



DREXEL HEIGHTS FIRE DISTRICT

Recruitment Notice

Recruiting for

FIREFIGHTER – EMT'S & FIREFIGHTER - PARAMEDICS

KEY DATES

Application Period Opens:
May 2, 2022

Application Period Closes:
First Review: May 15, 2022

Round 1:
Entrance Exam:
May 21, 2022

Chiefs' Interview:
May 26, 2022

Physical Abilities Testing:
June 3, 2022

Conditional Job Offers:
June 6, 2022

Academy Start Date:
September 12, 2022

Additional exam rounds
may be scheduled
as needed.

*All job offers will be contingent upon successful completion of: medical exam including drug screen, psychological screening, background & driving record review, and fingerprint check.

The Drexel Heights Fire District are currently accepting applications to fill multiple Firefighter (Paramedic and Emergency Medical Technician) positions. The District will conduct a joint academy with Green Valley Fire District. Upon successful completion of the Academy, you may be offered immediate employment at Drexel Heights Fire District or Green Valley Fire District.

POSITION SUMMARY

The Firefighter (EMT or Paramedic) responds to emergency and non-emergency calls, performing firefighting, emergency medical care and hazard control. Respectful customer, service, teamwork, and respect for diversity are priorities when working for Drexel Heights Fire District.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS AT THE TIME OF APPLICATION SUBMISSION

- Be eighteen (18) years of age or older
- Possess a High School diploma or G.E.D. equivalent
- Valid and Unrestricted Driver's License (Upon start of the GVFD/DHFD Academy, must have an Arizona Driver's License)
- Arizona Firefighter I and II certification or NFPA 1001 equivalent, such as IFSAC or ProBoard
- Hazardous Materials First Responder-Operations Level
- Basic Wildland Firefighter
- Arizona Emergency Medical Technician or National Registry Emergency Medical Technician
- Current Healthcare Provider CPR
- Ability to speak, read, and write the English language
- Ability to meet DHFD physical standards for Suppression personnel
- Ability to meet insurability requirements of District's insurance carriers

PREFERRED QUALIFICATIONS AT TIME OF APPLICATION SUBMISSION

- Paramedic – AHA CPR Card and ACLS

SALARY RANGE – Starting pay for the Academy is \$15.07 per hour. Following the Transitional Academy, base pay is \$15.47 per hour plus annual incentives for paramedic (\$6500/year), and other specified certifications.

EXAMINATION PROCESS - The competitive process will include application review, entrance exam, physical ability test, and Chief's interview. Five preference points given for Paramedic, Veterans and/or six (6) month of active employment as a Community Services Technician. This process will be repeated in rounds until all positions are filled.

The District has multiple vacancies to fill.

Apply at www.drexelfire.org