



JOB ANNOUNCEMENT

FIREFIGHTER-PARAMEDIC

PERMANENT FULL-TIME POSITION

This position is paid at salary range 729 between:

\$52,297.20 - \$67,744.00 Annually

Beginning Rate: \$52,297.20

This recruitment is to fill the current vacancy and to establish an eligibility pool.

RESPONSIBILITIES

Firefighter-Paramedics are skilled firefighters as well as advanced emergency medical technicians. While the work is performed under the general direction of the Fire Captain, Firefighter-Paramedics must exercise independent judgment to assess and quickly respond to emergency situations. Incumbents perform advanced emergency medical procedures within the scope of their licensure under the supervision of a sponsoring physician and serve as the Lead Emergency Medical Services Officer on medical calls. The physical ability to perform strenuous physical activities including life threatening fire fighting in emergency situations; running, walking, crouching or crawling; moving equipment; lifting, carrying, or otherwise moving injured/deceased people; climbing stairs/ladders performing life saving and rescue procedures; walking, standing or sitting for extended periods of time; operating assigned equipment and vehicles. The work may be performed under emergency conditions and in inclement weather. The work may involve intensive life-threatening situations, and exposure to fire, smoke, noise, body fluids, sharp instruments, chemicals, and hazardous equipment. The firefighter- paramedic is expected to maintain excellent physical conditioning.

MINIMUM QUALIFICATIONS

High School graduation or possession of a GED certificate; **AND**

Not less than 21 years of age **at time of appointment**; **AND**

Applicants must possess or obtain a valid Alaska Driver's License **at time of appointment and for continued employment**; **AND**

At time of application either:

- 1) Valid license from the State of Alaska as a Mobile Intensive Care Paramedic; **OR**
- 2) Certification with the National Registry of Emergency Medical Technicians as an EMT-Paramedic **AND** evidence of successful completion of a 480 hour paramedic internship; **OR**
- 3) Equivalent licensure in another state, province or territory. (Note: appointment will be made conditionally pending successful completion of the written and practical examination for emergency medical technician-paramedic administered by the National Registry of Emergency Medical Technicians **by date of appointment**.)

DESIRABLE QUALIFICATION

Certification as a State of Alaska Firefighter I or an equivalent certification as determined by the Fire Chief is highly desirable but not required.

An Associate's or Bachelor's degree from an accredited college is highly desirable.

NOTE: Appointment to a Firefighter – Paramedic position will be made conditionally pending successful completion of all portions of the psychological assessment and the medical evaluation.

The employee must continue to maintain licensure as a State of Alaska Mobile Intensive Care Paramedic to perform the duties of this position.

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CLOSING DATE

A completed CBJ application form Number P001, resume **AND a criminal background check AND driving record issued by the Department of Public Safety in the applicant's state of residence** must be received in the Personnel Department to be considered. **This position will remain open until filled.** This bulletin announces open until a five-day notice of closing is posted.

The criminal background checks and driving records submitted must account for the five years preceding the date of application.

WHERE TO APPLY

City and Borough of Juneau
Personnel Department
155 South Seward, Room 106
Juneau, Alaska 99801

<http://www.juneau.org/personnel/jobs>

NOTICE TO APPLICANTS

This recruitment will be used to create an eligible list to fill existing vacancies and others, which may occur within the next two years from effective date subject to an interview and re-evaluation of the candidate's current job performance.

The City and Borough of Juneau may revise or change the examinations or examining procedure at any time during the period, and require candidates to meet the revised examination procedures or pass the revised examinations to maintain eligibility for appointment.

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