

CITY OF BOWLING GREEN, KY

NOW ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS

for

POLICE OFFICER

Application packets are available for Police Officer openings that will be filled in 2012. Applications are accepted twice a year, so now is the time to apply if you want to join one of the most progressive police departments in Kentucky. Starting pay - \$35,139 (\$38,239 upon completion of basic training).

MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS TO APPLY:

Age 21 - 50 by March 1, 2012	U. S. Citizen
Valid driver's license	Good driving, police, personal, & employment record
High School Diploma or equivalent	
* Males between 18 & 26 registered with the Selective Service	

Preference will be given to individuals with 60 college credit hours **OR** 4 yrs. military service (active or reserve) **OR** certified officers **not** currently under contract with another law enforcement agency.

* Out of state officers must provide documentation of ability to become KY certified at time of application (Tattoos cannot be visible while in uniform and body studs and/or earrings will not be worn while on duty)

SELECTION CRITERIA - MUST PASS:

- > Written test indicating interest in related work, reading comprehension, ability to interpret information, map reading, mechanical aptitude, reasoning ability.
- > Physical agility test, including job-related practical skills.
- > Oral interview; polygraph; psychological test; background investigation; drug test.

TENTATIVE SCHEDULE AND IMPORTANT DATES:

- **January 27** – deadline to submit completed applications and test deposit
- **February 4** – POPS Fitness Test **Practice Session**
- **February 11** – Written Test, Psychological Test immediately after
- **March 1 & 2** – State certification physical agility and psychological testing
- **March 26 – June 11** – Polygraph/Psychological Evaluation/Backgrounds/
Oral Interview
- **August 27** – Candidates start to work
- **September 9** – 18 week Basic Training begins
- **February 1, 2013** – Graduation of Basic Academy

HOW TO GET AN APPLICATION AND MORE INFORMATION:

Complete application packets are available on our website at www.bgky.org or in the Human Resources Department, Bowling Green City Hall, 1001 College Street, weekdays 7:30 a.m. - 4:30 p.m. Central Time. Applicants who live outside of Warren County can download the packet from our website.

Completed applications must be submitted by 4:00 PM, January 27.

The City of Bowling Green is an Equal Opportunity Employer & a Drug-Free Workplace