

# CITY OF BLACK HAWK EMPLOYMENT ANNOUNCEMENT

Internal/External

POSITION:	FIRE FIGHTER
DEPARTMENT:	FIRE
<b>REQUISITION #:</b>	1063 – 3 OPENINGS (To be filled by end of 2018) (Start date in January)
STATUS:	FULL-TIME; NON-EXEMPT; SIX (6) MONTH INTRODUCTORY PERIOD
SALARY:	\$56,212 - \$64,643 (PAID HOURLY)
WORK SCHEDULE: 48 HOUR ROTATING SHIFT	
OPENING DATE:	SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 1, 2018
CLOSING DATE:	SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 30, 2018 @ 4:00 P.M.

## SUMMARY:

The City of Black Hawk is currently accepting applications for the position of Fire Fighter. The Firefighter performs general firefighting duties, and is required to remain prepared and ready to respond to all calls for assistance. Studies city street maps, pre-fire plans, and other material preparatory to being called on an alarm. A high degree of independent judgment, initiative and understanding of Fire Department policies, rules and regulations and the overall goals of the organization are required. Must have an in-depth understanding of fire behavior, and understand response protocols. Must have the ability to understand complex orders and concepts, and be able to communicate the same. Must have a good understanding of machinery, and preventative vehicle maintenance and minor vehicle repair.

### **ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS:**

- Firefighter is assigned to work a 48 hour shift, and when not on an alarm be engaged in station work, which consists of preventative maintenance on all Fire Department vehicles, cleaning and maintaining the station and the surrounding grounds.
- Maintain physical fitness and job related training as assigned.
- Firefighter must be familiar with the buildings in the City, to include the location of the annunciator panel, FDC, standpipe connections, how to read the panel and locate the activated alarm device.
- Read and understand the Policies of the City of Black Hawk, the rules and regulations and the standard operating
  guidelines of the Department.
- Conducts studies and recommends, to his/her Lieutenant new or different equipment, methods and supplies to accomplish the goals of the Department in the most effective and efficient manner.
- Responds to alarms of fire or other emergencies and determine the resources needed.
- Attend department meetings and briefings relative to Fire Department operations and activities.
- Teach classes on a variety of subjects to other fire personnel and the Citizens of the Community.

## **REQUIREMENTS:**

The Firefighter must have a high school diploma or equivalency certificate. The Firefighter must possess a Colorado Driver License with a good driving record. Must have and maintain a State of Colorado Department of Health certification as an EMT-B, and current CPR certification. Must successfully complete an NFPA 1582 compliant physical prior to employment. Must have and maintain a State of Colorado Firefighter I certification. Must have and maintain a current State of Colorado Hazmat Operations Certificate. Within 90 days of employment must successfully complete required NIMS courses (IS 100 and IS 700) and the Arduous Pack Test.

## TO APPLY:

Please go to the City website at www.cityofblackhawk.org. to apply online or you may also apply online at City Hall which is located at 201 Selak Street in Black Hawk. <u>Please note</u>: <u>Applicants are required to upload their resumes and certifications</u> during the online application process or be disqualified Please be sure your resume includes all educational information and reflects the past ten (10) years' work history.

## EQUAL OPPORTUNITY EMPLOYER