

City of Pelican Rapids Job Description

Job Title: Firefighter
Department: Fire Department
Date: 12/5/18

Firefighter's objective shall be the preservation and protection of property against fires and other emergencies as may occur within the City of Pelican Rapids, Minnesota, and contracted townships and adjoining cities.

Must be between the ages of 18 – 64

Must reside within 5 miles from the Pelican Rapids Fire Hall

Must have a valid Drivers license

Applicant must pass a background check

Applicant must pass a health physical

Applicant must be in good physical condition and be able to frequently do the following tasks; Lift 50 pounds or more, be able to stand, walk, bend, walk up and down stairs and use ladders, must be able to be on their feet for extended periods of time, work in confining areas, must be able to use an SCBA. Work in extreme weather conditions, respond at all times of the day / night. Applicants must be able to communicate clearly in English and must be able to work around children, adults and the public.

In house Training; we hold our trainings on the 2nd Thursday and Training & Meeting the last Thursday of the month. There are also times that we have special training sessions that are held during the week or on weekends. You must attend 2/3 of all trainings.

New firefighter 1 training; The school and certification is approximately 140 hours and may take up to 2 years to complete, you are also required to attend all of our in-house training approximately 50 hours annually.

FIRE CALLS; We require you to maintain a minimum of 2/3 attendance on all fire calls which occur at all hours of the day including nights, holidays, and at the most inopportune moments.

Pelican Rapids Fire Department / City have the right to change job description as needed.
Pelican Rapids Fire Department / City of Pelican Rapids is an equal opportunity employer.