

POST CERTIFIED PATROL OFFICER

The Patrol Officer position includes performing routine patrol activities, responding to and investigating civil-criminal complaints and traffic accidents, enforcing all traffic laws, criminal laws and city ordinances, and performing associated administrative responsibilities.

Minimum qualifications for the position:

- Current TN P.O.S.T. Certification
- Must be at least 18 years of age
- High school graduate
- No convictions, guilty plea, or nolo contendere to any felony charge or to any violation of any federal, state laws or city ordinances relating to force, violence, theft, dishonesty, gambling, liquor or controlled substance
- Any military discharge must be honorable
- Must be able to pass a post-offer physical, psychological exam, and drug screen.
- Candidate must be able to pass a physical agility evaluation, and the National Police Officer Selection Test
- Valid Tennessee Driver's License
- Acquire and maintain training and certifications
- Must be willing to work rotating shift schedules, nights, weekends, and holidays.

Pay and Benefits:

Starting hourly rate \$22.50 per hour.

- Medical Benefits paid at 100% for employee, 60% for family.
- 457 and 401A Retirement Plans with an employer match of up to 9%
- Employer paid local gym membership
- Take Home Car Program (for officers that meet applicable residency requirements)

Please visit our website, <https://cityofathenstn.com/career>, to view the job posting and print an application. You may submit a cover letter and resume to supplement the application and provide additional information about your work history and qualifications.

Please submit the completed application, cover letter, and resume via email to hresources@athenstn.gov or drop off your application materials at City Hall, Human Resources Department, 815 N. Jackson Street, Athens, TN.

The City of Athens is an Equal Opportunity Employer. All qualified applicants will receive consideration for employment without regard to race, color, religion, sex, national origin, age, disability, protected veteran status, or any other legally protected status. If you require a reasonable accommodation to participate in the application or interview process, please contact Human Resources at 423-744-2719 or hresources@athenstn.gov