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The Barnstable Police Department is seeking qualified residents of the Town of Barnstable to participate in the Police Officer Examination being administered by the Commonwealth of Massachusetts Human Resources Division on April 25, 2015. The deadline for registering to take the exam is March 13, 2015.

In order to take the examination a person must:

1. Be 21 years of age on or before April 25, 2015
2. Have a high school diploma, equivalency, or have served at least three years in the armed forces of the United States and received a discharge under honorable conditions.
3. Pay the examination fee of \$100.00, or obtain a fee waiver from the Department of Human Resources.
4. Register for the examination online at [www.mass.gov/civilservice](http://www.mass.gov/civilservice)

The Barnstable Police Department hires new police officers exclusively from the residency preference list that is established by the Civil Service Examination. To qualify for the residency preference list a person must have lived within the Town of Barnstable for one full and continuous year immediately preceding the examination (April 25, 2014 through April 25, 2015).

For more detailed information regarding the examination, entrance requirements and residency rules please visit the Department of Human Resources website at: [www.mass.gov/civilservice](http://www.mass.gov/civilservice)

The Barnstable Police Department will be providing updates about the examination and links to the Human Resources Division website via our Facebook page and department website, under news and events, located at [www.barnstablepolice.com](http://www.barnstablepolice.com). A limited number of flyers containing information about the examination are also available by visiting the lobby of the Barnstable Police Department Headquarters located at 1200 Phinney's Lane.