

# BECOME A MICHIGAN STATE POLICE MOTOR CARRIER OFFICER



Receive advanced training while working for the best. The Michigan State Police Commercial Vehicle Enforcement Division is seeking to fill vacancies with qualified, diverse men and women, looking for an exciting and rewarding specialized career in law enforcement.

Michigan State Police Motor Carrier Officers are law enforcement officers specializing in commercial vehicle enforcement including: Michigan traffic laws, commercial vehicle and driver inspections, size and weight enforcement to enhance infrastructure protection, hazardous materials regulations, and criminal interdiction to support homeland security.

Motor Carrier Officers are assigned to Michigan State Police posts, patrol large geographical areas, and when applicable operate highway weigh stations. Motor Carrier Officers are required to be proactive and exercise critical decision making with regard to immediate enforcement action including life-threatening situations.

## Minimum Requirements:

- Must be a United States citizen.
- Must be at least 21 years of age prior to graduation from the MSP Training Academy.
- Must have a high school diploma or G.E.D certificate.
- Must possess a valid driver's license without restrictions.
- Must possess a satisfactory driving record.
- Must not have a felony record or conviction.
- Must be of good moral character.

## Selection and Training:

Candidates must successfully complete all steps of the selection process. Upon appointment to motor carrier officer recruit school, recruits are assigned to the Michigan State Police Training Academy in Lansing and are required to satisfactorily complete an 18 to 20 week residential Motor Carrier Officer Recruit School.

Upon graduation from recruit school, probationary motor carrier officers are assigned to a Michigan State Police post and required to satisfactorily complete a 19 week field training officer program. Probationary motor carrier officers must complete an 18 month probationary period.

## Salary and Benefits:

- During motor carrier officer recruit school, recruits receive a bi-weekly salary of approximately \$1,500.
- Starting salary for the Motor Carrier Officer position is approximately \$40,705. Motor carrier officers reach a top salary in six years of approximately \$55,470.
- Motor carrier officers receive 5% premium pay incentive for afternoon and midnight shifts.
- Motor carrier officers receive longevity incentives based on years of state service. In addition, motor carrier officers receive an annual uniform cleaning allowance of \$450.
- Motor carrier officers receive health, hospitalization, dental, vision and life insurance as standard benefits.
- Motor carrier officers earn vacation and sick leave commensurate to the years of state service.
- Motor carrier officers receive 12 paid holidays per year.
- All employees are provided with the required uniforms and equipment.

**The first step is taking the Entry Level Law Enforcement Exam. To find out more and apply for the exam, please visit: [www.mi.gov/mspjobs](http://www.mi.gov/mspjobs), click on the Motor Carrier Officer tab and select "Apply Now".**

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## Motor Carrier Officer

### *State Police Seeking to Fill Vacancies in 2017*

- Motor carrier officers serve the public, assisting people in need and enforcing the general laws of the state as they pertain to commercial vehicles and their drivers.
- Motor carrier officers enjoy a specialized, non-traditional law enforcement role, making a positive difference in the lives of others.
- Motor carrier officers are proactive and highly autonomous, often times working from their patrol car as a mobile office.
- Motor carrier officers work within an organization that places value on them and their family.
- Motor carrier officers are deployed throughout the entire state and have opportunities for development including, lateral movements, specialty and promotional positions.
- Motor carrier officers receive advanced training and all the equipment necessary to be successful.
- Motor carrier officers enjoy a consistent work schedule of Monday through Friday, with most weekends off.

**If you or someone you know is interested in an exciting and rewarding career as a Michigan State Police Motor Carrier Officer, please visit the MSP Career Center at [www.mi.gov/mspjobs](http://www.mi.gov/mspjobs) or sending an email to [mspcvedrecruiting@michigan.gov](mailto:mspcvedrecruiting@michigan.gov) referencing your interest in the MCO positions.**

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