

Animal Control Officer I:

Lamar County Animal Control is seeking a dedicated and compassionate individual to join our Animal Services team. As an Animal Control Officer I, you will play a crucial role in ensuring the safety and well-being of both animals and residents in our community.

Key Responsibilities:

- Patrol the county to locate and pick up stray animals.
- Enforce animal laws and ordinances.
- Investigate animal-related complaints, including bites, cruelty, and nuisances.
- Capture and transport domestic, wild, and aggressive animals.
- Provide public safety services and assist law enforcement.
- Care for shelter animals, including feeding, training, and administering medications.
- Respond to public inquiries about pet ownership, laws, and adoption.

Qualifications:

- High School diploma or GED.
- Minimum of one year of experience in animal control or handling, preferred.
- Ability to handle physical demands, including lifting heavy objects and interacting with animals.
- Strong communication and public relations skills.
- Certification in Euthanasia and Controlled Substances within six months of employment.
- NACA I & II certification within the first year of employment.

Work Environment:

- Exposure to various environmental conditions, including noise, dust, and animal-related hazards.
- On-call duty required for weeknights, weekends, and holidays.

Why Join Us?

- Make a positive impact on animal welfare and public safety.
- Work in a supportive and dynamic team environment.
- Opportunities for professional growth and certification.

Lamar County is an Equal Opportunity Employer and complies with the Americans with Disabilities Act.

Apply Today!

- **Applicants must have a valid Georgia Driver's License.**
- **Final Candidates will be required to successfully pass pre-employment and/or post-offer test, as may be allowed by state and/or federal law.**
- **Resumes and applications may be turned into the Lamar County Board of Commissioners, HR/Payroll Director, 790 Veterans Parkway, Barnesville, Georgia 30204.**
- **Application is available online at lamarcountyga.com.**
- **Legal Notes: Lamar County is a Drug Free Workplace and Equal Opportunity Employer. We reserve the right to reject any and all applications.**