



EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY – FIREFIGHTER/PARAMEDIC

The City of Wisconsin Rapids Police and Fire Commission is currently accepting applications to establish an eligibility list for the position of entry level Firefighter/Paramedic. All previous eligibility lists will become null and void.

Minimum Requirements

- U.S. Citizenship and at least age 18 at time of hire.

- **Education**

An applicant must meet the following minimum requirements at time of hire:

- 1) Associate degree in Fire Protection, Fire Science, or Paramedicine;
OR
- 2) Minimum of 60 college-level credits in a related field.

- Nationally Registered and/or State of Wisconsin licensed EMT-Paramedic at time of hire.
- Firefighter I & II Certification (WTCS Board or IFSAC Accredited) at time of hire.
- A valid CPAT certificate at time of hire.
- Must be of good character, verified by background investigation prior to hire, and possess ability to work well with team members.
- Reside within 30 miles of the boundaries of the City of Wisconsin Rapids within one year from date of hire.
- Possess a valid WI Driver's License.
- Any certifications or licenses referred to in the above subsections must be current at time of application and **supporting documentation must be provided at the time of application.**

Compensation

Starting salary for 2021 is \$55,619.14, with increases at 6 and 12 months, plus an attractive fringe benefit package, to include group health, dental, and life insurance and participation in the State Retirement Plan.

Examination Procedures

If qualifications have been met, you will be invited to take the CPAT and written examination through Chippewa Valley Technical College (CVTC). CPAT and exam must be completed prior to interviewing with the department.

Application Procedure

Application materials may be obtained from www.firedepartmenthiring.com.

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