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SUBJECT: Comment for OMB No. 3206-0150

DATE: April 29, 2009

TO: Kathy Dillaman, Associate Director
Federal Investigative Services Division
U.S. Office of Personnel Management
1900 E. Street, Room 2H31
Washington, DC 20503

Ms. Dillaman,

On April 16th, 2009 I sent a memorandum to you regarding additional considerations for the Standard Form (SF) 87 and SF 87A (copy attached). It occurred to me afterwards that I made some statements about cost, scheduling, and hours of operation for police departments, but did not provide any supporting evidence. I have enclosed a variety of supporting documentation from State, City, and Sheriff's departments via their on-line websites.

In addition, please consider this memorandum and my previous memorandum as individual comments. It is not my intention to represent NRCS or USDA on this matter, but wanted to let you know that I am a Federal employee.

Thank you very much for your consideration.



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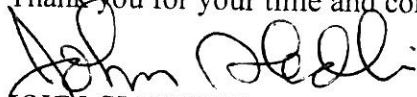
Ms. Dillaman,

I have read the submission for OMB Review; Comment Request for Revised Information Collection: Fingerprint Charts: Standard Form (SF) 87 and SF 87A. I absolutely agree that fingerprint information is an invaluable tool in determining the suitability of persons applying for employment with the Federal government. I would, however, like to add some additional information to that already provided in the report. The report indicates that approximately 196,540 SF 87 or SF 87A's are sent to individuals annually, and that each form takes approximately five minutes to complete. The following facts I believe should also be added and considered as part of the entire picture:

1. Generally, police and other law enforcement agencies charge a fee to the public for taking fingerprints. This fee varies but can be as much as \$10.00 per card, and we require the submission of two cards. This cost is entirely placed upon the applicant with no reimbursement from the government.
2. In addition to the five minutes it takes to complete the card, there is time needed to travel to the fingerprinting station, which in rural areas, can be several miles; time needed to schedule the appointment as not all police departments will provide fingerprinting on a walk-in basis, in addition many departments offer fingerprinting only on designated weekdays or set days during the month; and time that may have to be taken from work to arrive at the fingerprint station as scheduled.
3. This report does not take into account the number of fingerprint cards which are returned to the agency as unusable because the prints are either smeared or taken with sub-quality equipment. Many police departments do not have a fingerprinting expert, thereby, leaving police officers or other staff to take the prints despite their inexperience or lack of any training in taking fingerprints.

I would like to suggest that with the technological advances seen in recent years that the Federal government look into the prospect of utilizing an electronic fingerprinting process. I understand that there are fingerprint stations that can essentially take a high quality photograph of an individual's fingerprints. The fingerprints generated are of such quality that only one photograph of each hand would be necessary to provide the FBI with the number and quality print needed to perform the fingerprint check. This prospect would not only eliminate the need for paper cards but would also allow agencies to take their own fingerprints from applicants eliminating the cost to the applicant as well as being able to acquire high quality prints quickly and which can be sent to the FBI electronically and securely thus providing advanced fingerprint results in a very short period of time.

Thank you for your time and consideration.



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Barrack Q - College Park
10100 Rhode Island Avenue
College Park, Maryland 20740
301-345-3101 (phone) 301-345-4182 (fax)
collegetpark@mdsp.org

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Counties Served: Prince Georges (north of Route 50)

Commander:



Lieutenant
Carl Miller

Barrack Information:

The barrack is the primary law enforcement agency responsible for patrol and traffic enforcement on approximately 92 miles of road in the northwest portion of Prince George's County. An attempted traffic stop in January led into a high speed chase that was ended after the deployment of stop sticks. The unlicensed driver had a stolen vehicle, a gun, an ounce of marijuana, and \$447; a related search of two locations yielded 1.1 pounds of PCP, 84 MDMA (ecstasy) pills, some cocaine, digital scales, and numerous rounds of ammunition. Another traffic stop and chase recovered 78 baggies of crack cocaine, as well as heroin, marijuana, and three handguns (one of which was stolen). A third stop and chase involved an assault on the trooper and the seizure of \$26,105 as drug proceeds.

Investigation into the thefts of unattended vehicles from roads led to arrests and the recovery of 19 stolen vehicles from a junk yard. The barrack participated in 21 DUI checkpoints that resulted in 54 DUI arrests. Arrests for drugs increased 17% from 2005 (53 to 62) as did total criminal arrests, 313 up to 350. Busy troopers also completed the field training of 12 new troopers, assisted on the Annual Challenge Day at a local special needs school, helped in the educational campaign on the dangers of teen driving, and received numerous awards from State and local organizations.

Directions:

Located on Rhode Island Avenue, College Park. From the Capital Beltway take Exit 25, US 1, College Park. From N/B Capital Beltway: US 1 to the intersection of Sunnyside Ave. and US 1, right on Sunnyside Ave.; go one block turn right onto Rhode Island Avenue. Proceed on Rhode Island until just prior to the overpass and turn into Barrack Driveway on the right. From S/B Capital Beltway: US 1 to the intersection of Edgewood Rd and US 1; make a left onto Edgewood Rd. Got to the bottom of the hill to a four way

stop sign. Make a left onto Rhode Island Avenue. Barrack driveway will be on left after going under the Beltway overpass.

Fingerprinting Info:

In order to have a "background check" or "police clearance" completed by the Maryland State Police, you must appear **in person** at a Maryland State Police Barrack. At that time you must present a valid, government-issued, photo identification and a check or money order for \$5.00 for each fingerprint card required (usually two are required). You will then have your fingerprints taken and those fingerprints will be checked against state and local databases. You will receive a response to our inquiry within a few weeks.

Fingerprinting Day(s):

Tuesday 8:30 am - 11:00 am

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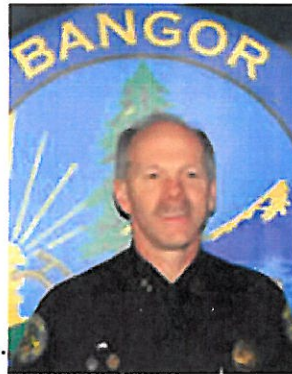
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Chief of Police,
Ron Gastia



Deputy Chief of Police,
Peter Arno

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Employment & Application Information

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Taxi Cab Inspections	No Charge
Alarms	No Charge
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Disability Plates and Placard Applications	No Charge
Alzheimer and Eldercare Patient Listing	No Charge
Parade Permit	\$5.00
Weapon Permit	New \$35.00 Renewal \$20.00 Change of Address \$2.00
Copies:	-----
• Accident Reports	• \$5.00
• Incident Reports	• \$5.00
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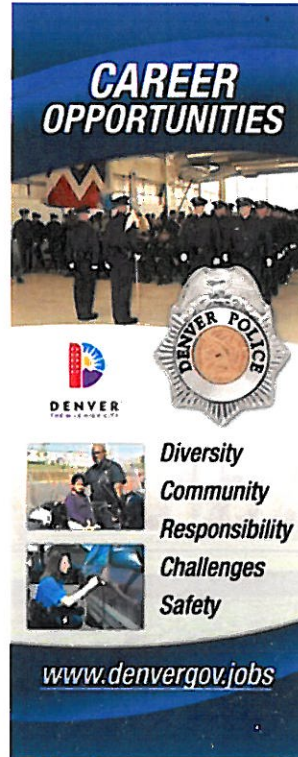
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Career Opportunities with DPD



Our department is the **largest and most active** in the state of Colorado, providing excellent lateral and upward mobility. Denver Police officers earn an excellent salary with many benefits. They face a variety of challenges and responsibilities. A career with the Denver Police Department offers a **secure position** with the prospect of educational opportunities, specialization, and promotion.

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Blue and You



"The Blue and You" is a television program that showcases the many different aspects of policing. From the streets of Denver to the Crime Lab, the program provides an in-depth, behind the scenes view of the Denver Police Department.

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Identification Bureau Identification Section

The Identification Section performs the following functions for the Public:

FINGERPRINTING

FOR RESIDENTS OF THE CITY AND COUNTY OF DENVER,

INTERNATIONAL ADOPTIONS, OR PRE-APPROVED EXCEPTIONS

HOURS OF OPERATION:

Wednesday 10:00 AM TO 8:00 PM

Thursday 10:00 AM TO 8:00 PM

FEES FOR FINGERPRINT SERVICES:

\$10.00 PER CARD (WE DO NOT PROVIDE FINGERPRINT CARDS)

\$5.00 FOR EACH ADDITIONAL CARD

\$5.00 FOR A COPY OF THE DPD MASTER FINGERPRINT CARD

SEX OFFENDER LIST

The ID Section creates and maintains a Denver Sex Offender List which can be purchased by mail.

\$5.00 PER LIST

RECORD QUERY REQUESTS

\$20.00 FOR RECORD AND LETTER

\$15.00 FOR RECORD ONLY

NOTARIZED RECORD QUERY LETTERS FOR INTERNATIONAL ADOPTIONS

\$25.00 (FOR RECORD AND LETTER) NO NOTARY FEE

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FAQ's

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Q: How can I obtain an application packet for an initial or renewal Fingerprint Clearance Card?

A: You may obtain an application packet from your employer or you may request a packet directly from DPS by either calling (602) 223-2279 or faxing your request to (602) 223-2947. Office hours are Monday through Friday from 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.

If you will be working in the education field (public or charter) and you are required to obtain a Fingerprint Clearance Card or if you will be doing student teaching or tutoring you will need to obtain an "Identity Verified Print" (IVP) Fingerprint Clearance Card, not the regular Fingerprint Clearance Card. When requesting an application packet please make sure you specify that you need the "IVP" application packet.

Q: What is the fee to obtain a Fingerprint Clearance Card?

A: The fee for volunteers is \$65 and the fee for all others is \$69.

Q: What forms of payment are accepted?

A: DPS accepts Cashier's Checks, Money Orders or a check drawn on a business account. All forms of payment should be made payable to the AZ Department of Public Safety. State agencies may also elect to submit a State Companion Action Transfer form

Q: How long will it take to get my Fingerprint Clearance Card?

A: The average processing time is five to eight weeks depending on whether or not the person has a criminal record. Please ensure you affix sufficient postage to the envelope and place your return address in the top left corner of the envelope.

Q:How long is my Fingerprint Clearance Card good for?

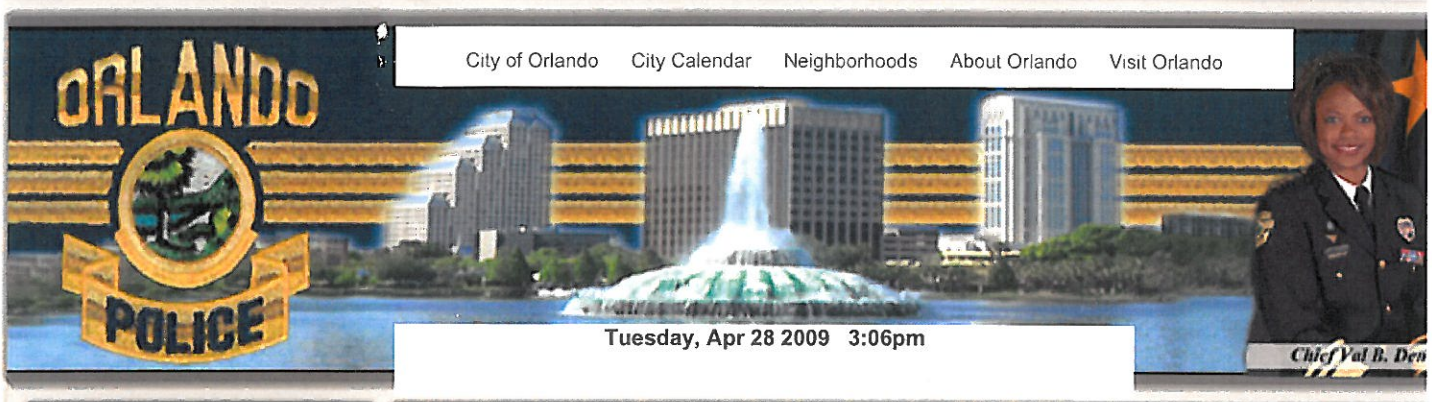
A:Cards are valid for six years

Q:What will my fingerprints be used for?

A:Your fingerprints will be used to obtain both a state and federal criminal records check.

Q: Does DPS take applicant fingerprints?

A: No. An applicant can contact their local law enforcement agency to find out if they take applicant fingerprints or they may contact a private fingerprinting service.



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Around the Station

How do I report a crime, suspicious incident, etc.?

If you are in the city limits of Orlando, dial 911. Even if you do not think it is an emergency, use 911 because this reduces the amount of information the call taker has to enter into the computer. The call taker will determine the degree of urgency your call requires by the information they get from you. If you are outside our City limits and need to report an incident that occurred within the City limits, call 321-235-5300.

Criminal incidents that occur outside the city limits of Orlando must be reported to the law enforcement agency having jurisdiction where the incident occurred.

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How can I contact the officer that investigated a crime against me or an accident I was in?

Telephone our Communications division at 321-235-5300. If the officer is on duty at that time, a message will be forwarded to the officer to call you when he/she completes the call they are on. If the officer is not on duty, you will be forwarded to their supervisor's voice mail. Leave your name, phone number, the best time to call you back, and the purpose of your call. Be sure to include your case number. (Just a hint, you can improve your chances of speaking directly with the officer if you call at the same time of day you originally dealt with that officer.

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Where can I go to be finger printed and obtain a Local Law Enforcement Records Check for employment purposes?

If you need finger printing done for employment purposes or other reasons, our hours are as follows: Wednesday 10:00 a.m. to 4:00 p.m. at the Orlando Police Headquarters, 100 S. Hughey Avenue, Orlando (407-246-2417).

You may also have finger printing done at our Southeast Community Police Office, located at 6207 E. Pershing Avenue. Fingerprinting hours of service at the southeast substation will vary from day to day. Please call ahead of time to inquire about the hours. (407-246-4155).

There is a fee of \$8.00, plus you must bring the fingerprint card provided by your prospective employer. **NOTE: The only form of payment accepted is cash. Checks, debit cards, credit cards, or money orders WILL NOT be accepted.**

Our Records Section in Police Headquarters will also conduct a local law enforcement records check. For information about the records check, please telephone our Records Section at 407-246-2417 between 8:00 a.m. and 5:00 p.m., Monday through Friday. This records check will only include incidents which occurred within the city limits of Orlando.

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I received a traffic citation for an equipment violation on my car and now have it fixed. Who can I see to have my vehicle inspected and

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We recognize the number one complaint at nearly every meeting we attend is traffic in our neighborhood [more >](#)



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Traffic Crash Reports

Who is entitled to copies of crash reports?

Only those listed on the crash report are eligible to obtain copies of police crash reports including:

- Individuals involved in the crash
- Injured persons
- Property owners
- Attorneys and/or insurance agents representing the driver or property owner

How can I get a copy if I am one of the above?

- Make requests in writing to: Central Records 10600 Page Avenue, Fairfax, VA 22030
- Make requests in person between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m. Monday through Friday to Central Records, located in the Police Annex at the above address or to the district police station in which the crash occurred

Are there fees for obtaining a crash report?

- **NO** fee for drivers, property owners or injured persons.
- All others must pay a \$5 fee by cash, credit card, money order or check made out to the County of Fairfax.

Crash Photographs

How can I get police photographs taken at the crash scene?

Not all traffic crashes are photographed by police. If police took photographs, they are available for purchase to:

- Vehicle owners and drivers
- Attorneys or insurance companies representing the owners and/or drivers
- Injured persons
- Property owners

How much are police photographs of traffic crashes?

- A fee of \$4 per print is charged

- Payment can be made in the form of cash, credit card, money order or check made payable to the County of Fairfax

Where can I get police photographs from the traffic crash?

- Make requests in writing to: Central Records 10600 Page Avenue, Fairfax, VA 22030
- Make requests in person between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m. Monday through Friday to Central Records, located in the Police Annex at the above address

Police Incident Reports

Can I get a copy of a police report?

Copies of police reports are released only to law enforcement officers or by subpoena. However, if you were involved in an incident that resulted in a police report, you may obtain an **incident verification form** no less than **48 hours after** the actual report was taken. It includes written verification that a police report was filed, including the case number assigned to that incident.

Who can get incident verification forms?

- Victims of a crime
- Property owners
- Those directly involved in the incident itself

Where can I get an incident verification form?

- Make requests in writing to: Central Records 10600 Page Avenue, Fairfax, VA 22030
- Make requests in person between 8 a.m. and 4 p.m. Monday through Friday to Central Records, located in the Police Annex at the above address

Is there any cost for incident verification forms?

- There is a \$3 fee
- Payment accepted in the form of cash, credit card, money order or check made payable to the County of Fairfax

Fingerprints

If you need your fingerprints taken, you may visit the Police Annex, 10600 Page Avenue, Fairfax, VA 22030, during normal business hours. You must bring:

- Your own fingerprint cards
- Two current forms of identification. One must include a photograph and your date of birth including but not limited to:
 - A valid driver's license
 - A social security card
 - Birth certificate
 - Passport
 - Military Identification
 - Medicare card
 - State-issued identification card
 - A green card

Is there any cost for being fingerprinted?

- A \$10 fee is charged for the first set of print cards.
- An additional fee of \$5 is charged for each additional set.
- Payment in the form of cash, credit card, money order or check made payable to the County of Fairfax is accepted.

Criminal Record Checks