## JOB OPENING

LAGRANGE COUNTY PUBLIC DEFENDER OFFICE

## **Chief Public Defender**

LaGrange County is accepting applications for a Chief Public Defender. The Chief Public Defender is responsible for the overall management of the County's Public Defender's Office, including daily administration, personnel, training, caseload management, ethics, and quality control of all areas necessary to secure high quality representation for clients appointed to the office. The Chief Public Defender shall be hired and report directly and solely to the LaGrange County Public Defender Board.

Qualifications: Doctor of Jurisprudence with a license to practice law in the State of Indiana is required. Five years of criminal law experience is preferred. Must be committed to public defense and principles that underlie the effective assistance of counsel, including equal protection and due process.

Position is salary, exempt. Benefits include health, vison, dental, and life insurance, retirement plan, paid time off, and employee assistance plan. For a full job description, interested candidates should email Jenny Landez, Human Resources Director, at jlandez@lagrangecounty.in.gov. Applications will be accepting until November 30, 2024. Position to begin in January 2025.



Click here to easily apply online, scan the QR code, or go to the Human Resources tab on the County website: www.lagrangecounty.org

LaGrange is an EOE.

