DAVIS POLICE DEPARTMENT  
Collateral Assignments  
Patrol Officer - Bicycle Qualified

Duties of Patrol Bicycle Officer

Under the direction of the Watch Commander, Patrol Bicycle Officers may be temporarily assigned to fulfil their regular assigned duties while using a bicycle.

The Patrol Bicycle Officer may be assigned regular “beat duties” for the downtown core area, crime suppression and special enforcement, bicycle traffic enforcement and working special events.

Bicycle officers serve at the pleasure of the Police Chief.

Minimum Requirements

1. Minimum one year experience as a police officer.
2. Ability to attend and pass an approved patrol bicycle course.
3. Demonstrated history of traffic enforcement.

Application Process

Upon announcement of a vacancy, qualified officers must submit a letter of interest to Professional Standards, which includes; time in law enforcement, previous specialty assignments, and any special skills possessed which could benefit the team. Applicants who meet the minimum requirements for the position may be invited to participate in an interview panel. The interview panel, if used, and/or the Patrol Commander will then make a recommendation to the Police Chief, or their designee, regarding a final appointment.

Position Training

Required prior to assignment

1. Successfully Complete POST Patrol Bicycle Officer Course