

LOS ANGELES AIRPORT POLICE



**CANDIDATE ASSISTANCE & INFORMATION SEMINAR
PRESENTED BY RECRUITMENT UNIT**



INTRO



- The Los Angeles Airport Police (sometimes referred to as “LAXPD” is a division of Los Angeles Department of Airports, Los Angeles World Airports (LAWA))
- Largest Airport Police agency in the United States

LAX



VNY





LAX



- Nation's second-busiest commercial airport
- Experts predict LAX could have >100 million travelers annually by 2040
- In 2018, 88 million passengers
 - In 2017, 85 million passengers
 - In 2016, 80 million passengers
- Handles between 80,000 – 120,000 cars a day in the Central Terminal Area





MODERNIZATION



\$220 million Airport Police facility to be open by mid-2021



\$14 billion modernization project to renovate and rebuild by 2023





MISSION STATEMENT



“The mission of the Los Angeles World Airports Police is to ensure the safe and secure operations of our airports.”



HISTORY



- **Early History 1946-1959:** Los Angeles Airport Police traces its beginnings to 1946, when Los Angeles Airport was transferred from the U.S. War Department to the City of Los Angeles.
- **Airport Security Division 1959-1973:** The organization was known as the Security Division of the Operations Bureau. The organization was responsible for general physical security and for patrolling airport areas.
- **Airport Security Bureau 1981-1984:** In 1981, the Security Division and the Boarding Services Bureau were merged, becoming the Airport Security Bureau.
- **Los Angeles Airport Police 1984-Present:** In 1984, the Airport Security Bureau was renamed Los Angeles Airport Police.



CORE VALUES



- ✓ Service before self
- ✓ Reverence for the law
- ✓ Respect for people
- ✓ Commitment to professionalism
- ✓ Integrity in all we say and do
- ✓ We value our personnel





AIRPORT POLICE DIVISION



Law enforcement & Homeland Security
Deputy Executive Director
David L. Maggard Jr



Chief of Airport Police
Cecil W. Rhambo Jr



Office of Operations



Office of Support Services
Assistant Chief John Wallace



Office of Homeland Security & Intelligence
Assistant Chief Tyrone Stallings



LAX/VNY Patrol Services Section
Commander Imer Chavez



Field Support Section
Captain Michael Scolaro



Homeland Security & Intelligence Section



Security Services Section
Commander Latasha Amerson



Professional Standards Section
Captain Mario Patrick



Homeland Security & Intelligence Section



Traffic Services Section
Captain Fernando Castro



PERSONNEL

- 515+ Sworn Police Officer
- 400+ Security Officers
- 150+ Civilian Staff





TARGET OF INTEREST



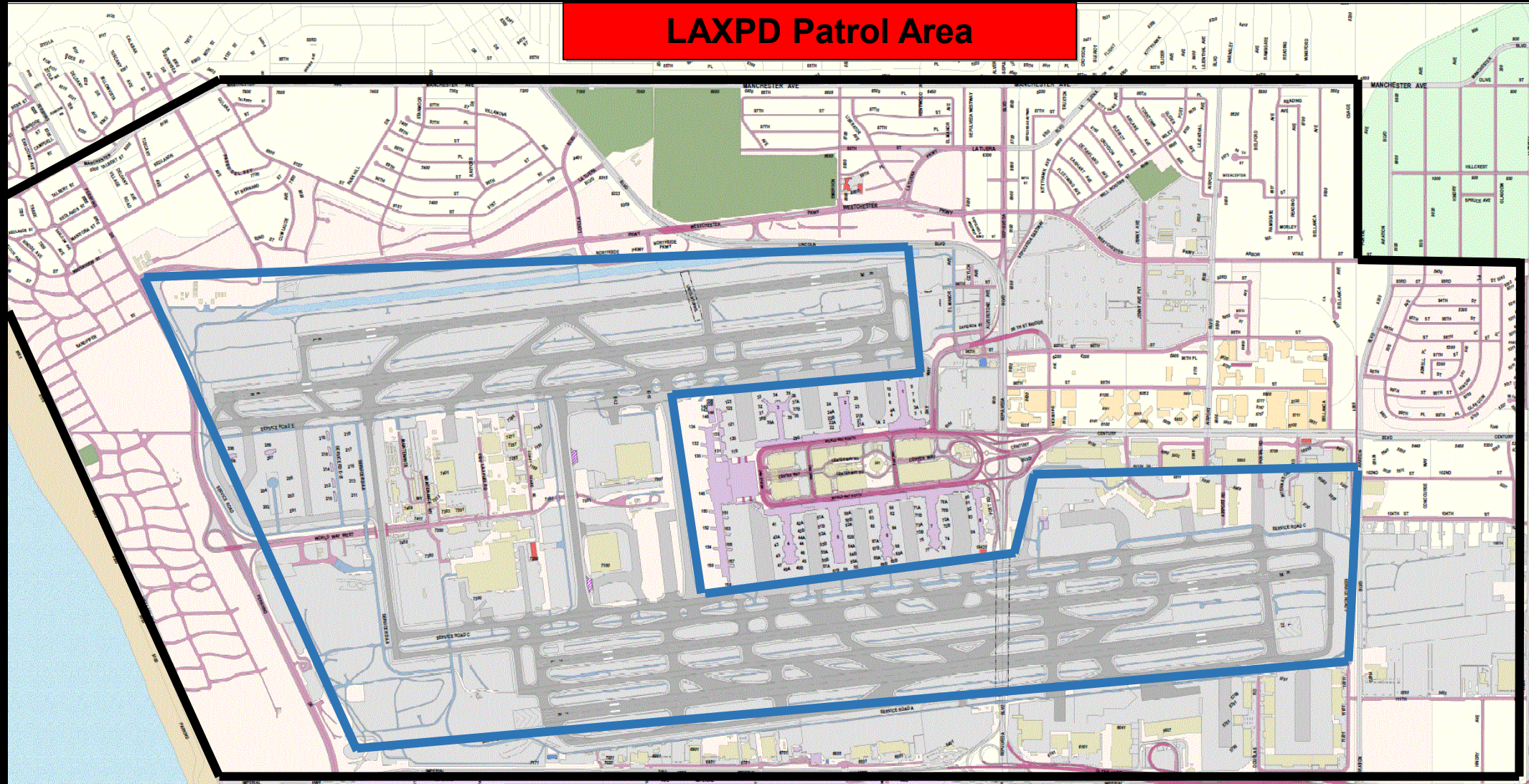


TARGET OF INTEREST





LAX JURISDICTION

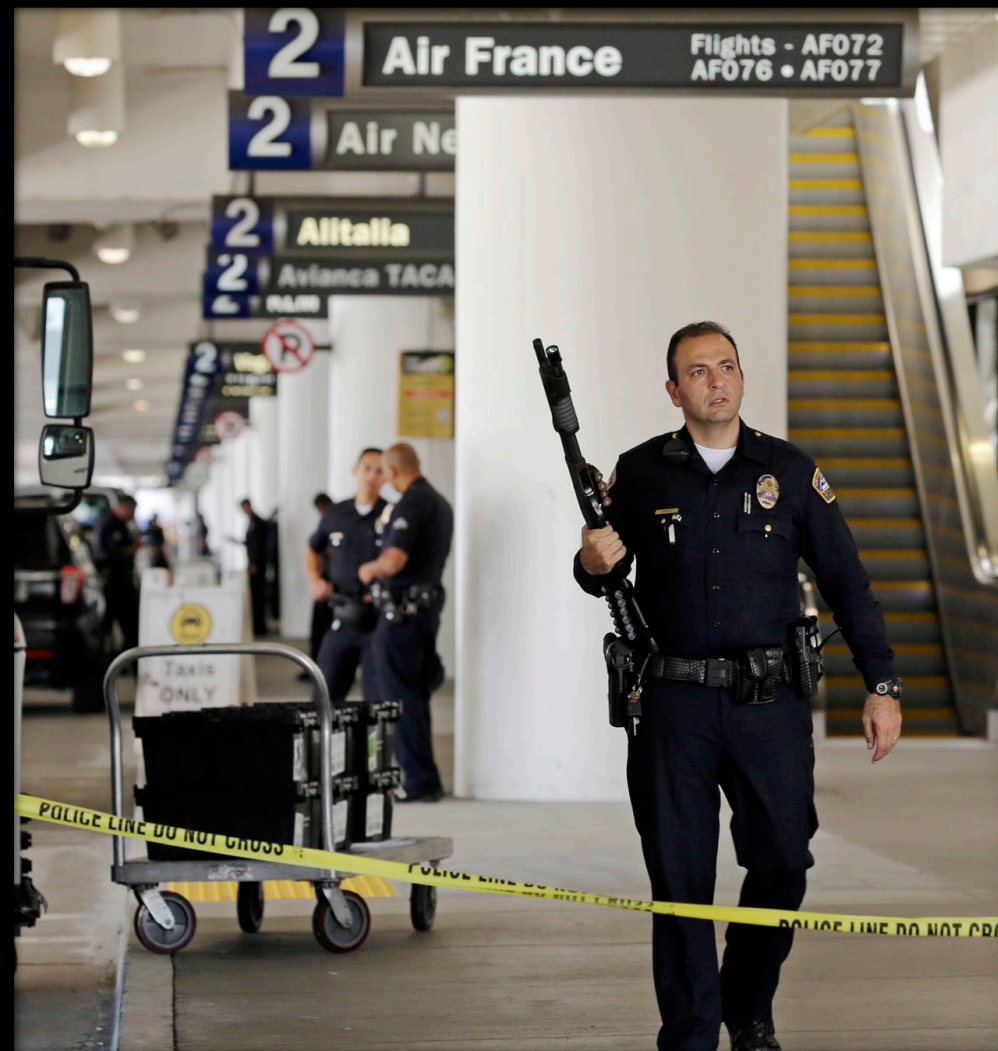




PATROL



- 4/10 Work Schedule
- 3 Shifts
 - ❑ Watch 1: 0500 – 1530
 - ❑ Watch 2: 1400 – 0030
 - ❑ Watch 3: 2030 – 0700





PATROL ASSIGNMENTS



➤ Mobile

➤ Foot Beat

➤ Airfield





SPECIALIZED UNITS



- Airport Response Coordination Center
- Vulnerability Assessment and Analysis
- Internal Affairs
- Bicycle Patrol
- Canine (K-9)
- Crime Scene Investigation
- Dignitary Protection
- Court Liaison
- Emergency Services (SWAT)
- Youth Services Officers
- Public Information Officer





SPECIALIZED UNITS



- Background Investigation
- Training
- Recruitment
- Commercial Enforcement
- Motorcycle Patrol
- Detective
- Joint Regional Intelligence Center
- I.C.E. Task Force
- D.E.A. Task Force
- FBI Joint Terrorism Task Force





SALARY

Recruit Officer Police Academy: \$64,644

P1 Probation: \$67,230

[Uniform Personnel Bonus 4%]

P2 Airport Police Officer II: \$75,168.04 - \$105,632

[Uniform Personnel Bonus 4%, Intermediate POST 1%, Advanced POST 2%]

 **P3** Airport Police Officer III: ≤ \$116,982

[Airfield Bonus 2%, Intermediate POST 1%, Advanced POST 2%, Specialized Unit Bonus 5%]



BENEFITS



- Group Medical/Dental/Vision Plans
- Paid Sick & Disability Leave
- Los Angeles Fire and Police Pensions
- Longevity Pay
- Military Reserve Friendly
 - [30 days Military Leave with pay]
- Deferred Compensation
- Generous tuition reimbursement
 - [Bachelor's, Master's, and PhD]





LOS ANGELES FIRE AND POLICE PENSIONS



IF YOUR YEARS OF SERVICE EQUALS...	THEN YOUR YEARS OF SERVICE PENSION PERCENTAGE IS...
20	40%
21	43%
22	46%
23	49%
24	52%
25	55%
26	59%
27	63%
28	67%
29	71%
30	75%
31	80%
32	85%
33 or more	90%



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HIRING PROCESS

1. Personal Qualification Essay



2. Personal History Statement



3. Personal Fitness Qualification



4. Department Interview

5. Polygraph



6. Background Investigation



7. Chief Interview



8. Medical Evaluation

9. Psychology Evaluation



Police Academy



POLICE ACADEMY



- Los Angeles Police Department (LAPD) Academy
- 6 months
- Paid academy, full starting salary during training
- 3 training facilities:
 - Ahmanson Recruit Training Center
 - Elysian Park
 - Edward M. Davis Training Facility





CURRICULUM



- Academics
- Driving
- Firearms Training
- Human Relations
- Law
- Physical Training
- Tactics





THANK YOU

