

Now Hiring!

City Manager

City of East Ridge, Tennessee



About East Ridge

Known as the Gateway to Tennessee at Exit 1 off Interstate 75, East Ridge is a vibrant, fast-growing community bordering Chattanooga and the Georgia state line. Home to the Chattanooga Red Wolves, Camp Jordan multi-use sports complex, Topgolf, and Venue 1921, East Ridge blends small-town heart with metro-area momentum.

22K+

Residents

180

Employees

\$27.8M

General Fund

8

Square Miles



Momentum & Vision

The City continues to invest in its future through vibrant community spaces, infrastructure modernization, and strong regional partnerships. Major projects such as the Venue 1921 event center and Camp Jordan improvements reflect East Ridge's forward-thinking approach to growth, recreation, and quality of life.



A Growing Legacy

Venue 1921 at East Ridge is a centerpiece project set to open in February 2026. The next City Manager will continue guiding this and other transformational projects that define East Ridge's growth story.

Apply Now

Submit your completed application, résumé, and cover letter to msinigaglio@eastridgetn.gov or mail to
City of East Ridge

Attn: Michelle Sinigaglio, Human Resources Director
1517 Tombras Avenue, East Ridge, TN 37412.

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City Manager Opportunity

Lead a growing community at a pivotal moment in our City's history

Position Overview



Chief Administrative Officer reporting to a five-member Mayor & City Council



Oversees all City operations, departments, and personnel



Implements Council policies, ordinances, and strategic city-wide initiatives



Serves as a collaborative partner to elected officials, staff, and stakeholders

Ideal Candidate



Experienced local government leader with strong financial acumen



Proven ability to manage people, projects, and public resources



Skilled in Economic & Community Development and intergovernmental relations



Approachable, engaged, and service-oriented leadership style

Minimum Qualifications & Requirements



Bachelor's degree in Public or Business Administration (or related field)
Masters of Public Administration (preferred)



Minimum 3 years of consecutive public management experience in a supervisory role (City Manager or Assistant City Manager) within local government; 10+ years experience (preferred)



Salary Range: \$145,000 - \$160,000 (dependent on qualifications)



Benefits: Competitive municipal benefits package



Residency: Must reside in Hamilton County or relocate to East Ridge within 12 months of employment