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| **Craig Carter**  Circuit Judge  **Marla Solomon**  Chief Juvenile Officer  **Rose Hiler**  Chief Deputy  Juvenile Officer  **Courtney Smith**  Deputy Juvenile Officer  **Jeannette Higby**  Administrative Assistant  **Fallon Givans**  Director of Detention | |  | | --- | | **JOB ANNOUNCEMENT**  August 25, 2025  **44TH JUDICIAL CIRCUIT**  **JOB TITLE**: DEPUTY JUVENILE OFFICER (Juvenile Officer I Intensive Probation)    **LOCATION**: The 44th Circuit Consists of Douglas, Ozark, and Wright Counties. Base is in Mountain Grove, Wright County, Missouri.  **FULL TIME POSITION**: 40 HOURS WEEKLY  **STARTING SALARY**: $37,287.00-$41,000.00  **DESCRIPTION OF DUTIES**: An employee in this position is vested with the statutory authority of a juvenile officer to take charge of children who come under the jurisdiction of the juvenile court and will work with Law Enforcement, Children's Division, schools and the community on juvenile related matters. The position is located in Mountain Grove, MO serving Douglas, Ozark, and Wright Counties. Knowledge of juvenile courts and procedures, statues, and laws regarding juvenile cases, personal computers and software. Ability to apprehend and detain alleged juvenile offenders, prepare motions, petitions, and other legal documents for each juvenile on caseload. On-call Assignments. Ability to handle potentially hostile situations with a juvenile and family regarding a referral. Primary duties will be to supervise juveniles on probation to ensure compliance with the conditions of probation.  **MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS**: Applicants must be at least 21 years of age having satisfactorily completed four years of college education with a major degree in Criminal Justice Administration, Criminology, Psychology, Sociology, Social Work, or related field or professional employment in a public or private agency involving substantial amount of time **(over 50% time) in the delivery of protective services to families, adults, children or the aged may be substituted on a year for year basis for the required education.** Applicants must be properly licensed to operate a motor vehicle, have reliable transportation, and be properly insured. Competent communication skills are necessary. Applicant for Juvenile Officer II must have two years’ experience as a Juvenile Officer I or equivalent.  **APPLICATION PROCESS**: Submit a resume and cover letter to the 44th Circuit Juvenile Office, Attn: Marla Solomon, PO BOX 390, Mountain Grove, MO 65711 or **email to** [**Marla.Solomon@courts.mo.gov**](mailto:Marla.Solomon@courts.mo.gov)  The 44th Judicial Circuit is an Equal Opportunity Employer | |
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