



JOB ANNOUNCEMENT

Firefighter/EMT and Firefighter/Paramedic

Elk Creek Fire Protection District is now accepting applications for Firefighter/EMT and Firefighter/Paramedic positions. Applications must be received no later than 17:00 on December 31, 2019. To apply, submit an ECFPD application, resume and cover letter via email to employment@elkcreekfire.org. Applications and job descriptions are available at www.elkcreekfire.org/employment-opportunities.

The fire district has 3 openings currently. Applications submitted now will also be considered for openings in the following 12 months.

The general responsibilities of this position include: extinguishing structure and wildland fires; providing emergency medical care to the sick or injured and transporting to the hospital; responding to fire alarms, hazmat and other emergency calls to protect life and property; driving emergency apparatus; performing technical rescues; performing assigned service and maintenance of apparatus, equipment and stations; performing fire prevention, public education and public relations duties; performing community services and other duties that fall within the guidelines of the mission and goals of the District.

Elk Creek Fire Protection District is a combination department that covers Aspen Park, Conifer and Pine Junction, Colorado. The fire district responds to approx. 1300 calls per year in an area of mixed residential, commercial and recreational properties. Calls include 60% EMS and 40% fire. The district has a focus on wildland fire due to the WUI risk and provides opportunities for out of district fire assignments.

The fire district currently has one company officer and two firefighters per shift as well as a roster of 32 volunteer members. There are also two career Chief Officers, a wildland captain and a wildland fire suppression module.

Shifts are 48 hours on/96 hours off. All employees may be subject to a one-hour call back, and must reside within a 60 minute travel time to Elk Creek Fire Station 1 within 6 months of hire.

Salary Range is \$46,468 to \$58,741 for Firefighter/EMT and \$53,438 to \$67,552 for Firefighter/Paramedic. The district also offers a competitive benefits package.

The fire district is an equal opportunity employer and encourages women and minorities to apply.

Minimum Qualifications

1. Two years or more of experience as a firefighter/EMT or Firefighter/Paramedic.
2. Experience in structural firefighting, emergency medical services, wildland firefighting, fire prevention and rescue.
3. Ability to possess and maintain a State of Colorado Structural Firefighter 1 certification.
4. Ability to possess and maintain a valid Colorado EMT-B certification within six months of hire.
5. Ability to possess and maintain a State of Colorado Hazardous Materials Operations certification.
6. Current NWCG red card certification as Firefighter Type 2 or higher.
7. Meet annual physical fitness requirements as established by the District.
8. Ability to possess and maintain a valid State of Colorado driver's license within six months of hire.