

**Town of Farmington**

Title: Part Time Firefighter/EMT  
Department: Fire Service

Date: May 2018  
EEO Class: 5

**POSITION SUMMARY:**

Performs skilled firefighting, emergency medical, and rescue work at the scene of fires and other emergencies.

**GENERAL DUTIES:**

- Performs general maintenance duties on fire equipment, apparatus and in the firehouse.
- Responsible for performing firefighting and rescue services.
- Performs regular building maintenance within the firehouse.
- Performs maintenance on equipment such as mechanical repairs, oil changes, and lubrication.
- Responsible for seeing that hoses, nozzles and related fire equipment are in good repair.
- May perform fire and hazardous material inspection and investigation duties, when trained.
- May provide water and operate pumper at the scene of a fire. Performs related duties as required.

**ADDITIONAL DUTIES:**

- Good knowledge in maintenance and servicing of fire department vehicles and equipment.
- Good ability to communicate orally and in writing including the ability to discuss technical matters clearly and concisely.
- Considerable ability to establish and maintain effective working relationships with coworkers, Town officials, volunteers, other governmental agencies, and the general public.

**SUPERVISION RECEIVED:**

Receives general supervision from the Volunteer Fire Chief of the station to which they are assigned.

**QUALIFICATIONS**

Skills and knowledge required are generally acquired with a high school education, completion of the Town's requirement of Firefighter 2, EMT certification, Hazardous Materials Awareness & Operational Level and a Connecticut Class 2 license with Q Endorsement or CDL B with Tanker Endorsement. Knowledge of fire and hazardous material inspection and investigation duties preferred.

**PHYSICAL DEMANDS:**

The physical demands described here are representative of those that must be met by an employee to successfully perform the essential functions of this job. Reasonable accommodations may be made to enable individuals with disabilities to perform the essential functions. While performing the duties of this job, the employee is regularly required to use hands to handle, feel and operate office equipment, or controls and reach with hands and arms. The employee is frequently required to sit. The employee is occasionally required to walk; talk or hear; sit; and smell. Specific vision abilities required by this job include close vision, and must also be able to see objects far away as in driving and the ability to adjust focus. The employee must frequently lift and/or move up to 50 pounds and occasionally lift and/or move in excess of 100 pounds or more. Candidate is required to have valid CPAT card within the last (1) year.

**WORK ENVIRONMENT:**

The work environment characteristics described here are representative of those an employee may encounter while performing the essential functions of this job. Reasonable accommodations may be made to enable individuals with disabilities to perform the essential functions. While performing the duties of this job, the employee will work in outside weather conditions. The employee occasionally is exposed to wet and/or humid conditions. The employee occasionally works in cold or adverse conditions.

**LICENSES OR CERTIFICATION:**

- Class 2 Connecticut Driver's License with Q Endorsement or CDL-B with Tanker Endorsement
- Certification from the State of Connecticut as a Firefighter 2 (IFSAC or ProBoard)
- Current Certification from the State of Connecticut as an Emergency Medical Technician
- Current American Heart Association CPR/AED Completion Card
- Hazardous Materials Awareness & Operational Level

**CAREER POSSIBILITIES**

Promoted from: Entry Level

Promoted to: Increase responsibilities with the growth of the Town