



Fort Osage Fire Protection District

POSITION ANNOUNCEMENT FIREFIGHTER PARAMEDIC

Position Description:

The Fort Osage Fire Protection District is accepting applications for the position of Firefighter Paramedic. The Firefighter Paramedic will work as a team member in the functions of emergency medical services and fire suppression operations, in both emergency and non-emergency operations. Individuals hired shall be able to work as a driver/operator for both fire and ambulance type apparatus. Responsibilities include daily support of shift operations, in relation to building, grounds, equipment, and apparatus maintenance, directing personnel in the assessment and treatment of injured people, and conducting fire inspections and Fire & EMS Prevention programs, along with other members of the company. Work shift: 24 on / 48 off.

Minimum Requirements:

- Must be 18 years of age at time of employment
- Must possess and maintain a valid driver's license
- Must possess and maintain Missouri Paramedic License
- State Certification of Firefighter 1 & 2
- State Certification of Hazardous Materials Awareness & Operations
- Must possess current CPAT certification or District sanctioned agility test

Fort Osage Fire Protection District provides fire, emergency medical and rescue services to approximately 14,000 citizens within the Cities of Buckner, Sibley, Levasy, Village of River Bend, and the surrounding unincorporated area of northeast Jackson County. This progressive district serves an area of 110 square miles from two staffed stations and one volunteer station. The District has thirty (30) career employees (includes command and administrative staff) and twelve (12) volunteer firefighters.

Applications are available on our website www.fortosagefire.org or call our administrative office at 816-650-5811. Resume and professional references, along with completed application must be postmarked by **February 27, 2012** to: **Fort Osage Fire Protection District P.O. Box 287 Buckner, MO 64016**. You may contact Deputy Chief Jeremy Young at (816)650-5811 with any questions or concerns. The District has the right not to hire any of the applicants for the position, or to terminate the hiring process at any time, in its sole discretion. Fort Osage Fire Protection District is an EOE.

Successful completion of post-offer criminal background screening, drug test, and medical physical are required. Starting annual salary for Firefighter Paramedic is \$32,000 plus excellent benefit package.