

The City of Polk City is currently accepting applications for a full-time position of Firefighter/Paramedic.

SUMMARY DESCRIPTION:

Under the general direction of the Fire Chief, the Firefighter/Paramedic performs fire suppression, rescue operations, fire prevention activities (e.g. public education, fire inspections, etc.) and patient care in emergent and non-emergent settings. Performs routine vehicle, tool and facility maintenance on a daily basis.

QUALIFICATIONS:

- High School Diploma or equivalent with 1-3 years of related work experience in clinical/medical and fire experience
- Successful completion of department orientation within three months of employment
- Fire Fighter I certification or equivalent required; Fire Fighter II preferred
- Iowa Paramedic required, National Registry Paramedic preferred, within 3 months after hire.
- Valid Iowa Drivers' License
- Advanced Cardiac Life Support, if Paramedic certified
- Basic Life Support Certification

The starting salary range for the position is \$43,800.00 to \$64,240.00 DOQ with an excellent benefits package. This is a full-time position that will work approximately 53 hours per week with a schedule that could require work during the work day, at night or on the weekends. This schedule could change. This is a non-union classified position. Written and physical ability evaluations are required for this position. Information packets shall be emailed to qualified candidates explaining the written and physical fitness evaluation process and applicable dates for completing each process. Employment is contingent upon successful completion of a post-offer drug screening, physical capacity profile, treadmill test, occupational medical exam NFPA 1582, background check and passing the Central Iowa Fire & EMS Testing Consortium. Successful completion of both the written and physical examination within the past 12 months will be accepted. CPAT is accepted as well.

Please submit resume, cover letter, Polk City employment application, copies of certificates and drivers' license to Captain Karla Hogrefe at karla.hogrefe@polkcityfd.com or mailed to:

Polk City Fire Department
c/o Captain Karla Hogrefe
P.O. Box 34
Polk City, IA 50226

Email or telephone inquiries for the position may be directed to Captain Karla Hogrefe at 515-984-6304. Position will remain open until filled. The City of Polk City is EOE.