



Job Posting

RDCK Fire Department Balfour-Harrop Firehall

LIEUTENANT VOLUNTEER

INTERNAL POSTING

The RDCK is an equal opportunities employer

Under the direction of the Captain or designate Chief Officer, a lieutenant is responsible for assisting in implementing the organizational goals and direction of the Volunteer Fire Department in order to ensure that the loss of life, property or injury as a result of an emergency incident is prevented and/or minimized.

The Lieutenant reports to a Captain or Assistant Fire Chief. As an entry level leadership position, the Lieutenant is responsible for assisting in the direction of activities of volunteer fire fighters.

REQUIRED QUALIFICATIONS, SKILLS AND ABILITIES:

- Minimum completion of all RDCK Truck Ready, Exterior and Interior requirements.
- NFPA 1001 FF2
- Train to the Structure Firefighters Competency and Training Playbook Standards of declared Fire Hall level
- Be willing to obtain certification in NFPA 1021 Fire
 Officer 1 within a reasonable timeframe
- Valid BC Drivers License appropriate to the class of vehicle being operated
- Satisfactory Criminal Record check and Drivers abstract

Please apply in form of a resume and cover letter detailing qualifications and experience relative to the position. For a more detailed job description please visit rdck.bc.ca/jobs.

To apply please complete our online form that can be found here: **Employment Application**.

Applications will be accepted until 9:00am on Sept 30, 2024.

REQUIRED KNOWLEDGE, SKILLS AND ABILITIES:

- Thorough knowledge of firefighting techniques and practices
- Understanding of the Structure Firefighters
 Competency and Training Playbook
- Knowledge of the RDCK Health & Safety Program
- Knowledge of the RDCK Standard Operating Guidelines, Bylaws and Policies
- Knowledge of Health and safety hazards related to emergency and non-emergency operations
- The ability to help educate personnel regarding the significance of accident prevention and personal wellness using verbal & written communication skills
- The ability to respond quickly and use good judgment under stress in adverse condition
- Constantly work to ensure a safe, positive working atmosphere
- Assist with special projects , purchases and acquisitions
- The ability to assist with the minor maintenance of equipment
- Monitor the safety of all scenes & training activity on an ongoing basis
- The ability to deal effectively with people in difficult situations
- Decision, analytical and problem solving skills
- Maintain standards of conduct