

Berlin Police Department

Detective

A fulltime police officer under supervision of the Chief of Police or his designee performs routine work in investigating crimes and all duties of a uniformed patrol officer.

Examples of Duties

- Assists in investigating criminal cases ranging from crimes against persons and property to crimes against peace, murder, or indecency; carries out evidence, crime scene control, interviewing of witnesses and suspects, preparation of reports for criminal prosecution.
- Assists in conducting undercover investigative activities including establishing a relationship with informants to detect illegal activities.
- Assist in conducting surveillance of known offenders and known illegal activities
- Assists Community Service Officer with juvenile and elder investigations
- Originates investigation cases as necessary, prepares records and reports; meets with the District Attorney to determine whether criminal charges will be filed.
- Represents the department on regional task forces or work groups
- Maintains the departments evidence room and evidence control system
- Performs all other duties as deemed necessary by the Chief of Police or his designee.