

JEFFERSON CITY, TENNESSEE

Resolution 2025 - 13

**A RESOLUTION GRANTING PERMISSION FOR
OFF-DUTY JEFFERSON CITY POLICE OFFICERS
TO WORK WITH THE UNIVERSITY OF
TENNESSEE POLICE DEPARTMENT**

WHEREAS, The University of Tennessee Police Department traditionally employs police officers, deputies and troopers from other police agencies to provide law enforcement for all University of Tennessee home sporting events, especially football games; and

WHEREAS, the City of Jefferson City Police Department has been requested to assist with those events by utilizing off-duty officers; and

WHEREAS, Jefferson City Police Department officers will be deputized and bonded by the Knox County Sheriff's Office while employed at events on campus. The University of Tennessee will provide workers' compensation coverage and hourly pay for those officers who chose to participate; and

WHEREAS, the University of Tennessee Police Department agrees that the officer's primary employment is of the utmost importance and takes precedence, and that certain situations could result in the officer to be called back to active duty in Jefferson City.

NOW THEREFORE, BE IT RESOLVED that the City Council of Jefferson City grants permission for off-duty Jefferson City Police Department officers to be employed by the University of Tennessee Police Department.

FURTHERMORE, the Council understands that the Jefferson City Police Department officers will participate while utilizing their City issued patrol units, uniforms and equipment to proudly represent the City of Jefferson City at the University of Tennessee.

ADOPTED this 6th day of May, 2025.

APPROVED:

Mitch Cain, Mayor

Attest: _____
Bettina Chandler, City Recorder