



## OFFICIAL BOND MINIMUMS\*

Official	Minimum Amount of Bond*	Code Sections
Accounts and Budget Director (1957 Act Counties)	\$100,000	T.C.A. § 5-13-103
Assessor of Property	\$50,000	T.C.A. § 67-1-505
Auditor	Determined by county legislative body	T.C.A. § 8-15-102
Clerks of Court (Circuit Court Clerk, Clerk and Master, General Sessions Clerk)	\$100,000 in counties with population greater than 15,000; \$50,000 in counties with population less than 15,000. Courts can require additional bond to cover property in hands of clerk or when the clerk acts as a commissioner or receiver.	T.C.A. § 18-2-201
Constable	Not less than \$4,000 nor more than \$8,000	T.C.A. § 8-10-106
Coroner	\$2,500	T.C.A. § 8-9-103
County Clerk	\$100,000 in counties with population greater than 15,000; \$50,000 in counties with population less than 15,000.	T.C.A. § 18-2-201
County employees not otherwise covered by statutory individual bonds	\$150,000 blanket bond	T.C.A. § 8-19-101
County Mayor	\$100,000	T.C.A. § 5-6-109
County Road Commission	Set by county legislative body	T.C.A. § 54-9-119
County Surveyor	\$2,000	T.C.A. § 8-12-102
Development District	Revenue based - Calculation formula**	T.C.A. § 13-14-114



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Director of Schools	\$100,000	T.C.A. §§ 9-3-301, 49-2-102
Finance Director (1981 Act Counties)	\$100,000	T.C.A. § 5-21-109
Highway Chief Administrator	\$100,000	T.C.A. § 54-7-108
E911 District	Revenue based - Calculation formula**	T.C.A. § 7-86-119
Human Resource Agency	Revenue based - Calculation formula**	T.C.A. § 13-26-110
Notaries Public	\$10,000	T.C.A. § 8-16-104
Process Server	\$5,000 (Shelby \$15,000)	T.C.A. § 8-8-108
Purchasing Agent (1957 Act Counties)	\$100,000	T.C.A. § 5-14-103
Registers	\$100,000 in counties with population greater than 15,000; \$50,000 in counties with population less than 15,000	T.C.A. § 8-13-103
Sheriff	\$100,000	T.C.A. § 8-8-103
Special Deputy	\$50,000	T.C.A. § 8-8-303
Trustee	Based upon amount of office revenues	T.C.A. §§ 8-11-102, 8-11-103

\* The bond amounts listed are only the minimum amounts required by law. Bonds of greater amounts may be required by the approving authority.

\*\* Calculation formula:

Four percent (4%) up to three million dollars (\$3,000,000) of the funds collected by the office;  
Two percent (2%) of the excess over three million dollars (\$3,000,000) shall be added; and  
The amounts shall be cumulative.