



**Police Officer  
Canton Police Department**

The Town of Canton is currently accepting applications for the position of Police Officer. This position is a full time permanent employment opportunity. The Canton Police Department serves a rapidly growing community and requires all employees to hold and maintain the highest standards. Minimum requirements for positions are listed below. However, some experience in law enforcement work is preferred. Applications are available at the Canton Police Department located at 58 Park Street, Canton NC 28716 during normal business hours. General questions should be directed to The Canton Police Department Monday-Friday 8:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. at (828) 648-2376. Pre-employment drug-screening and physical are required prior to being hired, along with successful background investigation. The Town of Canton is an Equal Opportunity Employer. Applications accepted until filled.

- Must be at least 21 years of age.
- Must be a U.S. Citizen.
- High School Diploma or G.E.D.- College preferred
- Valid North Carolina Driver's License
- Must not have committed, been charged with or convicted of any Felony
- Must not have committed, been charged with or convicted of any Class A-1 or Class 1 Misdemeanors
- No Class 2 or Class 3 Misdemeanor convictions within the past five (5) years
- Must reside within 20 minutes of the agency
- 2 years' experience preferred
- Must pass oral interview and panel interview
- Successful completion of Basic Law Enforcement Training (BLET)
- Must pass Personnel Evaluation test (Administered by Agency)

**BENEFITS**

- North Carolina State Retirement Program
- 12 Hour Shifts
- Medical
- Dental
- 401K

Applications must be submitted to:

Town of Canton  
C/O Canton Police Department  
58 Park Street  
Canton, NC 28716