

Police Officer Applicant Pool

The City of Goodlettsville Police Department continuously accepts applications for our Police Officer Applicant Pool. To be qualified for this applicant pool, you must:

- Have a high school diploma or GED,
- Be POST certified or the ability to become certified;
- Possess valid Tennessee driver's license;
- Minimum of twenty-one (21) years of age;
- Meet the Minimum Standards POST Law (TCA 38-8-106)
 - Be a U.S. Citizen,
 - Not have been convicted of or pleaded guilty to or entered a plea of nolo contendere to any felony charge or to any violation of any federal or state laws or city ordinances relating to force, violence, theft, dishonesty, gambling, liquor and other alcoholic beverages or controlled substances;
 - Not have been released or discharged under any other than honorable discharge from any of the armed forces of the United States;

When a police officer position becomes available, those candidates that meet the above qualifications will be subject to a thorough background investigation in order to determine applicant's character, qualifications, and fitness for duty. If selected to move forward in the application process, additional steps must be passed:

- Oral interview board
- Interview with the Police Chief

If selected for the position, a conditional offer of employment will be made. Applicant must pass these exams to become a Police Officer.

- Polygraph examination;
- Physical examination and drug screen;
- Psychological examination;

Communications Officer/Dispatcher Applicant Pool

The City of Goodlettsville Police Department continuously accepts applications for our Police Communications Officer/Dispatcher Applicant Pool. To be qualified for this applicant pool, you must:

- Have a high school diploma or GED,
- Be a U.S. Citizen
- Must complete a TCIC computer course and maintain certification;
- Possess valid Tennessee driver's license;
- Minimum of eighteen (18) years of age
- Not have been convicted of or pleaded guilty to or entered a plea of nolo contendere to any felony charge or to any violation of any federal or state laws or city ordinances relating to force, violence, theft, dishonesty, gambling, liquor and other alcoholic beverages or controlled substances;
- Not have been released or discharged under any other than honorable discharge from any of the armed forces of the United States;

When a communications officer position becomes available, those candidates that meet the above qualifications will be subject to a thorough background investigation in order to determine applicant's character, qualifications, and fitness for duty. If selected to move forward in the application process, additional steps must be passed:

- Oral interview board
- Interview with the Police Chief

If selected for the position, a conditional offer of employment will be made. Applicant must pass these exams to become a Police Communications Officer.

- Physical examination and drug screen;
- Psychological examination;