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The Garden City Police Department (GCPD) is seeking families interested in volunteering to temporarily care for children who are placed in Police Protective Custody (PPC). Children taken into PPC are victims of crimes or their parent/guardian is not available to care for them. Children would be placed with a family pending a court hearing, which is usually within 72-hours of the child being taken into PPC, excluding holidays and weekends. Court ordered placement will be made in Finney County District Court at the time of the hearing. Without temporary emergency shelter, these children may be placed in a juvenile detention facility.

Responsibilities of families volunteering to care for children are limited to providing food, shelter and transportation to school or court for the child until placement is made by the court. There is no reimbursement available for these services. If transportation is not feasible, the GCPD will transport the child. Medical costs involving the children will NOT be the responsibility of the volunteer family. Families will be asked to contact the GCPD supervisor in the case of medical attention for children.

Interested persons should fill out the attached application and submit it to the GCPD. IF there are additional questions, please contact the GCPD at (620) 276-1300.

We appreciate your consideration in helping these children in need of care.

Courtney Prewitt
Chief of Police

Garden City Police Department
Application for Emergency Foster Parent

Applicant Name: _____

Address: _____

DOB: _____

Phone Number: _____

Cell Phone: _____

Employer: _____

Work Phone: _____

Driver's License State & Number: _____

Social Security #: _____

Name of Spouse/Other Adults in Household: _____

Address: _____

DOB: _____

Phone Number: _____

Cell Phone: _____

Employer: _____

Work Phone: _____

Driver's License State & Number: _____

Social Security #: _____

Language(s) spoken in house: _____

Person who referred applicant: _____

Their address/phone number: _____

The applicant agrees to take temporary custody of each child on a temporary emergency basis until such time as the District Court of Finney County Kansas shall order more permanent placement, which will occur within 72 hours of this initial placement (excluding weekends/holidays). The applicant agrees to temporarily provide for the general care and welfare of the child/children placed with the applicant by the GCPD excluding cost of medical needs. Further, the applicant gives the GCPD permission to complete a background check prior to placement of the child/children into the applicant's residence.

Applicant(s) signature: _____

Subscribed and sworn to me this _____ day of _____ 20____

Notary Public: _____ My appointment expires: _____