

Sheriff Salaries of the Five Maryland Counties Closest in Population to Frederick County

Howard County

2026 Population: 344,322

2026 Sheriff Salary: \$191,942

Updated: HB885, 2022

Frederick County

2026 Population: 309,643

2026 Sheriff Salary: \$125,000

Hartford County

2026 Population: 267,000

2026 Sheriff Salary: \$202,199

Updated: SB599, 2020

Charles County

2026 Population: 178,898

2026 Sheriff Salary: \$202,199

Updated: HB 712, 2005 (placed salary at "the highest available step for a lieutenant colonel," where it has remained since 2005)

Carroll County

2026 Population: 177,854

2026 Sheriff Salary: \$191,942

Updated: HB1060, 2024

Washington County

2026 Population: 159,452

2026 Sheriff Salary: \$126,630

Updated: SB325, 2023