

**\*\*\*CURRENT JOB OPENINGS\*\*\***  
**\*\*\*FIREFIGHTER TESTING SCHEDULED – MAY 15<sup>TH</sup>, 2018\*\*\***

**Part-Time / Full-Time Firefighter:**

The City of Paragould is currently accepting applications for the position of Firefighter. Only Part-time openings are currently available, however this testing is for both Full-time and Part-time positions. The test date has been set for Tuesday, May 15th at Station 2, 1505 E. Lake St. All applicants that pass the agility, written exam, interview and background check will be eligible for any open positions for 1 year.

To be eligible to test you must have a current application on file with the City and must have a medical waiver signed to be able to run the agility course.

Applicants for Fire Fighter positions must meet the following criteria established by the State of Arkansas and the City of Paragould.

- An applicant must be at least twenty-one (21) years of age.
- An applicant must have a high school diploma or GED certification.
- An applicant must have by time of hire a valid State driver's license class D and maintain licensure for the duration of employment in this position.
- An applicant must be of good moral character. A comprehensive background investigation will be conducted.
- An applicant will be required to pass a physical agility test based upon required fire activities/duties.
- An applicant must live or move within two and one half (2.5) miles of the Paragould City Limits when hired and for the duration of employment in this position.
- Pass SCBA Respiratory test.
- Complete all state and department required certifications for fire fighters/drivers.
- Successful applicants for this position must complete Rookie School at the Arkansas Fire Academy or pass Firefighter one and two modules within one (1) year of hire.

The following certifications must be obtained shortly after the date of hire:

NFPA FFI and FFII  
Structure Fire I  
Structure Fire Advanced  
Intro to Fire Protection  
Intro to Protective Equipment (SCBA)  
Wildland Fire Suppression

Applications may be printed from the Human Resources or Job Openings page or picked up from City Hall located at 301 W. Court St. Applications may be returned to the Human Resources office Monday thru Friday from 8:30am to 4:00pm. When returning completed applications, a résumé must be attached. Contact Human Resource Director, Tisha Baldwin @ (870)239-7511, with any questions.

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