


<p>Scotts Valley Fire Protection District</p>	
<p>POLICY: 1708</p>	<p>SBUJECT: Firefighter Job Description</p>
<p>DATE APPROVED: 10/14/2020</p>	
<p>BOARD PRESIDENT: <i>[Signature]</i></p>	<p>FIRE CHIEF: <i>[Signature]</i></p>

FIREFIGHTER

Job Description

REPORTS TO: Company Officer

SUPERVISES: Non-Supervisory Position

BASIC FUNCTION:

Under supervision, a Firefighter:

- Protects life and property from fire and destruction by natural or manmade causes;
- Conducts rescue and salvage operations;
- Trains for and participates in varied firefighting and rescuing duties, fire protection inspection, equipment operation and maintenance;
- Responds to alarms of fire or other emergencies with an engine, ladder or squad company; Lays and connects hoses, holds nozzles and directs water, raises and climbs ladders;
- Uses chemical extinguishers, bars, hooks, etc;
- Ventilates burning buildings, removes persons from danger, administers emergency medical care, operates resuscitation equipment;
- Performs salvage operations, participates in drills, inspects fire protection systems, conducts fire prevention inspections, and participates in public safety and department training programs;
- Enforces codes and ordinances;
- Performs general maintenance and clean-up work in upkeep of apparatus, equipment furnishings and structures of the Fire District;
- Performs related work as required.
- Under the supervision of the Company Officer, the firefighter will be a mentor and help with training the volunteers and PCF's

FIREFIGHTER Step 1

CERTIFICATIONS AND QUALIFICATIONS:

- The following courses will be on file with the Training Officer prior to date of hire:
 1. Auto Extrication (F-STEP)
 2. Fire Fighter Survival (F-STEP)



3. Confined Space Rescue Awareness (CSTI)
 4. Hazardous Materials First Responder Operational (CSTI)
 5. I-100 Introduction to Incident Command System (FEMA-Online)
 6. IS-200b ICS for Single Resource and Initial Action Incidents (FEMA-Online)
 7. I-700.a NIMS National Response Plan (FEMA-Online)
 8. S-130 Firefighter Training (NWCG)
 9. S-131 Firefighter Training (NWCG)*
 10. S-133 Look Up, Look Down, Look Around (NWCG)*
 11. S-134 Lookouts, Communication, Escape Routes, & Safety Zones. (NWCG)*
 12. S-190 Introduction to Wildland Fire Behavior (NWCG) *not online*
 13. L-180 Human Factors in the Wildland Fire Service (NWCG)*
 14. Low Angle Rope Rescue (F-STEP)
- Shall successfully pass an SCO Firefighter I exam within the first year of probationary training.
 - Must possess and maintain a valid Class C California Drivers License.
 - Maintain a current EMT certification or better.
- *Or Cal Fire equivalent

FIREFIGHTER Step 2

CERTIFICATIONS AND QUALIFICATIONS:

- Shall have worked a minimum of one year as a *Firefighter* with the Scotts Valley Fire Protection District and met all requirements for *Firefighter*.
- Shall have successfully met all probationary obligations through periodic employee evaluations as outlined in Policies and Procedures.
- Shall successfully pass SCO Driver Operator 24 month exam, upon completion of the second year of probationary training, within a 24 month probationary period.
- Must obtain and maintain a valid Class B California Drivers License.
- Maintain a current EMT certification or better.