



Job Announcement
Extended and Revised
Firefighter – Entry Level

Salary

Starting salary: \$37,204.19

Second year: \$38,315.23

Third Year: \$39,469.09

Fourth Year: \$40,654.02

Full-time, non-exempt position, plus benefit and incentive package. To see full benefit and incentive package and to apply visit www.ozarkfire.org/jobs.

The closing date for application is 5:00 PM, on Monday, January 3, 2022.

Hiring a workforce reflecting the diverse community we serve is essential to delivering exceptional services and programs. The Ozark Fire District is committed to creating and supporting an inclusive and welcoming environment for all employees to thrive. We value, respect, and empower employees as unique individuals with authentic voices and diverse ideas.

ABOUT THE OZARK FIRE PROTECTION DISTRICT

The Ozark Fire Protection District serves 110 square miles of Christian County Missouri. We provide emergency services to the cities of Ozark, Fremont Hills, and portions of Christian County. We also provide automatic aid for the communities of Nixa, Rogersville, Sparta, Highlandville, and Chadwick.

With an annual budget of \$3.8 million, Ozark Fire District employs 37 personnel, of which 36 are sworn. We pride ourselves on providing **highly trained staff** with state-of-the-art equipment to serve residents, visitors, and businesses. With around-the-clock emergency fire, EMS, and life safety outreach services, Ozark's three fire stations are strategically located throughout the 110 square mile area of the District.

Ozark Fire District and its personnel are committed to providing **integrity and excellence** in every aspect of the services we provide.

General Statement of Duties

Responds to emergency calls to provide fire suppression, rescue, emergency medical services, and support of fire prevention duties as assigned; other responsibilities include maintenance of fire stations, equipment, and apparatus; participates in drills and training activities and is actively involved in public outreach events as scheduled.

Minimum Requirements

- High school diploma or General Equivalency Diploma (GED)
- IFSAC or ProBoard Firefighter I & II
- State of Missouri Emergency Medical Technician license or higher, or a National Registry of EMT's Emergency Medical Technician certification or higher at time of appointment.
- Ability to obtain Missouri EMS reciprocity within three months of hire.
- Successful completion of Tri-State Recruiting Alliance test within past 12 months, **OR** **successful completion within the probationary period.**
- Be at least 18 years of age by the closing date of the recruitment period.
- Possession of a valid State Driver's License, and a safe driving record;
- Be in good physical health as determined by a medical examination and physical agility course.

To Apply

Step 1: Complete the application and submit to jobs@ozarkfire.org, by the closing time and date as set forth in the timelines identified below.

Step 2: Upon successful completion of an interview panel, complete medical clearance and physical agility, as administered by a third-party, a conditional offer will be made.

Tentative Recruitment Timelines

First round interviews	Tuesday January 11, 2022
Conditional offers	Wednesday, January 19, 2022
Firefighter Start	Monday February 21, 2022

Required Attachments

- Resume