

NETWORK ADMINISTRATOR II (OC) NYS #60038650 RC/EL #25187010

Examination to be held **November 15, 2025**; Last filing date **October 10, 2025**

A \$15 non-refundable application filing fee is required. Please refer to Supplement A for further information regarding the application/examination process. Applications are available at:

https://www.rocklandcountyny.gov/departments/personnel/for-job-seekers/applicant-candidate-resources-forms

- 1. If applying online, completed applications and electronic payment must be submitted by 11:59 PM EST on the last filing date.
- 2. If applying by mail, completed applications must be postmarked no later than the last filing date accompanied by a check or money order made payable to the Rockland County Commissioner of Finance.

<u>POSITION EXISTS IN</u>: Rockland County Department of General Services, Rockland County District Attorney's Office and Rockland County Sheriff's Department.

Some of the agencies/departments listed above may not have vacancies or be filling their vacancies at this time.

An open-competitive as well as a promotion examination will be given on the same day and qualified candidates may also compete therein by filing a separate application for each. The promotion list will take precedence over the open-competitive list in filling vacancies in the agency listed, but upon its exhaustion, the open-competitive list will be used to fill vacancies occurring for a period of at least one year from the date the list was established.

RESIDENCE REQUIREMENTS: Candidates must be legal residents of the States of New York, New Jersey or Connecticut at the time of application submission for the examination.

SALARY: The starting salary is \$105,865 annually for a 40-hour workweek with County of Rockland. Salary will be pro-rated for less than full-time positions.

<u>WHAT THE JOB IS LIKE</u>: This is administrative and supervisory work involving the responsibility for developing and implementing policies and procedures to ensure the efficient operation of an agency's computer network. The work also involves oversight of the installation, configuration, maintenance and troubleshooting of network hardware and software. The work is performed under the general supervision of a higher-level administrator and supervision is provided to lower-level employees. Does related work as required.

When completing the application, your description of experience must specify the dates of your employment, the number of hours worked per week, your title, and the main duties for each. Be specific; vagueness will not be resolved in your favor. Candidates who submit incomplete applications or documentation may be disqualified.

<u>MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS</u>: At the time of application submission, you must have: A Bachelor's degree or higher <u>and</u> five (5) years of paid work experience in network administration, systems administration, computer system support/troubleshooting and/or systems analysis, two (2) years of which must have been in a supervisory or administrative capacity.

<u>NOTE</u>: A Bachelor's degree or higher in Computer Science, Management Information Systems, Business Administration or comparable degree may be substituted for two (2) years of paid work experience in network administration, systems administration, computer system support/troubleshooting and/or systems analysis.

SPECIAL REQUIREMENT: Certification in Cisco and/or Microsoft to be determined by the appointing authority.

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TRANSCRIPTS:

If using college credits to qualify, official college transcripts must be sent directly from the educational institution to the Rockland County Department of Personnel at rcexams@co.rockland.ny.us no later than two (2) months after the last filing date; student transcripts are not acceptable. Failure to comply with the deadlines set herein may result in the disapproval of your application and/or disqualification from a resulting list of eligible candidates. Your college degree and/or college credit must have been awarded by a college or university accredited by a regional, national, or specialized agency recognized by the U.S. Department of Education/U.S. Secretary of Education. If your degree and/or college credit was awarded by an educational institution outside the United States and its territories, you must provide independent verification of equivalency. Candidates are responsible for any required evaluation fees. General Information Concerning Evaluation of Foreign Education and Training, including a list of acceptable companies who provide this service, is available here: https://rocklandcountyny.gov/departments/personnel/applicant-candidate-resources-forms.

ANTICIPATED ELIGIBILITY - AGE AND EDUCATIONAL REQUIREMENTS:

According to Civil Service Law, section 54 which became effective September 4, 2024, applicants who are within 12 months of meeting the minimum age or attaining the minimum educational requirements following the date of examination, may take the civil service exam, but will be restricted from certification until such a time that the minimum age or educational requirements are met. Candidates will be required to provide proof of qualifying age and/or education within 12 months of exam date in order to be eligible for appointment from a certified list.

<u>ALL OUTSTANDING APPLICATION DOCUMENTATION</u>: Must be submitted to the Rockland County Department of Personnel no later than two (2) weeks prior to the exam date. Failure to comply with the deadlines set herein may result in the disapproval of your application; disqualification from sitting for the examination; and/or disqualification from a resulting list of eligible candidates. These deadlines are subject to change by the Rockland County Department of Personnel upon notice to a candidate.

SUBJECT OF WRITTEN EXAMINATION:

- 1. <u>Preparing Written Material</u> These questions test for the ability to present information clearly and accurately, and to organize paragraphs logically and comprehensibly. For some questions, you will be given information in two or three sentences followed by four restatements of the information. You must then choose the best version. For other questions, you will be given paragraphs with their sentences out of order. You must then choose, from four suggestions, the best order for the sentences.
- 2. <u>Administrative Techniques and Practices</u> These questions test for a knowledge of management techniques and practices used in directing or assisting in directing a program component or an organizational segment. Questions cover such areas as interpreting policies, making decisions based on the context of the position in the organization, coordinating programs or projects, communicating with employees or the public, planning employee training, and researching and evaluating areas of concern.
- 3. Principles and Practices of LAN Administration These questions test for knowledge of procedures and terminology applicable to administering a local area network (LAN). They cover such subjects as installing, configuring and upgrading a network; establishing user accounts and assigning access rights; monitoring network performance and troubleshooting; dividing networks and linking to other networks; creating and documenting procedures for users; and establishing and maintaining network security. The questions are not specific to any particular LAN.
- 4. <u>Principles of Networked Communications</u> These questions test for basic concepts and terminology of data communications. They cover such subjects as data communications, types of networks, modems, security, protocols, topologies, transmission media, wiring, installation and troubleshooting. The questions are general in scope and are not specific to any vendor or system.
- 5. <u>Supervision</u> These questions test for knowledge of the principles and practices employed in planning, organizing, and controlling the activities of a work unit toward predetermined objectives. The concepts covered, usually in a situational question format, include such topics as assigning and reviewing work; evaluating performance; maintaining work standards; motivating and developing subordinates; implementing procedural change; increasing efficiency; and dealing with problems of absenteeism, morale, and discipline.

USE OF CALCULATORS IS ALLOWED FOR THIS EXAMINATION

<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 online at: https://www.cs.ny.gov/testing/testguides.cfm.

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