

Firefighter

Department: Fire	Pay Grade: 13
Reports to: Fire Chief	Hiring Salary Range: \$28,460 - \$35,575
FLSA: Non-Exempt	Deadline to Apply: Until Filled

General Statement of Duties

Performs responsible fire suppression, rescue, and incident response activities including emergency medical response on an assigned shift within the Fire Department.

Knowledge, Skills, and Abilities

Requires working knowledge of:

- Modern methods of attacking fire emergencies and of the use and maintenance of firefighting apparatus and equipment.
- Incident response including response to hazardous materials spills and emergency medical service calls.
- Emergency medical procedures as a EMT Basic or First Responder
- Departmental rules and regulations.
- City streets and layout.
- Skill in the operation of department equipment and apparatus (where assigned)
- Ability to make sound judgments in emergency situations.
- Ability to maintain effective working relationships with employees, volunteers, officials, and members of the public, and to speak effectively before groups in public educational situations.

Physical Requirements

Must be physically able to perform the basic life functions of climbing, balancing, stooping, kneeling, crouching, crawling, reaching, pushing, pulling, lifting, grasping, feeling, talking, and hearing; be able to perform heavy work exerting up to 100 pounds of force occasionally, and/or up to 50 pounds of force frequently, and/or up to 20 pounds of force constantly to move objects; possess the visual acuity to size up the color, volume, and extent of fire involvement at fire scenes; conduct visual inspections; use firefighting equipment, use a computer, and to prepare records and reports.

Desirable Education and Experience

Graduation from high school supplemented by completion of courses and seminars in fire service; with fire service experience; or, an equivalent combination of experience and education.

Special Requirements

Possession of a valid North Carolina driver's license; Certified Firefighter certification, and Incident Command System 100 and 200. Ability to obtain North Carolina EMT Basic, and North Carolina Rescue Technician within the one year of hire.

Submit City of Henderson employment application via email to: cohjobs@ci.henderson.nc.us; mail to: City of Henderson, Attn: HR Department, PO Box 1434, Henderson, NC 27536; or fax to 252-492-7935. Applications may also be picked up in person at City Hall, 134 Rose Avenue, Henderson, NC 27536. All applicants are subject to pre-employment background and drug screen. Full benefit package. EOE.

Posting Date: 11/30/2016