

City of Tempe

REAL TIME OPERATIONS CENTER OPERATOR

JOB CLASSIFICATION INFORMATION				
Job Code:	645	Department:	Police	
Supervision Level:	Non-Supervisor	State Retirement Group:	ASRS	
Status:	Classified	Market Group:	Communication Dispatcher II+	
Safety Sensitive / Drug Screen:	Yes	Physical:	No	
Click here for more job classification information including current salary range.				
*Drug screen required when assigned to the Police Department.				

REPORTING RELATIONSHIPS

Receives general supervision from supervisor or management staff.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS

Experience:	Two (2) years of experience working in a law enforcement or public safety	
	environment in a sworn or professional staff position.	
Education:	High school diploma GED or equivalency.	
Additional:	Must pass police polygraph and background examination.	

ESSENTIAL JOB FUNCTIONS

Essential job functions are the fundamental duties of a position: the things a person holding the job must be able to do.

To actively support and uphold the City's stated mission and values. To perform a variety of complex duties to support priority calls for service by gathering and disseminating critical information in real time to first responders and public safety supervisors who are responsible for the management of public safety emergencies. Specific duties include but may not be limited to accessing law enforcement information systems to aid responding officers with information, monitoring real-time video feeds to support law enforcement responses to reported crimes or, evaluating CAD calls or incoming 911 calls to determine if additional intelligence can be gathered to provide to responding officers, writing supplemental reports as required.

OTHER DUTIES AS ASSIGNED

Please note this job description is not designed to cover or contain a comprehensive listing of all activities, duties or responsibilities that are required of the employee for this job. Duties, responsibilities and activities may change at any time with or without notice.

- Observes, detects, and appropriately reports to dispatchers and responding officers' elements
 of crime that are observed through video streams. Recognizes suspicious behaviors and
 circumstances appearing on video feeds, and records date, time and camera location, or
 digitally records those activities when appropriate under policy.
- Conducts open source and restricted queries using specialized criminal justice intelligencebased databases. Provides intelligence sharing and investigative assistance to patrol, investigation, and other public safety personnel in real time.
- Operates desktop, laptop, network, and secure system computers; public safety radios and telephones; access, navigate and record when permissible under policy, disparate video systems accessible through RTOC platform; operates other equipment as assigned.
- Performs key functions requiring technical expertise and attention to detail such as entry, query, and retrieval of investigative data; location of source documents and reports from a variety of computer networks to include police department, city, state, county, and federal computer systems, as well as investigative, intelligence and open-source applications.
- Simultaneously listens to public safety radio transmissions, monitors call for service on Computer.
- Applies criminal justice and legal protocols, follows all related agency policies, and exercises technical expertise in the capture, preparation, and storage of data and video work product.
- Notifies supervisory staff of important and/or critical incidents.
- Participates in on-going training to remain current in work methods, procedures, and related laws. Accepts direction from supervisor(s) and carries out assigned tasks.
- Communicates effectively, both verbally and in writing, facts and circumstances of importance during and immediately following a police response to crime, often during dynamic and stressful conditions.

COMPETENCIES			
CLASSIFICATION LEVEL	INCLUDES	COMPETENCIES	
Foundational	All Employees	Inclusion, Communication, Interpersonal Skills, Integrity, Professionalism, and Willingness to Learn	
Non-Supervisory	In Addition >	Teamwork, Customer Service, Initiative, and Dependability / Reliability	
Supervisory	In Addition >	Staffing, Monitoring Work, Delegating, Development / Mentoring, and Support Others	
Manager	In Addition >	Preparing / Evaluating Budgets, Monitoring / Controlling Resources, and Motivating / Inspiring	
Deputy Director	In Addition >	Entrepreneurship and Networking	
Director	In Addition >	Organizational Vision	
For more information about the City of Tempe's competencies for all classifications:			
City of Tempe, AZ : Competencies			

JOB DESCRIPTION HISTORY

Effective February 2024