

Rome Police Department

Police Officer Positions Available

The Rome Police Department employs 96 sworn personnel. Our agency prides itself on professionalism and excellence in service. We are a Nationally and State Accredited agency that follow set standards of practice. Employees are valued as the department's greatest asset. We are committed to providing officers with state of the art equipment and training.

Benefits

SALARY

Non-Certified Applicant.....\$39,900*
Certified Applicant w/o Experience.....\$40,950*
Certified Applicant w/1yr Experience.....\$42,000*

*Base salary + 8hr built in overtime per month

- Officers are eligible for promotion to Police Officer First Class, with a \$2,000 increase, after 2 years.
- Education incentives: \$1,000/year for 2 year degree, \$1,500/year for 4 year degree.
- Additional pay incentives: Take home car program, shift differential pay, SWAT officers, bilingual employees, FTO duty pay, and certified EMT.

INSURANCE

- Health—City pays a substantial portion of employee's health insurance. Dependent coverage is available at an additional cost.

EDUCATIONAL REIMBURSEMENT PROGRAM

Reimburses employees pursuing college degree:

- \$3,000.00 annually towards Associate's Degree
- \$4,000.00 annually for Bachelor's Degree
- \$5,000.00 annually for Master's Degree

RETIREMENT

- 1.) Defined benefit—100% Paid by City
- 2.) POAB Retirement Pension—50% Paid by City
- 3.) 457 Defined Contribution—1.50% Salary Match

LEAVE

- Annual Vacation Leave: 160 hours earned per year (increases with time of service)
- Sick Leave: Accrues at 96 hours annually
- Military leave: Compliant with state and federal laws

Career Opportunities

- Patrol Division
- Motorcycle Officer
- DUI Enforcement
- Investigator
- Juvenile Operations
- Warrant/ID Officer
- Explorer Program
- Training Division
- Bicycle Unit
- K-9 Officer
- SWAT
- Crime Prevention
- School Resource Officer
- Community Relations

Equipment

- We issue complete uniform and duty gear.
- Computers equipped as GCIC Mobile Data Terminals in all patrol units.
- Class B uniforms (soft style) with exterior carriers.
- Citation printers in all patrol cars & motorcycles.
- Dashcam & microphone system in all patrol units.
- 800MHz digital radio system—portable and in-car.
- Outdoor gun range, Indoor gun range, and Interactive computer-based firearm simulator for training.
- Take home car program (after probationary period).
- Body cameras, Tasers, rifle armor kits, and more.

Minimum Requirements

- At least 21 years old and a US citizen.
- Have a high school diploma or approved G.E.D.
- Possess a valid Driver's License and an acceptable driving record (no D.U.I. conviction in last 3 years nor more than 15 points against your license).
- Be of good moral character: No felony convictions or misdemeanor convictions/pleas involving moral turpitude or domestic violence, neglect or abuse.
- Be in good physical condition.
- If a Veteran, possess an honorable or general under honorable condition discharge.

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