

# How Do I Schedule a Ride Along?

Contact the front lobby at  
1313 California Street

Lobby hours are  
8:00 am - 5:00 pm  
Monday-Friday  
(Lobby is closed on holidays)  
or call 530-225-4200

Ask the receptionist for the  
Ride-along form. Complete the  
form and return to the receptionist.

You will be contacted by phone to  
schedule your ride.



Redding Police Department  
1313 California Street  
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# Ride Along Program

**POLICE OFFICER**  
**REDDING POLICE**

Leonard F. Moty  
Chief of Police

# Redding Police Department



## Ride-Along Program

The Redding Police Department has a Ride-Along Program which

offers citizens the opportunity to observe officers performing their job. Citizens are permitted to ride with officers in a marked police vehicle as the officer performs his duties.

These duties include:

- enforcement of traffic laws
- investigation of reported crimes
- resolving disturbances
- making arrests

## Who may participate?

- Any interested citizen, including minors 16 years or older with parental consent.

## What is required?

- A signed and dated Release of Liability (provided) and a scheduled appointment to ride.
- Casual business attire.

## What is prohibited?

- Participant must not have consumed or taken any alcoholic beverages or medication which may impair physical ability prior to riding.
- Absolutely no weapons permitted.
- Riders are prohibited from participating in any potentially hazardous activity, such as: directing traffic, handling prisoners, using department equipment, etc.

## Important

In the event of a serious emergency, ride-along participants are required to follow ALL of the officer's instructions. A serious emergency could include, but is not limited to:

- an officer involved in a shooting
- a collision
- a pursuit
- an assault on the officer

The officer will brief you on what to do in the event of an emergency prior to your ride.

## Purpose

To provide an opportunity for citizens and those interested in a Law Enforcement Career to observe first hand, the duties of a Police Officer and the role of Law Enforcement in their community.

