

CITY OF LAFAYETTE, COLORADO invites applications for the position of:

Fire Marshal

SALARY: \$46.98 - \$70.47 Hourly

OPENING DATE: 02/20/20

CLOSING DATE: 03/31/20 05:00 PM

GENERAL SUMMARY:



Administrative and professional work in support of Fire Department operations as the department specialist in fire code inspection.

ESSENTIAL FUNCTIONS:

- Responsible for program development and implementation and inspections to ensure compliance with fire codes and ordinances.
- Review plans for structural, electrical, plumbing, and mechanical compliance with fire codes and ordinances; review quality of materials and methods of construction used.
- Review and approve permits, inspect buildings and other structures to determine compliance with fire codes and other applicable laws and regulations; answer inquiries and technical questions.
- Inspect work in progress to ensure that construction is progressing in a fire safe manner and in accordance with approved plans and specifications; investigate complaints regarding construction; maintain records of inspections.
- Oversee arson investigations.
- Continually review performance of operations, and evaluate utilization of fire department resources; maintain records and make reports as required.
- Assist in annual budget preparation.
- May respond to emergency calls.
- Perform related work as required and assigned.

TYPICAL QUALIFICATIONS:

KNOWLEDGE: Thorough knowledge and understanding of department policies, procedures and standards of professional conduct; comprehensive knowledge of applicable codes and ordinances; terminology, tools, methods, and materials to ensure compliance and make inspections and complete reports.

SKILL: Demonstrated skill in the operation of equipment necessary to perform functions of the position.

ABILITY: Interface with other City departments, City Council and the public; interpret plans and specifications; prepare reports and keep accurate records; communicate tactfully and effectively with contractors, co-workers, and the public; express ideas clearly and concisely, both orally and in writing;

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establish and maintain effective working relationships with employees, the public, and other agencies; plan, assign, instruct, supervise and direct the work of subordinate personnel.

EVIDENCE OF QUALIFICATIONS:

TRAINING: Bachelor's Degree in Fire Engineering preferred or Associate's Degree in Fire Science and Technology. Possession of a current and valid Colorado Driver's license, a safe driving record, Colorado State Fire Inspector III or Colorado State Fire Inspector II, and Colorado State Fire Suppression Systems Plans Examiner.

EXPERIENCE: Five years experience in the fire inspection field, with additional experience in building construction, or the building trades. Experience must include reading blueprints, thorough knowledge of building codes, and the use of reference material relating to codes. Four years of experience as a career firefighter is required, or any equivalent combination of training and experience that provides evidence that the applicant possesses the required knowledge, skills and abilities.

APPLICATIONS MAY BE FILED ONLINE AT: http://www.cityoflafayette.com/jobs Position #202000022 FIRE MARSHAL AH

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