

## **FIREFIGHTER**

**Posting date:** June 19, 2018

**Posting deadline:** June 29, 2018 at 2:30 pm

**Pay Grade:** 9 - Entry Level; 12 – FFI; 13 – FFII; 14 – Senior FF

The City of Elberton is currently seeking qualified applications for a firefighter in the Fire Department.

### **NATURE OF WORK**

An individual in this job classification is responsible for performing general fire work in the protection of life and property endangered by fire and other emergency situations. This involves the education, prevention and extinguishing of fires and the precaution to prevent rekindling. The work involves an element of personal danger.

### **EDUCATION, TRAINING, AND EXPERIENCE REQUIRED**

Minimum background requirements: (a) must be at least 18 years of age, (b) a citizen of the United States; possess a high school diploma or equivalent, (c) a valid Georgia driver's license, and (d) pass a background check and drug screening.

*Residency Policy: To provide policy and guidelines for the residency of all fire department members. It shall be the policy of the Elberton Fire Department that any member of the department lives within a thirty-five (35) mile radius of the department. This shall also include working second jobs within the above stated distance.*

### **KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS, AND ABILITIES**

Basic knowledge of firefighting techniques that are usually obtained while participating in a volunteer firefighting program. Applicants may be expected to participate in a written and agility examination in order to provide evidence of basic firefighting skills as well as meet the minimum physical fitness requirements as prescribed by the Firefighters Standards and Training Council.

A full copy of the job description may be obtained by contacting the City Clerk.

Compensation will be based on qualifications and experience. Applications are available at City Hall, Monday – Friday, 8AM to 5PM. Submit completed applications to the City Clerk located at City Hall, 203 Elbert Street, Elberton, GA 30635. ***The City of Elberton is an Equal Opportunity Employer and a Drug Free Workplace.***