



Wildland Firefighter Announcement

Temporary Aide Position

Helicopter Crew Member



LOCATION

Montrose, Colorado

Preferred NWCG Qualifications: HECM, FFT1, FAL2

Requirements

- Possess a valid driver's license (Any State)
- Must Pass Back Ground Check
- Must complete Polygraph
- Must pass physical exam and drug Test
- Successfully complete 45lb Packtest

PAY

\$15.00-\$18.00 per hour

NORMAL SCHEDULE

40 Hour weeks. Days off will vary. Start date is April 1st through October 31st. Employee's must be available during DFPC's helicopter contract period.

DFPC website and social media
www.colorado.gov/pacific/dfpc/DfpcJobs
<https://www.facebook.com/CODivFirePreventionControl/>



The Colorado Division of Fire Prevention and Control is currently seeking applicants for the 2020 wildland fire season. Temporary Aide Firefighters operate as part of a team whose main purpose is to reduce the threat of wildland fire in Colorado, through mitigation and suppression activities.

This position is for a Helicopter Crew Member. The priority for this position is to staff one of the two state helicopters. Employees will also have the opportunity to work on hand crews, engines and other resources if desired and needed. Resources and employees may be assigned away from the home base location for extended periods, to meet the needs of the State.

These are temporary positions and are not part of the Colorado "State Classified" employee system, but they do receive retirement benefits through PERA. Length of employment may be amended by DFPC to meet the needs of the State. Employees receive overtime after 40 hours in a week. These positions are typically 6 to 7 month appointments.

Wildland Firefighters are subject to hazardous environments and will work long hours for multiple days straight. Employees will spend extended days away from home. The priority for the State's helicopter is to operate within Colorado, but may be sent to other states if needed. Currently the state operates two Helitack crews consisting of a 12-person team operating a type 2 medium helicopter. These two helicopters operate from two locations; Montrose, CO and Cañon City, CO.

Physical fitness goals for our Helitack crew members are as follows: 1.5 mile run in 11:00 or less, 25 pushups in one minute, 45 sit-ups in one minute, 7 pull-ups, and a 90 pound packtest under 90 minutes. The standard 3 mile 45-pound pack test in 45 minutes is the required minimum.

Top applicants will be granted an interview. Successful interviewees must complete a criminal background investigation, polygraph, drug screen and a medical examination before an offer of employment can be made. The State of Colorado is an equal opportunity employer.

Interested persons must apply utilizing the DFPC Temporary Aide Application attached below. Additional attachments should be submitted along with the application electronically. Applicants are welcome to meet at the Montrose office if desired. Please coordinate by email for time and location.

Submit DFPC temporary Aide application, resume, and master record to:
cdps_dfpc_helitack@state.co.us

Please title the email "**Application Montrose**" in the subject line. The deadline for the 1st round hiring is Jan 24th 2020. Incorrect submission will result in your application not being received.





Temporary Aide Job Application

Wildland Firefighter



Position Applied For _____

Position Location _____

Name _____ Date _____

Address _____

City _____ State _____ Zip _____

Phone _____ Cell _____

Email _____

Qualifications

Drivers License Number _____ State _____

Type _____ Expiration Date _____

NWCG "Red Card" Qualifications _____

Other Qualifications / Abilities _____

NWCG Training Courses Completed _____

Applicant must attach copies of NWCG training certificates, Task Books, Incident Qualification Cards and IQS or IQCS Master Records and submit with this application

Personal References

1) Name _____ Relationship _____

Phone _____ Email _____

2) Name _____ Relationship _____

Phone _____ Email _____

3) Name _____ Relationship _____

Phone _____ Email _____

Employer _____ Salary _____

Location _____

Supervisor _____ Phone _____

Dates Employed _____ to _____ Reason Left _____

Job Duties _____

Employer _____ Salary _____

Location _____

Supervisor _____ Phone _____

Dates Employed _____ to _____ Reason Left _____

Job Duties _____

Applicant may attach additional sheets or resume to assist the application reviewers in determining eligibility for the job being applied for. Each application stands alone, so materials submitted in other applications cannot be considered unless submitted along with the current application. All application materials must be received no later than the date indicated on the job announcement. Incomplete, inaccurate or late applications will not be considered and will be retained. If you have any questions, please contact the official noted on the job application.

I the undersigned do hereby declare that all statements made by myself in the execution of this application are true and accurate to the best of my knowledge. By signing this application, I authorize the State of Colorado, its agents or designees, to contact any references, stated or not, to determine my eligibility for employment. I understand that this application does not constitute an offer of employment and is not a guarantee of interview or employment. Applicants will be interviewed and successful applicants will continue through the screening process before an offer of employment can be made. Applicants may be subject to criminal background investigation, polygraph exam, drug screening, medical and physical evaluation.

Signature _____ Date _____

Office Use

Date Received _____ by _____ Date Reviewed _____ By _____

DNI Hold Interview Date of Interview _____ Location _____

Interviewer (s) _____

Recommend: Hire Hold