

CITY OF BOWLING GREEN, KY

NOW ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS

for

POLICE OFFICER

Application packets are available for Police Officer openings that will be filled in 2008. 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 - \$32,323 (\$35,423 upon completion of basic training).

MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS TO APPLY:

Age 21 by June 2, 2008	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 (Tatoos 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:

- **February 1** – deadline to request application packet be mailed
- **February 8** – deadline to submit completed applications and test deposit
- **February 9** – POPS Fitness Test **Practice Session**
- **February 23** – Written Test; must receive passing score to continue on to Physical Skills Test immediately following
- **March 6 & 7** – State certification physical agility and psychological testing
- **March 17 – May 9** – Polygraph/Psychological Evaluation/Backgrounds/Oral Interview
- **June 2** – Candidates start to work
- **June 8** – 18 week Basic Training begins

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 or request that a packet be mailed, by calling (270) 393-3689 or 1-877-260-3987 during the above business hours or email ann.venhaus@bgky.org.

**The deadline to request an application be mailed is February 1.
Completed applications must be submitted by 4:00 PM, February 8.**

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