

JOB OPENING ANNOUNCEMENT

Job Title: Police Officer (Certified)

Reports to: Police Sergeant

Department: YAPD

Job Vacancy: YAN-26-89

Status: Full-Time; Non-Exempt

Starting Wage: DOE

Opening Date: 07-27-26

Closing Date: Until Filled

POSITION DESCRIPTION:

The Police Officer performs a variety of law enforcement work associated with patrol, traffic control, and routine investigations.

QUALIFICATIONS:

- High School Diploma or GED required.
- Must be Arizona Post Certified
- Knowledge of Police operations, principles and practices, including investigating, patrol, communications, records, public relations and crime prevention is preferred.
- **Must have a valid Arizona Driver's License and be insurable with the Nation's auto insurance policy and sustain insurability throughout the duration of employment.**
- Ability to communicate effectively with different age groups.
- Ability to make effectively presentations on controversial topics.
- Evidence of continuing educations to maintain any required Certification/License and update knowledge and skills.
- Must be 21 years of age prior to completion of the Police Academy

DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:

- Patrols the Yavapai-Apache Nation community, including off-road sites, in a radio-equipped vehicle to preserve law and order by discovering/preventing the commission of crimes and enforcing State and Tribal Laws and Ordinances.
- Respond to calls involving automobile accidents, robberies, assaults, fights, domestic disturbances, and other criminal activities and civil complaints.
- Secure crime scenes, identify witnesses, conduct preliminary investigations, and generally re-establish law and order at the scene.
- Prepares statistical activity reports, complaints, affidavits, and other legal/technical documents.
- Enforces Traffic Laws and Ordinances by checking vehicle speed and issuing warnings and/or citations as appropriate.
- Prepares reports to document the facts of an incident and facilitate the apprehension prosecution, and conviction of the perpetrator.

- Supports and interfaces with other employees and Tribal Members.
- Conducts, attends, and interacts in meetings with Yavapai-Apache Nation personnel, other public agencies and the public.
- Maintains professional education and interaction at meetings/conferences to keep abreast of changes in requirements which affect the Nation and current trends in the field.
- Maintains a positive working relationship with other Tribal employees.
- Participates on various Nation work groups.

PHYSICAL REQUIREMENTS:

The employee must occasionally lift and/or move up to fifty (50) pounds. Specific vision abilities by this job include close vision, distance vision, peripheral vision, depth perception and ability to adjust focus. The noise level in the environment is typical of an office setting, where noise levels should be minimal, with occasional direct response to incident scenes where noise may be extreme. While performing the duties of this job the employee is required to sit, talk or hear, stand, walk, use hands to finger, handle or operate objects, tools or controls, and reach with hands and arms.

How to apply: Please submit your resume and application to:
Yavapai-Apache Nation / Human Resources
2400 W. Datsi / Camp Verde, AZ 86322
P: 928-567-1062 / Fax: 928-567-1064
www.yavapai-apache.org

INDIAN PREFERENCE:

Preference will be given to qualified applicants who are members of federally recognized Indian tribes. To be considered for Indian Preference, you must submit your Certificate of Indian Blood (CIB) with your application.

**WILL BE REQUIRED TO PASS A PRE-EMPLOYMENT DRUG SCREEN AND
COMPLETE A BACKGROUND CHECK WHICH WILL INCLUDE
FINGERPRINTING**