

FIREFIGHTER JOB ANNOUNCEMENT

CITY OF FREEPORT FIRE DEPARTMENT



Salary:

**Firefighter/EMT-B:
\$45,814.44-\$71,765.88**

**Firefighter/EMT-P:
\$49,021.44-\$76,789.44**

Benefits:

- Medical Insurance
- Dental Insurance
- Vision Insurance
- Life Insurance

- Flexible Spending
- PEHP Plan

- Vacation Leave
- Sick Leave



Questions regarding this position or the hiring process should be directed to:

firechief@cityoffreeport.org
or
dscudder@cityoffreeport.org
or by calling 815-235-8217.

The Freeport Fire Department is currently recruiting for full-time firefighter/EMT-B positions. The application period will be open from October 1-30, 2020.

The City of Freeport Fire Department is looking for exceptional firefighter candidates to become valued members of our professional and innovative public safety agency. Our recruitment goal is to grow our organization for the future, to hire members that will be representative of our community. Our mission is to provide the Citizens of Freeport with a skilled and professional Fire Department; to save lives and protect property; to lessen the impact of fire, medical emergencies, and catastrophic events. Our

mission is achieved through fire prevention, fire suppression, emergency medical service, hazardous materials response, technical rescue response, public education, and fire investigation.



Minimum requirements for this position are: Candidates between 21 to under 35 years of age, unless otherwise exempt by state statute, U.S. Citizenship, Valid Driver's License, High School Graduate or GED, Valid EMT-B issued by IDPH at the time of hire, Residency within a radius of 20 miles from City Hall upon completion of probationary period, Proof of valid International Association of Fire Chiefs (IAFC) – International Association of Firefighters (IAFF) Candidate Physical ability test (CPAT) required – at time of oral interview.

Application and information packet available at Central Fire Station 1650 S. Walnut Avenue Freeport, IL 61032 or at www.cityoffreeport.org

Applications will be available October 1 – 30, 2020.

Invitations to attend a mandatory orientation/written exam will be sent to applicants whose completed applications have been accepted.



The City of Freeport is an equal opportunity employer and does not discriminate in employment based on race, religion, sex, age, national origin, color, ancestry, marital status, or mental and physical handicaps.