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JOB ANNOUNCEMENT

Lateral Part-Time Firefighter EMT/Paramedic

The Lower Valley Fire Protection District is seeking to hire Lateral Part-time Firefighter EMT/ Paramedics. We will be accepting applications to fill current vacancies and to establish a pool for future candidates. We are looking for forward-minded individuals that work well within a team environment in stressful situations. This posting is open until filled. Testing will be schedule upon receipt of application packet.

COMPENSATION:

Part-time Firefighter/ EMT (Lateral Hire): \$20.00 per hour
Part-time Firefighter/ Paramedic (Lateral Hire): \$25.00 per hour

QUALIFICATIONS REQUIRED AT TIME OF APPLICATION:

- Citizen of the United States of America and at least 18-years of age
- High school diploma or general equivalency diploma (GED)
- Valid Colorado driver's license
- Current Colorado Emergency Medical Technician – Basic or Paramedic certification on Mesa County EMS Protocol
- Colorado Firefighter 1
- Colorado Hazmat Operations
- NIMS ICS 100, 200, 700, 800
- NWCG S-130/190 & L-180
- Sound physical health and mentally fit to perform firefighting and emergency medical duties.

WORK SCHEDULE:

Maintain a minimum of 24 hours with a maximum of 72 hours per two week pay period

APPLICATION PROCESS:

Interested applicants can pick up an application packet from the administration offices between 8:00am-4:30pm Monday through Friday. Applications are also available on our website lowervalleyfire.com under the Employment tab. Return completed application containing all required attachment to administration offices.

SELECTION PROCESS:

- Application packet – Accepted Year round
- 4-hour Ride-A-Long Required prior to testing (to be scheduled upon receipt of application)
- Modified combat challenge physical ability testing
- Interview panel process
- Chief's interview process
- Criminal history background check- Completed following Chief's interview
- Medical physical exam- Due within 2 weeks of receiving conditional offer
- Drug and alcohol screening- Due within 2 weeks of receiving conditional offer