

6/28/2023

Dear Chief Stanford,

Please accept this as my formal resignation from the Ashland Police Department. My last day of employment will be 6/23/2023. I am grateful for all of your support during my time here and deeply appreciate all of the valuable training and experiences I have gained. It has been a sincere pleasure working with you and the team.

Unfortunately my income at the Ashland Police Department was insufficient to pay the cost of living for me and my family. I had hoped that I showed enough interest for an opportunity with animal control to get a pay increase but was turned down on the option. I know you have worked diligently on getting pay raises for the department and have exhausted your best efforts. I unfortunately can't afford to wait any longer on these options for a pay increase and have started back manual labor until a department with sufficient pay can accommodate me.

Best wishes, and thank you for everything,  
Dylan J. Waldrep