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Are you interested in helping out your community? Looking for a new career?



The RFD is looking for new members to be on the paid call company to respond as Firefighters, EMT's, Fire Police and Apparatus Drivers.



The call company is made up of department personnel with scheduled shifts to respond to 911 calls. Personnel respond from home and the requirements for being on shift include: Respond to all calls, stay available within the town limits, and stay sober to respond. Members in good standing do a minimum of 3 shifts per month.

The call company is supported by full-time Fire-fighter/ Paramedics and the Chiefs, who respond directly from the station for 911 calls.

WHAT ARE THE POSITIONS?

Firefighters- A class will be held this fall to train folks to fight fires. Instruction to include training in SCBA's, ladders, history of the fire department, hose advancement, live-fire training and more. Upcoming class to be held on Tuesday nights with some Saturdays.

EMT's- in order to work in the back of an ambulance personnel must complete an EMT class. Classes are held in the area on various days or nights. EMTs will learn basic first aid, scene safety, body anatomy, medications and much more. Once the class is completed, the person must pass the National Registry test in order to become a licensed EMT.

Fire Police – we use Fire Police on fire scenes and traffic accidents to help control the traffic. You do not carry a gun nor do you have any authority to arrest people. But we use you to help provide a safe environment for personnel to work in. Training includes scene safety and the State of Maine Traffic Safety Course.



APPARATUS DRIVERS:

Every piece of apparatus needs a trained driver! All drivers must have a clean State of Maine driving license and a minimum of two years as a licensed driver. Many of our members start out as drivers and then go onto to get their FF or EMT. Training includes EVOC class- Emergency Vehicle Operators Course certification and general knowledge of the apparatus and it's equipment. Fire truck drivers are required to get pumps certification.

All applicants will need to pass a background check, physical agility test based on the position and complete on the job training. Class fees are paid by the department. Once the applicant successfully passes the class, a stipend will be paid to cover class hours.

The department trains on Wednesday nights and members are required to meet a minimum of 24 hours of training a year. All call company members are asked to do a minimum of three shifts a

month. We have day shifts from 6 am to 6 pm and night shifts from 6 pm to 6 am. Many of our members work full-time jobs elsewhere and allowances are made to get off shifts early to make it to work. Call company members need to live with-in the Town of Raymond limits to be able to respond on calls within a reasonable time.

DEPARTMENT BENEFITS:

- Great part-time Job
- Gym space
- Uniforms
- Free Required Vaccinations
- Training for a possible new career
- Resume Building

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