



is accepting applications for a  
**Full-Time Certified Police Officer**

The Town of Amherst is seeking potential candidates for the position of Certified Police Officer.

Benefits of working for the Amherst Police Department include:

- Smallest State Accredited Agency in Virginia
- Professional Development Plan
- Tuition reimbursement
- Individual offices
- 100% employer paid health insurance for employees only
- VRS Retirement
- Paid holidays
- Paid time off based on years of VRS service, not Town service
- Continuous training efforts
- Take home car if home is within 5 miles of Town limits

Starting pay is \$46,018.44 – \$54,096.29 annually, dependent on certifications, years of experience, and education.

Successful applicants will undergo a panel interview, as well as pass a background investigation, substance abuse screening, psychological testing, polygraph exam, and physical exam.

Interested applicants are encouraged to complete and submit the Town of Amherst application to [ryan.watts@amherstva.gov](mailto:ryan.watts@amherstva.gov) or it can be dropped off/mailed to Amherst Town Hall at 174 South Main Street, PO Box 280, Amherst, VA 24521. Applications will be accepted until the position is filled.

*The Town of Amherst is an Equal Opportunity Employer.*