

CITY OF ATHENS  
FIREFIGHTER

This position involves responding to emergency calls, conducting fire suppression activities, vehicle extrications, emergency medical services, inspection and maintenance of vehicles, stations and hydrants. The physical requirements are identified as heavy work. All applicants must have a high school education or equivalent and a valid Tennessee driver's license. Candidates must have the minimum state approved Introduction to Fire and Emergency Services , Basic Firefighter, and State approved NFPA 1403 Firefighter 1 live burn. Preference will be given to candidates that have a Tennessee Commission on Firefighting Firefighter 1 certification. Successful applicants must obtain HMA and HMO, Firefighter 1 and 2, and a minimum of licensed emergency medical responder (EMR) within 36 months of employment. The starting annual salary is \$42,765.00. Must be able to workdays, nights, weekends and holidays. Background checks will be conducted.

Applications will be accepted through May 13th at 5:00 p.m. and are available at the Human Resources Department, City of Athens, 815 N. Jackson Street, Athens - Monday thru Friday 8:00am-5:00 pm or online at [www.athenstn.gov/jobs](http://www.athenstn.gov/jobs).

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