

Rice Lake Police Department

Rice Lake PD Policy Manual

DEPARTMENT GOALS AND OBJECTIVES

In order to fulfill the Department's Mission, we have a fundamental duty:

1. To protect the constitutional rights to liberty, equality, and justice for all people.
2. To create and maintain a feeling of security in the community.
3. To protect those who are in danger of physical harm and provide aid to those who cannot care for themselves.
4. To reduce the opportunities for the commission of crime, to identify criminal offenders and criminal activity and, whenever appropriate, to apprehend offenders and bring them into the criminal justice system.
5. To identify potentially serious law enforcement or governmental problems.
6. To facilitate the safe movement of people and vehicles.
7. To identify and help resolve community problems which are related to policing responsibilities and provide other police services to the community.

In order to achieve the aforementioned objectives, the Department stands committed to:

- Providing a continual training program to ensure professional competence and development of personnel and organizational discipline in order to carry out departmental goals and objectives.
- Recognizing the importance of planning functions to develop programs that will address major goals and objectives of the department.
- Cooperating with related public and private agencies.
- Emphasizing a continual willingness to study and initiate new and better police services for the community.