



Jollyville Fire Department

"Desire to Serve, Courage to Act, Ability to Perform"

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JOLLYVILLE VOLUNTEER FIRE DEPARTMENT

NOW ACCEPTING APPLICATIONS — FIREFIGHTER / EMT

Serve the Community. Join Our Team.

Jollyville Volunteer Fire Department is accepting applications for **Firefighter/EMT** positions. We are seeking motivated, professional individuals who are committed to serving the community, working as part of a team, and maintaining the highest standards of firefighter and public safety.

POSITION & COMPENSATION

- **Position:** Firefighter / EMT
- **Starting Pay:** \$21.00 per hour — approximately \$61,320 annually (includes FLSA OT)
- **Schedule:** 48 hours on / 96 hours off (48/96)
- **Status:** Full-Time, Non-Exempt
- **Classification:** Safety Sensitive

BENEFITS

- Employee health insurance — **100% paid by the Department**
- Retirement plan — **100% paid by the Department**
- Paid training and continuing education opportunities
- Professional development opportunities
- **Department-provided uniforms**

MINIMUM REQUIREMENTS

- TCFP Basic Structural Fire Fighter Certification
- Texas Department of State Health Services (TXDSHS) Emergency Medical Technician–Basic (EMT-B) Certification
- High school diploma or GED
- Valid driver's license
- Ability to meet Department medical and physical requirements

Additional certifications, including **Hazardous Materials Awareness, Hazardous Materials Operations, and CPR**, are required as part of the position and may be required prior to appointment or within a specified period after hire.

PRIMARY RESPONSIBILITIES

- Respond to structure fires, medical emergencies, rescues, hazardous materials incidents, and other emergency calls.
- Perform structural firefighting, search and rescue, ventilation, forcible entry, salvage, and overhaul.
- Operate fire apparatus, hose lines, ladders, pumps, SCBA, and other firefighting equipment.
- Provide emergency medical care within the scope of certification.
- Establish water supplies and support fire suppression operations.
- Operate within the Incident Command System.
- Participate in fire prevention, inspections, public education, and community risk reduction activities.
- Inspect and maintain apparatus, equipment, and station facilities.
- Complete required reports and documentation.
- Participate in scheduled training, drills, continuing education, and post-incident activities.
- Maintain required certifications and demonstrate proficiency in essential fire service skills.

PHYSICAL & WORK REQUIREMENTS

Applicants must be capable of performing the essential functions of the position, including wearing structural firefighting PPE and SCBA, climbing ladders and stairs, dragging charged hose lines, operating tools and equipment, lifting and carrying equipment, and performing rescue operations and other physically demanding tasks.

Firefighters may be required to work in extreme heat and cold, smoke-filled or hazardous environments, at heights, in confined spaces, around hazardous materials, and during nights, weekends, holidays, and extended emergency operations.

SELECTION PROCESS

Applicants must successfully complete all phases of the Department's selection process:

- General Knowledge Written Examination
- Firefighter Physical Ability Test (PAT)
- Interview Panel

Successful candidates must also satisfy all applicable Department medical, background, and employment requirements.

THE IDEAL CANDIDATE

- Integrity and professionalism
- Strong teamwork and communication skills
- Accountability and initiative
- Ability to work effectively under stressful conditions
- Sound judgment and situational awareness
- Commitment to firefighter and public safety
- Ability to follow established policies, procedures, and Incident Command direction
- Willingness to continually train, learn, and develop professionally

HOW TO APPLY

Request an application by email: firechief@jvfd.org

Application Deadline: October 21, 2026, 1700 hours CDT

Come serve the community, work with a professional team, and build your career in the fire service.

Jollyville Volunteer Fire Department is an equal opportunity employer. Employment decisions are made based on qualifications, job-related requirements, and organizational needs.