

Employment Data Report for 2025

Highlights

Sworn Personnel

3,787 full-time sworn officers with 312 vacant positions.

1081 officers employed full-time in Sheriffs' departments.

2111 officers employed full-time in Police departments.

595 officers employed full-time in State Agencies

3.6 full-time sworn officers per 1,000 population (based upon a population of 1,869,397).

306 part-time sworn officers with 29 vacant positions.

Civilian Personnel

1,844 full-time civilian employees.

226 part-time civilian employees.

97 vacant positions (both full-time and part-time).

Reserve Officers

10 reserve officers.

5% of the total agencies use reserve officers.

Contractual Agreements

30 departments reported they have contracts with communities, etc., to provide law enforcement coverage.

Department	Full-Time Employees				Part-Time Employees		Understaffing				Population Covered	Officers Per 1,000 Population	Number of Reserve Officers
	Sworn Officers		Civilians		Sworn Officers	Civilians	Sworn		Civilian				
	Male	Female	Male	Female			Full-Time	Part-Time	Full-Time	Part-Time			

Sheriffs' Departments

ADAMS CO SO HASTINGS	18	1	26	27	0	6	3	0	5	0	6,577	2.9	0
ANTELOPE CO SO NELIGH	5	0	2	12	7	0	1	0	1	0	4,436	1.1	1
ARTHUR CO SO ARTHUR	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	461	2.2	0
BANNER CO SO HARRISBURG	2	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	748	2.7	0
BOONE CO SO ALBION	5	0	1	7	0	0	1	0	1	0	3,557	1.4	0
BOX BUTTE CO SO ALLIANCE	4	0	0	1	2	0	3	0	0	0	2,627	1.5	0
BOYD CO SO BUTTE	1	1	0	0	2	1	2	2	0	0	1,890	1.1	0
BROWN CO SO AINSWORTH	4	0	3	4	3	1	1	0	0	0	2,920	1.4	0
BUFFALO CO SO KEARNEY	31	2	25	33	4	3	1	0	0	1	14,262	2.3	0
BUTLER CO SO DAVID CITY	7	1	13	16	1	0	0	0	0	0	7,938	1	0
CASS CO SO PLATTSMOUTH	24	6	4	13	0	1	6	1	0	0	19,800	1.5	0
CEDAR CO SO HARTINGTON	7	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	6,520	1.1	0
CHASE CO SO IMPERIAL	5	0	2	2	0	1	0	0	1	2	1,847	2.7	0
CHERRY CO SO VALENTINE	5	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	2,957	1.7	0
CHEYENNE CO SO SIDNEY	8	0	10	2	0	1	0	0	0	0	2,709	3	0
COLFAX CO SO SCHUYLER	9	2	2	7	0	0	0	0	0	0	4,364	2.5	0
CUMING CO SO WEST POINT	5	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	5,496	0.9	0
CUSTER CO SO BROKEN BOW	8	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	7,219	1.2	0
DAKOTA CO SO	16	2	0	2	2	1	5	0	0	0	6,763	2.7	0
DAWES CO SO CHADRON	5	1	3	6	1	7	1	0	1	0	3,120	1.9	0
DEUEL CO SO CHAPPELL	5	0	0	1	2	2	1	1	0	0	1,771	2.8	0
DIXON CO SO PONCA	9	1	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	5,204	1.9	0

DODGE CO SO FREMONT	18	3	0	5	0	0	4	0	0	0	9,201	2.3	0
DOUGLAS CO SO OMAHA	131	24	47	50	0	3	9	0	1	0	81,043	1.9	0
FILLMORE CO SO GENEVA	8	1	3	5	2	0	0	0	0	0	5,393	1.7	0
FRANKLIN CO SO FRANKLIN	4	2	0	5	3	0	0	0	0	0	2,937	2	0
FRONTIER CO SO STOCKVILLE	3	0	2	3	0	2	2	0	0	0	2,600	1.2	0
GAGE CO SO BEATRICE	15	1	1	1	0	1	1	0	1	0	7,765	2.1	0
GARFIELD CO SO BURWELL	3	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	795	3.8	0
GRANT CO SO HYANNIS	2	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	621	3.2	0
GREELEY CO SO GREELEY	2	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	2,325	0.9	0
HALL CO SO GRAND ISLAND	30	4	4	10	3	1	0	0	0	0	9,797	3.5	0
HAMILTON CO SO AURORA	7	3	1	12	0	0	0	0	1	0	4,747	2.1	0
HARLAN CO SO ALMA	3	0	1	4	0	0	1	0	0	0	3,360	0.9	0
HAYES CO SO HAYES CENTER	1	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	915	1.1	0
HITCHCOCK CO SO TRENTON	3	1	0	4	0	3	1	0	0	0	2,734	1.5	0
HOLT CO SO ONEILL	6	0	0	2	4	0	0	0	0	0	6,413	0.9	0
HOOVER CO SO MULLEN	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	673	3	0
HOWARD CO SO ST PAUL	7	0	1	6	1	0	0	0	0	0	4,097	1.7	0
JEFFERSON CO SO FAIRBURY	14	2	0	6	0	2	2	2	3	0	6,961	2.3	2
JOHNSON CO SO TECUMSEH	7	0	0	8	0	1	0	0	0	0	5,028	1.4	1
KEARNEY CO SO MINDEN	7	1	2	3	0	1	0	0	1	0	3,511	2.3	0
KEITH CO SO OGALLALA	4	1	6	4	3	1	6	0	1	0	3,488	1.4	0
KEYA PAHA CO SO SPRINGVIEW	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	800	2.5	0
KIMBALL CO SO KIMBALL	4	0	1	6	2	2	2	0	0	0	1,234	3.2	0
KNOX CO SO CENTER	4	0	0	6	9	3	2	0	6	0	8,255	0.5	0
LANCASTER CO SO LINCOLN	76	10	10	16	0	1	0	0	0	0	28,807	3	0
LINCOLN CO SO NORTH PLATTE	23	3	20	21	0	1	0	0	0	0	11,077	2.3	1
LOGAN CO SO STAPLETON	1	1	0	0	2	1	0	0	0	0	741	2.7	0
LOUP CO SO TAYLOR	2	0	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	665	3	0

MADISON CO SO MADISON	19	1	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	7,462	2.7	0
MC PHERSON CO SO TRYON	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	488	2	0
MERRICK CO SO CENTRAL CITY	6	2	4	3	0	1	2	0	0	0	4,840	1.7	0
MORRILL CO SO BRIDGEPORT	9	0	1	4	0	2	0	0	0	0	3,507	2.6	0
NANCE CO SO FULLERTON	6	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	3,479	1.7	0
NEMAHA CO SO AUBURN	11	0	0	0	5	1	1	0	0	0	6,909	1.6	0
NUCKOLLS CO SO NELSON	7	0	2	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	2,298	3	0
OTOE CO SO NEBRASKA CITY	13	4	8	12	0	2	0	0	2	0	8,672	2	0
PAWNEE CO SO PAWNEE CITY	4	0	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	2,582	1.5	0
PERKINS CO SO GRANT	4	0	1	4	0	0	2	0	0	0	2,868	1.4	0
PHELPS CO SO HOLDREGE	6	1	6	13	1	3	0	0	0	0	3,575	2	0
PIERCE CO SO PIERCE	5	0	1	4	0	1	0	0	0	0	4,191	1.2	0
PLATTE CO SO COLUMBUS	23	0	22	20	0	0	1	0	1	0	9,842	2.3	0
POLK CO SO OSCEOLA	7	2	0	1	0	1	0	2	0	0	5,169	1.7	0
RED WILLOW CO SO MCCOOK	5	0	8	6	1	0	1	0	0	0	3,093	1.6	0
RICHARDSON CO SO FALLS CITY	11	0	5	13	1	0	0	0	0	0	3,679	3	0
SALINE CO SO WILBER	19	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	7,147	2.8	0
SARPY CO SO PAPILLION	96	18	28	39	1	31	0	0	0	0	98,100	1.2	0
SAUNDERS CO SO WAHOO	14	3	3	12	1	0	3	0	3	0	14,339	1.2	0
SCOTTS BLUFF CO SO GERING	18	0	1	5	1	0	0	1	0	0	8,254	2.2	0
SEWARD CO SO SEWARD	18	1	2	2	2	0	0	0	0	0	7,923	2.4	0
SHERIDAN CO SO RUSHVILLE	5	0	5	8	0	0	2	0	0	0	3,688	1.4	0
SHERMAN CO SO LOUP CITY	4	1	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	0	2,970	1.7	0
SIOUX CO SO HARRISON	3	0	0	0	3	1	0	1	0	0	1,145	2.6	0
STANTON CO SO STANTON	9	0	0	1	2	1	0	0	0	0	5,867	1.5	0
THAYER CO SO HEBRON	6	2	0	5	1	1	1	0	1	0	4,954	1.6	0
THOMAS CO SO THEDFORD	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	727	1.4	0

THURSTON CO SO PENDER	6	1	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	6,310	1.1	0
VALLEY CO SO ORD	4	2	1	3	2	1	0	0	0	0	2,057	2.9	1
WASHINGTON CO SO BLAIR	30	1	11	24	6	6	0	0	0	0	12,801	2.4	0
WAYNE CO SO WAYNE	4	0	4	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	3,658	1.1	0
WEBSTER CO SO RED CLOUD	6	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	0	3,436	1.7	0
WHEELER CO SO BARTLETT	1	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	775	1.3	0
YORK CO SO YORK	12	0	4	7	0	0	2	0	1	0	5,760	2.1	0

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Cities Above 5,000 Population

ALLIANCE PD	12	1	2	4	0	0	5	0	1	0	8,051	1.6	0
BEATRICE PD	18	5	4	7	0	2	1	0	1	0	12,238	1.9	0
BELLEVUE PD	96	16	8	9	0	2	4	0	2	0	53,761	2.1	0
CHADRON PD	8	3	1	5	1	0	3	0	1	0	5,366	2	0
COLUMBUS PD	32	5	3	5	0	0	1	0	0	0	23,597	1.6	0
CRETE PD	9	2	1	1	0	1	3	0	0	0	7,009	1.6	0
FREMONT PD	32	4	1	7	1	1	4	2	1	0	26,381	1.4	0
GERING PD	17	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	8,086	2.2	0
GRAND ISLAND PD	79	10	3	15	0	8	5	0	0	0	51,547	1.7	0
HASTINGS PD	30	5	3	13	0	2	8	0	3	0	24,638	1.4	0
KEARNEY PD	56	2	5	12	1	0	4	0	0	0	34,201	1.7	0
LA VISTA PD	39	3	3	4	0	1	5	0	0	0	17,228	2.4	0
LINCOLN PD	298	53	58	87	0	11	20	0	8	0	292,600	1.2	0
MCCOOK PD	12	0	3	4	0	0	4	0	0	0	7,543	1.6	0
NEBRASKA CITY PD	13	2	0	1	3	0	0	0	0	3	7,292	2.1	0
NORFOLK PD	36	1	4	20	6	1	4	0	4	0	24,467	1.5	0
NORTH PLATTE PD	39	4	4	21	0	0	0	0	0	0	23,523	1.8	0
OMAHA PD	666	122	55	106	80	39	118	0	12	0	480,297	1.6	0
PAPILLION PD	43	5	1	4	0	1	2	0	0	0	20,512	2.3	0
PLATTSMOUTH PD	15	0	0	3	3	0	0	0	0	3	6,435	2.3	1
RALSTON PD	14	0	0	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	7,422	1.9	0
SCHUYLER PD	11	0	0	2	3	0	1	0	0	2	6,312	1.7	0
SCOTTSBLUFF PD	26	4	1	4	0	0	3	0	0	0	15,665	1.9	0
SEWARD PD	11	1	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	7,242	1.7	0
SOUTH SIOUX CITY PD	24	2	0	1	0	1	2	0	0	0	12,746	2	0
WAYNE PD	7	1	2	2	0	0	1	0	1	0	5,658	1.4	0

YORK PD	15	2	0	3	0	0	1	0	0	0	7,854	2.2	0
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Cities Under 5,000 Population

ALBION PD	3	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1,576	1.9	0
ASHLAND PD	4	1	0	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	2,665	1.9	0
ATKINSON PD	0	1	0	0	1	0	2	2	0	0	1,227	0.8	0
AURORA PD	9	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	4,554	2.2	0
BATTLE CREEK PD	1	1	0	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	1,184	1.7	0
BAYARD PD	2	1	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	1,071	2.8	0
BENNINGTON PD	5	1	0	0	7	1	0	0	0	0	1,527	3.9	0
BOYS TOWN PD	6	1	0	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	545	12.8	0
BROKEN BOW PD	8	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	3,492	2.3	0
CENTRAL CITY PD	6	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	2,867	2.1	0
CREIGHTON PD	2	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	1,079	1.9	0
DAVID CITY PD	5	1	0	0	5	0	1	0	0	0	2,845	2.1	0
EMERSON POLICE DEPT.	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	840	1.2	0
FALLS CITY PD	9	0	3	4	2	0	1	0	0	0	4,094	2.2	0
GORDON PD	3	1	0	1	1	0	2	0	0	0	1,512	2.6	1
GOTHENBURG PD	6	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	3,432	1.7	0
HARVARD PD	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	959	2.1	0
IMPERIAL PD	3	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	2,053	1.9	0
KIMBALL PD	5	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	2,359	2.1	0
LYMAN PD	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	321	0	0
MILFORD PD	2	0	0	0	1	1	2	1	0	0	2,090	1	0
MINATARE PD	0	0	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	786	0	0
MINDEN PD	5	0	0	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	2,954	1.7	0
MORRILL PD	1	0	0	0	4	0	1	0	0	0	885	1.1	0
NELIGH PD	3	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	1,488	2	0
OAKLAND PD	4	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,172	3.4	0

OGALLALA PD	10	1	1	1	3	0	0	7	0	3	4,472	2.5	0
ONEILL PD	8	0	0	1	2	0	0	0	0	0	3,565	2.2	0
ORD PD	1	1	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	2,069	1	0
OSMOND PD	1	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	745	1.3	0
PIERCE PD	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,724	1.7	0
PLAINVIEW PD	1	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1,186	1.7	0
RANDOLPH PD	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	885	1.1	1
RAVENNA PD	1	0	0	0	2	0	1	0	0	0	1,357	0.7	0
SCRIBNER PD	1	0	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	793	1.3	0
SHELTON PD	2	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	1,054	1.9	0
SUPERIOR PD	2	0	0	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	1,791	1.1	0
TILDEN PD	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	303	3.3	0
TILDEN PD	1	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	624	1.6	0
VALENTINE PD	3	1	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	2,704	1.5	0
VALLEY PD	7	0	0	0	5	0	0	0	0	0	2,948	2.4	1
WATERLOO PD	4	0	0	0	10	0	0	0	0	0	922	4.3	0
WEST POINT PD	6	0	0	1	0	0	1	0	0	0	3,273	1.8	0

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State Agencies

BLOOMFIELD POLICE DEPARTMENT	2	0	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
HENDERSEN PD	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Metropolitan Community College Police	24	4	6	3	12	8	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
NE GAME and Parks HQ Lincoln	61	6	0	3	0	1	5	0	0	0	0	0	0
Nebraska Department of Revenue	7	0	0	1	0	0	2	0	0	0	0	0	0
NEBRASKA STATE FIRE MARSHALL	6	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Omaha Airport Authority	26	1	6	7	29	31	0	6	0	4	0	0	0
Santee Police Department	4	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Sargent PD	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
STATE PATROL LINCOLN	374	36	101	197	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
UNION PACIFIC RAILROAD - OMAHA	10	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
UNIV OF NEBRASKA CAMPUS SECURITY POLICE OMAHA	25	5	103	23	0	0	5	0	5	0	0	0	0
UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA CAM SEC POLICE KEARNEY	6	2	0	0	0	1	1	0	1	0	0	0	0
UNIVERSITY OF NEBRASKA PD	24	6	18	10	0	6	1	0	8	0	0	0	0

Contracts

ADAMS CO SO HASTINGS	Ayr \$.50/per month per resident based on recent census
	Holstein \$.50/per month per resident based on recent census
	Juniata \$.50/per month per resident based on recent census
	Kenesaw \$.50/per month per resident based on recent census
	Prosser \$.50/per month per resident based on recent census
	Roseland \$.50/per month per resident based on recent census
ANTELOPE CO SO NELIGH	Clearwater 1302.25
	Elgin 2800.00
	Oakdale 1035.50
	Orchard 1192.25
BOONE CO SO ALBION	Cedar Rapids 16500
	St. Edward 85000
	Petersburg 16500
BOX BUTTE CO SO ALLIANCE	Hemingford 8hrs/day (excl. Sunday) for \$11,000
BUFFALO CO SO KEARNEY	Amherst 6 hours/month @ \$151.71
	Elm Creek 20 hours/week @ \$3,750.93 per month
	Gibbon 120 hours/month @ \$21,567.86
	Miller 6 hours/month @ \$151.71
	Pleasanton 6 hours/month @ \$151.71
	Ravenna 10 hrs/month @ \$432.80 & \$43.28 for additional hrs
	Riverdale 6 hours/month @ \$151.71
COLFAX CO SO SCHUYLER	Shelton 10 hrs/month @ \$432.80 & \$43.28 for additional hrs
	Clarkson 71506.68
	Leigh 57206.77
CUMING CO SO WEST POINT	Howells 57206.77
	Bancroft 1500.00 MONTH
DAKOTA CO SO	Beemer 1500.00 MONTH
	Dakota City 24/7/52 \$74,327.16
DEUEL CO SO CHAPPELL	Homer 24/7/52 \$37,116.00
	Big Springs 88,000

	Chappell 88,000
DIXON CO SO PONCA	Wakefield 3 full time deputies, all expenses
	Ponca Dispatching Services
FILLMORE CO SO GENEVA	Geneva 24/7 186750.77/YR
	Exeter 56H/WK 10000.00/YR
FRANKLIN CO SO FRANKLIN	Franklin \$6,032 a month
	Bloomington \$30 a hour
	Campbell \$30 a hour
	Naponee \$30 a hour
	Riverton \$30 a hour
	Upland \$30 a hour
GARFIELD CO SO BURWELL	Burwell 250000
HARLAN CO SO ALMA	Alma 51,612.00
HOLT CO SO ONEILL	Stuart 34,275.00
KNOX CO SO CENTER	Crofton \$85/hour
	Niobrara \$7096/month
	Verdigre \$75/hour
	Wausa \$85/hour
LANCASTER CO SO LINCOLN	Bennet Varies monthly/they decide hours to be worked
	Denton Varies monthly/they decide hours to be worked
	Firth Varies monthly/they decide hours to be worked
	Hallam Varies monthly/they decide hours to be worked
	Hickman 1 FT deputy/cruiser for \$153,206
	Waverly 3 FT deputies/cruiser for \$457,979
LINCOLN CO SO NORTH PLATTE	Brady 25 hours mo \$12030 for the year
	Hershey 67.7 hours mo \$32,577 for the year
	Sutherland 100 hours mo \$48,100 for the year
	Wallace 30 hours mo \$14,436 for the year
	Wellfleet 8 hours mo \$3,849 for the year
MADISON CO SO MADISON	Meadow Grove 35hrs/2,426.67
	Newman Grove 90hrs/6,091.50
PAWNEEE CO SO PAWNEE CITY	Burchard 1228.51

	Du Bois 2202.34
	Lewiston 1018.76
	Pawnee City 82832.75
	Steinauer 1123.50
	Table Rock 4019.63
PERKINS CO SO GRANT	Grant 3 Patrols/Day x \$111,874
	Madrid 2 Patrols/Day x \$23,017
	Venango 2 Patrols/Day x \$16,072
	Elsie 2 Patrols/Day x \$10,517
POLK CO SO OSCEOLA	Osceola \$84.28 per capita rate
	Polk no contract
	Shelby \$81.84 per capita rate
	Stromsburg \$81.84 per capita rate
RED WILLOW CO SO MCCOOK	Bartley \$3000/yr
	Indianola \$5000/yr
RICHARDSON CO SO FALLS CITY	Humboldt \$94,000.00 160 hours per month
SARPY CO SO PAPILLION	Springfield 131,892
	Gretna 960,854.28
SEWARD CO SO SEWARD	Garland \$126.00
	Beaver Crossing \$225
	Bee \$85.50
	Goehner \$90.50
	Utica \$504.00
	Pleasant Dale \$1,212.00
SHERMAN CO SO LOUP CITY	Litchfield 20 hrs/\$850 a month
	Loup City 24hr/7days \$44992.48 quarterly
THAYER CO SO HEBRON	Hebron 13,981.22
WASHINGTON CO SO BLAIR	Arlington 40 hrs week
	Fort Calhoun 40 hrs week
WAYNE PD	Wayne State College 648 hrs for \$37,109.00

