

Exam Development Public Safety Promotional Process

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Objective

Provide insight into the exam development process for Public Safety promotionals







Planning, Administration, Selection





Planning Phase







Subject Matter Experts

- Subject Matter Experts are selected from the Department to assist in creating the exam content.
- All SMEs sign a Confidentiality Agreement prior to working on the exam.
- Planning and progress meetings are held as well as run-throughs with Human Resources, the hiring department, and SMEs.

Building the Exam

- A promotional process requires planning and forethought to be effective and defensible
- Exam elements are job related and weighted according to the importance in being able to perform the essential duties of the position





Things to Consider

- Current issues facing the Department
- Prior exam history
- Potential number of candidates
- Time constraints/scheduling
- Facility availability and cost



Administration

- Job flyer and filing period
- Study memo & Candidate Orientation
- Obtaining raters
- Scheduling
- Day of exam logistics



Selection

- Eligibility List
- Chief's oral interview
- Offer letter
- Promotional ceremony



Questions

