public Assistance from the State of Connecticut, or
- The applicant's income falls below the 2022 federal poverty level

Household Size	Annual Income	Income Limit (185%)
1	\$13,590	\$25,142
2	\$18,310	\$33,874
3	\$23,030	\$42,605
4	\$27,750	\$51,337
5	\$32,470	\$60,070
6	\$37,190	\$68,802
7	\$41,910	\$77,534
8	\$46,630	\$86,266
Each Add'l Member Add	+\$4,720	+\$8,732

To request to have the fee waived, you must submit a letter requesting a waiver, a completed Fee Waiver application and:

- A copy of your current benefit letter from the State of Connecticut – Department of Social Services **OR**
- A copy of your W-2 Statement of Earnings for the most recent tax year **AND**
- You must also be a resident of the City of Bridgeport and provide proof of such

Acceptable proof of Bridgeport residency is one of the following:

- Your driver's license showing your current Bridgeport address
- A utility bill from UI or Southern CT Gas in your name at your Bridgeport address
- A recent (within the last month) paystub or bank statement in your name at your Bridgeport address
- A current lease or rental agreement from your landlord which shows your name, the Bridgeport address and the date of the agreement

Indicate your Social Security Number and this Exam Number (#2375) on the front of the benefit letter copy, or the photocopy of your W-2 Statement of Earnings.

You must request this waiver in writing. Write a letter to:

Mr. Eric Amado  
Personnel Director  
Civil Service Commission  
45 Lyon Terrace, Room 106  
Bridgeport, CT 06604

Email scanned copies of your letter and the required documents to [COB.Exams@bridgeportct.gov](mailto:COB.Exams@bridgeportct.gov), or place them in the drop box outside the Office of the Civil Service Commission at the above address.

**If you are applying for a fee waiver, please note the following:**

- 1. Our application deadline to take the written exam is October 30, 2022. The last day to apply for a fee waiver is October 21, 2022.**
- 2. You should NOT submit your online application at [PoliceApp.com](https://www.policeapp.com) or your CHIP test registration at [CertifyFit.com](https://www.certifyfit.com) until you receive your fee waiver approval. We cannot reimburse applicants who apply and pay, then receive a waiver.**
- 3. Don't delay, apply today! There are deadlines for all of these requirements, and we need time to process applications.**
- 4. If you still have questions, give the Civil Service office a call at (203) 337-2300.**



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## Bridgeport Police Department #2875 Entry Level Police Officer Exam Fee Waiver Application

The City of Bridgeport is committed to the enrichment of the Bridgeport Police Department and the Bridgeport community. There is a fund established to assist qualified Bridgeport residents to apply for a position with the Bridgeport Police Department, by covering the costs of the required PoliceApp.com application and CHIP test. This voucher is available on a first-come, first-served basis to approximately 100 qualified residents.

To qualify for this assistance, you must:

- Be a resident of the City of Bridgeport and provide proof of residency
- Meet financial need requirements and attach proof
- Demonstrate community service/involvement
- Apply to take the City of Bridgeport's 2022 Entry Level Police Officer examination

Please complete the form below to apply to have your #2385 Entry Level Police Officer Exam and CHIP testing fee covered.

*Fields marked with an asterisk (\*) are required.*

Name *	<input type="text"/>		
Phone Number *	<input type="text"/>		
E-mail Address *	<input type="text"/>		
Bridgeport Resident?*	<input type="radio"/> Yes	<input type="radio"/> No	Current Household Size (# of people) <input type="text"/>
Address	<input type="text"/>		
City	<input type="text"/>		
State and Zip Code	<input type="text"/>		
Best Time to Contact	<input type="text"/>		

Briefly describe how you have demonstrated commitment to community involvement \*