## PLEASE POST CONSPICUOUSLY MADISON COUNTY DEPARTMENT OF HUMAN RESOURCES COUNTY OFFICE BUILDING WAMPSVILLE, NEW YORK

## # 89170010 MOTOR VEHICLE REPRESENTATIVE (Open Competitive)

<u>DATE OF EXAMINATION:</u> October 26, 2024 APPLICATIONS ACCEPTED UNTIL: September 6, 2024 by 4:00 p.m.

To apply for exams:

- Online: Go to https://madison-portal.mycivilservice.com/exams.
- <u>By Mail:</u> Applications can be downloaded from the Department of Human Resources website at: <u>https://www.madisoncounty.ny.gov/301/Human-Resources-Forms.</u>
- Applications must be received or postmarked by the application deadline. Carefully compare your qualifications against the minimum qualifications listed on the announcement and apply for only those examinations for which you clearly meet the required qualifications.

**SALARY:** \$21.26/hour (2024 Hire Rate)

**VACANCIES:** The eligible list established as a result of this examination will be used to fill present and future vacancies as they occur in the Madison County Clerk's Office.

**RESIDENCY:** There are no residency requirements for this examination. Preference in certification may be given to successful candidates who have been legal residents of Madison County for at least one month prior to the date of certification.

<u>MULTIPLE EXAMINATIONS SCHEDULED FOR THE SAME DAY</u>: If you have applied to take a written test announced by either one or several local jurisdictions (county, town, city) scheduled to be held on the same test date as this written test, you must notify each of the local jurisdictions no later than two weeks before the test date, so they can make arrangements for taking all tests at one test site. All examinations for positions in State government will be held at a State examination center.

<u>DISTINGUISHING FEATURES OF THE CLASS</u>: This position involves responsibility for providing information and direction to the public on Department of Motor Vehicle (DMV) services and determining eligibility for drivers' licenses and vehicle registrations through a review of the applications. The duties also involve the computation and collection of fees for licensing or registrations. Operation of a personal computer is a responsibility of the class. The work is performed under general supervision with supervising employees deciding questions of an unusual nature but still allowing for some leeway in the exercise of independent judgment. The incumbent does related work as required.

<u>MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS</u>: Graduation from high school or possession of a high school equivalency diploma and two years of full-time paid clerical experience, or its part-time equivalent.

**NOTE:** Study in a college, university or business school accredited by a regional, national or specialized agency recognized as an accrediting agency by the U.S. Department of Education/U.S. Secretary of Education may be substituted for the experience on a year for year basis.

**SPECIAL REQUIREMENTS:** Prior to appointment, the Department of Motor Vehicles will perform both citizenship verifications and criminal history checks for DMV employees per compliance with Section 7209 of the Intelligence Reform and Terrorism Prevention Act of Two Thousand Four, Public Law 108-458, and procedures promulgated thereto by the Department of Homeland Security for issuance of Enhanced Drivers Licenses (EDLs) or identification card.

**PRE-PLACEMENT PHYSICAL AND CONTROLLED SUBSTANCES SCREENING:** When you are offered a permanent, full-time or permanent, part-time appointment at Madison County, the offer of employment will be contingent upon successful completion of a pre-placement physical and controlled substance screening prior to employment.

**SUBJECTS OF EXAMINATION:** A written test designed to evaluate knowledge, skills and/or abilities in the following areas:

**Cashiering Principles and Practices:** These questions are designed to test for an understanding of such things as proper cashiering practices; terminology; and cashiering issues pertaining to currency, checks and other negotiable instruments.

Name and number checking: These questions test for the ability to distinguish between sets of words, letters, and/or numbers that are almost exactly alike. Material is usually presented in two or three columns, and you will have to determine how the entry in the first column compares with the entry in the second column and possibly the third. You will be instructed to mark your answers according to a designated code provided in the directions.

Customer service: These questions test for knowledge of techniques used to interact with other people, to gather and present information, and to provide assistance, advice and effective customer service in a courteous and professional manner. Questions will cover such topics as understanding and responding to people with diverse needs, perspectives, personalities, and levels of familiarity with agency operations, as well as acting in a way that both serves the public and reflects well on your agency.

**Understanding and interpreting written material:** These questions test for the ability to understand and interpret written material. You will be presented with brief reading passages and will be asked questions about the passages. You should base your answers to the questions only on what is presented in the passages and not on what you may happen to know about the topic.

<u>CALCULATOR</u>: Use of a hand-held, battery or solar powered calculator for this exam is RECOMMENDED. Cell phones and devices with typewriter keyboards, "Spell Checkers", "Personal Digital Assistants", "Address Books", "Language Translators", "Dictionaries", or any similar devices are prohibited. You may not bring books or other reference materials.

<u>TEST GUIDE</u>: The New York State Department of Civil Service has not prepared a test guide for this examination. However, candidates may find information in the publication 'General Guide to Written Tests' helpful in preparing for this test. This publication is available on line at: <a href="https://www.cs.ny.gov/testing/testguides.cfm">https://www.cs.ny.gov/testing/testguides.cfm</a>.

**NOTE:** Bring positive identification to the written examination such as a driver's license, passport or student identification which contains a photo and your signature. Candidates will not be admitted without the proper identification.

**TIME AND PLACE OF EXAMINATION:** Accepted candidates will be notified by letter when and where to appear for this examination. If notice of acceptance or disapproval is not received at least three days prior to the examination date, please call this office at (315) 366-2341.

The written test is being prepared and rated by the New York State Department of Civil Service in accordance with Section 23-2 of the Civil Service Law. The provisions of the New York State Civil Service Rules and Regulations dealing with the rating of examinations will apply to the written test.

**ADDITIONAL CREDIT**: In conformance with section 85-a of the Civil Service Law, children of firefighters and police officers killed in the line of duty shall be entitled to receive an additional ten points in a competitive examination for original appointment in the same municipality in which his or her parent has served. If you are qualified to participate in this examination and are a child of a firefighter or police officer killed in the line of duty in this municipality, please inform this office of this matter when you submit your application for examination. A candidate claiming such credit has a minimum of two months from the application deadline to provide the necessary documentation to verify additional credit eligibility. However, no credit may be added after the eligible list has been established.

<u>VETERAN'S CREDIT</u>: Veterans or disabled veterans who are eligible for additional credit must submit an application for veteran's credit with their application for examination or at any time between the dates of their application for examination and the date of the establishment of the resulting eligible list. <u>Applications</u> for veteran's credit are available from this office. Veteran's credit can only be added to a passing score on the examination.

Candidates currently in the armed forces may apply for and be conditionally granted veteran's credit in examinations. Any candidate who applies for such credit must provide proof of military status to receive the conditional credit. No credit may be granted after the establishment of the list. It is the responsibility of the candidate to provide appropriate documentary proof indicating that the service was in time of war, as defined in Section 85 of Civil Service Law, and that the candidate received an honorable discharge or was released under honorable conditions in order to be certified at a score including veteran's credit.

THOSE REQUIRING RELIGIOUS ACCOMMODATIONS, DISABLED PERSONS AND MILITARY PERSONNEL CALLED TO ACTIVE DUTY: IF SPECIAL ARRANGEMENTS FOR TESTING ARE REQUIRED, INDICATE THIS ON YOUR APPLICATION FORM.

BE SURE TO ENTER YOUR SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER ON YOUR APPLICATION WHEN YOU FILE. QUALIFIED CANDIDATES MUST BRING THEIR SOCIAL SECURITY NUMBER TO THE EXAMINATION AS THIS WILL BE USED AS THEIR IDENTIFICATION NUMBER IN THE EXAMINATION.

ISSUED: August 7, 2024

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